

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California:

H.R. 2611. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from income the salary of certain teachers who teach in high-poverty schools; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TRAFICANT (for himself and Mr. VISLOSKEY):

H.R. 2612. A bill to expand United States exports of goods and services by requiring the development of objective criteria to achieve market access in foreign countries, to provide the President with reciprocal trade authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

164. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 175 memorializing Congress to enact the same mandated benefits as contained in Act 98 of 1998 in all Federal insurance programs and all federally regulated, self-funded health insurance programs governed by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

165. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Nevada, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24 memorializing Congress to adopt legislation mandating that all products containing a steroid ingredient, including over-the-counter products and prescription drugs, be externally labeled as containing a "steroid" ingredient by the manufacturer and include inside the packaging an insert of information; to the Committee on Commerce.

166. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 192 memorializing the President and Congress to support legislation authorizing states to restrict the amount of solid waste being imported from other states and creating a rational solid waste management strategy that is equitable among states and environmentally sound; to the Committee on Commerce.

167. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to Senate Resolution No. 25 memorializing the President and the Congress to take whatever steps necessary to initiate talks with the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the People's Republic of China, Russia and Vietnam for the purpose of obtaining the release of Americans being held against their will; to the Committee on International Relations.

168. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Oregon, relative to Senate Joint Memorial No. 10 memorializing Congress and the President to use all appropriate legal, diplomatic and economic means to obtain the full cooperation of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and other nations in resolving the issue of American soldiers and pilots missing from the Korean War; to the Committee on International Relations.

169. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 memorializing Congress to appropriate for distribution to the counties in the State of Nevada the amount of money necessary to correct the underpayments to those counties pursuant to the Act for the

previous fiscal years; to the Committee on Resources.

170. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 123 memorializing the President and Congress to make the \$1 billion of Federal moneys already earmarked for abandoned mine land reclamation available to states to clean up and make safe abandoned mine lands; to the Committee on Resources.

171. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Nevada, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 memorializing Congress to authorize the United States Air Force to withdraw the public land located within the Nellis Air Force Range indefinitely; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, Commerce, and Resources.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 8: Mr. CLAY.
 H.R. 82: Mr. COYNE, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 119: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
 H.R. 121: Mr. DICKEY and Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 135: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
 H.R. 140: Mr. LUTHER.
 H.R. 354: Mrs. MYRICK and Ms. GRANGER.
 H.R. 405: Mr. HOFFEL and Ms. BALDWIN.
 H.R. 488: Ms. WOOLSEY and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.
 H.R. 583: Mr. THOMPSON of California.
 H.R. 614: Mr. TOOMEY.
 H.R. 628: Mr. DEAL of Georgia.
 H.R. 664: Ms. RIVERS.
 H.R. 797: Mr. ROGERS, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. REYES, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. LEE, and Mr. FLETCHER.
 H.R. 798: Mr. BAIRD.
 H.R. 809: Mr. COBURN and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H.R. 1055: Mr. WAMP, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 1080: Mr. KLINK and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
 H.R. 1095: Mrs. JONES of Ohio.
 H.R. 1102: Mr. Nadler, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. FARR of California.
 H.R. 111: Mr. CRAMER and Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 1168: Ms. LEE, Mr. GREENWOOD, and Mr. DICKS.
 H.R. 1193: Mr. WEINER, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. CLYBURN, and Mr. FLETCHER.
 H.R. 1248: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, and Ms. SANCHEZ.
 H.R. 1272: Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. NETHERCUTT, and Mr. BACHUS.
 H.R. 1290: Mrs. CUBIN and Mr. LARGENT.
 H.R. 1333: Ms. BROWN of Florida and Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 1344: Mr. COMBEST and Ms. BALDWIN.
 H.R. 1355: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mr. PICKETT.
 H.R. 1358: Mr. PICKERING and Mr. WEINER.
 H.R. 1413: Mr. GONZALEZ.
 H.R. 1446: Mr. GORDON and Mr. WELDON of Florida.
 H.R. 1485: Ms. VELAZQUEZ.
 H.R. 1624: Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. WEINER, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. FATTAH.
 H.R. 1879: Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. WU, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mrs. THURMAN.
 H.R. 1814: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. TERRY, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. DOYLE.
 H.R. 1818: Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. MATSUI, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1837: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. KIND, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1841: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 1870: Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. GREENWOOD.

H.R. 1907: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri and Mr. HILL of Montana.

H.R. 1932: Mr. PICKETT and Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 1993: Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 2000: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 2121: Mr. DINGELL, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MEEKS of New York, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 2202: Mr. ALLEN and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 2221: Mr. BURTON of Indiana and Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 2235: Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 2245: Mr. MCHUGH and Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 2265: Mr. BISHOP, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 2303: Mr. CABBELL.

