

H.R. 4835. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Public Health Service Act, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend COBRA continuation coverage for surviving spouses; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself, Mr. STARK, and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 4836. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a mechanism to promote the provision of Medicare cost-sharing assistance to eligible low-income Medicare beneficiaries; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. NUSSLE (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. KASICH, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. DREIER, Mr. GOSS, Mr. MINGE, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. RADANOVICH, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. STENHOLM):

H.R. 4837. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to provide for joint resolutions on the budget, reserve funds for emergency spending, strengthened enforcement of budgetary decisions, increased accountability for Federal spending, accrual budgeting for Federal insurance programs, mitigation of the bias in the budget process toward higher spending, modifications in paygo requirements when there is an on-budget surplus, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. VENTO:

H.R. 4838. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to make grants to States to supplement State assistance for the preservation of affordable housing for low-income families; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 4839. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain crystal vases and drinking glasses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland):

H.R. 4840. A bill to make certain technical amendments to the Act commonly known as the Clinger-Cohen Act of 1996, and to provide that certain cost accounting standards shall not be applied to the Federal Employees Health Benefit program until the Cost Accounting Standards Board Review Panel submits its report and recommendations to Congress; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. COBLE (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. NADLER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. JENKINS, and Mr. HILLEARY):

H.R. 4841. A bill to establish minimum standards of fair conduct in franchise sales and franchise business relationships, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.J. Res. 135. A joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. CUBIN (for herself and Ms. DEGETTE):

H. Res. 597. A resolution expressing the sense of the House with respect to the brutal killing of Mr. Matthew Shepard; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TRAFICANT (for himself, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. HORN, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. REGULA, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. NEY, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. KLINK, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. PARKER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. MOAKLEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania):

H. Res. 598. A resolution calling on the President to take all necessary measures to respond to the surge of steel imports resulting from the financial crises in Asia, Russia, and other regions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RIGGS:

H. Res. 599. A resolution expressing the sense of the House on a question relating to

the privileges of the House; to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

By Mr. ROYCE:

H. Res. 600. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to provide that certain extraordinary bills reported by the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight to eliminate waste and provide reform of the executive branch are privileged; to the Committee on Rules.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 371: Mr. MEEHAN.
 H.R. 468: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 902: Mr. WATKINS.
 H.R. 1061: Mr. OBERSTAR.
 H.R. 2704: Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. GREEN, Mr. NADLER, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.
 H.R. 2733: Mr. PITTS and Mr. BECERRA.
 H.R. 2868: Mr. SNOWBARGER.
 H.R. 2922: Mr. GOODE.
 H.R. 2923: Mr. MCHALE.
 H.R. 3514: Mr. WEYGAND.
 H.R. 3905: Mr. BARR of Georgia.
 H.R. 3925: Mr. ACKERMAN.
 H.R. 3955: Ms. KILPATRICK and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.
 H.R. 4171: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. WISE.
 H.R. 4174: Mr. LUTHER.
 H.R. 4221: Mr. ANDREWS.
 H.R. 4235: Mr. DEUTSCH.
 H.R. 4315: Mr. GEPHARDT.
 H.R. 4332: Mr. CLEMENT.
 H.R. 4403: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.
 H.R. 4429: Mr. DIXON.
 H.R. 4449: Mr. LAMPSON.
 H.R. 4531: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. FARR of California, and Mr. LUTHER.
 H.R. 4534: Ms. DEGETTE.
 H.R. 4674: Mr. MILLER of California.
 H.R. 4716: Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 4761: Mr. LAZIO of New York.
 H.R. 4765: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.
 H.R. 4818: Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. CARSON, Mr. SERRANO and Mr. JEFFERSON.
 H. Con. Res. 322: Mr. KUCINICH.
 H. Con. Res. 325: Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. FARR of California, and Mr. GILMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 345: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. BLUNT, and Mrs. CUBIN.