H.R. 2319: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 2339: Mr. MOORE, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. COOKSEY, and Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 2341: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WISE, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. WELLER, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GOODE, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

H.R. 2346: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 2389: Mr. HILL of Montana and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 2418: Mr. FOLEY and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 2452: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 2454: Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 2483: Mr. DREIER.

H.R. 2498: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 2534: Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 2543: Mr. REGULA.

H.R. 2548: Mr. ROHRBACHER and Mr. METCALF.

H.R. 2555: Mrs. FOWLER.

H.R. 2563: Mr. BATEMAN.

H.R. 2565: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 2567: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. STARK, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 2571: Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 2584: Mr. ROGAN.

H. Con. Res. 8: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H. Con. Res. 100: Mr. CRANE, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. GOODLING, Ms. LEE, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. FORD.

H. Con. Res. 159: Ms. LEE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. CRANE, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. NEY, Mr. COYNE, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. FORD.

H. Res. 172: Mr. METCALF and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII:

39. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Utah Sheriff's Association, relative to USA Resolution 99-1 petitioning against the expansion of the authority, jurisdiction, and scope of federal powers and law enforcement; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 2587

OFFERED BY: MR. BILBRAY

AMENDMENT NO. 1: Page 65, insert after line 24 the following:

BANNING POSSESSION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS BY MINORS

SEC. 167. (a) IN GENERAL.—It shall be unlawful for any individual under 18 years of age to possess any cigarette or other tobacco product in the District of Columbia.

(b) EXCEPTIONS.—

(1) POSSESSION IN COURSE OF EMPLOYMENT.—Subsection (a) shall not apply with respect to an individual making a delivery of cigarettes or tobacco products in pursuance of employment.

(2) PARTICIPATION IN LAW ENFORCEMENT OPERATION.—Subsection (a) shall not apply with respect to an individual possessing products in the course of a valid, supervised law enforcement operation.

(c) PENALTIES.—Any individual who violates subsection (a) shall be subject to the following penalties:

(1) For any violation, the individual may be required to perform community service or attend a tobacco cessation program.

(2) Upon the first violation, the individual shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$50.

(3) Upon the second and each subsequent violation, the individual shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$100.

(4) Upon the third and each subsequent violation, the individual may have his or her driving privileges in the District of Columbia suspended for a period of 90 consecutive days.

(d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall apply during fiscal year 2000 and each succeeding fiscal year.

H.R. 2587

OFFERED BY: MS. NORTON

AMENDMENT NO. 2: Page 54, strike lines 19 through 25 (and redesignate the succeeding provisions accordingly).

H.R. 2605

OFFERED BY: MR. COOK

Page 15, line 25, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$10,000,000)".

Page 15, line 25, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$30,000,000)".

Page 15, line 25, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$5,000,000)".

Page 17, line 11, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$4,000,000)".

Page 17, line 11, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$2,000,000)".

Page 18, line 10, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$1,442,000)".

Page 18, line 10, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$10,000,000)".

Page 18, line 10, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$1,750,000)".

Page 20, line 14, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$10,000,000)".

Page 21, line 17, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$2,000,000)".

H.R. 2605

OFFERED BY: MR. POMBO

AMENDMENT NO.: Amend Title I to:
Cut \$150,000 from "General Investigations" designated for the Stockton Metropolitan Area and place that amount into "General Construction" for purposes of reimbursing the Stockton Metropolitan Area Flood Control Project, as authorized under Sec. 211 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1996 (Public Law 104-303).

H.R. 2605

OFFERED BY: MR. VISCLOSKEY

AMENDMENT NO. 3: Page 5, line 25, strike the comma and all that follows through page 6, line 23, and insert a period.

H.R. 2606

OFFERED BY: MR. MOAKLEY

AMENDMENT NO. 1: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

LIMITATION ON ASSISTANCE FOR SCHOOL OF THE AMERICAS

SEC. _____. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used for programs at the United States Army School of the Americas located at Fort Benning, Georgia.

H.R. 2606

OFFERED BY: MR. TRAFICANT

AMENDMENT NO. 2: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

SEC. _____. Of the funds appropriated in title II of this Act under the heading "ASSISTANCE FOR THE INDEPENDENT STATES OF THE FORMER SOVIET UNION", not more than \$172,000,000 shall be available for the Government of the Russian Federation.

H.R. 2606

OFFERED BY: MR. TRAFICANT

AMENDMENT NO. 3: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

SEC. _____. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available in title II of this Act under the heading "ASSISTANCE FOR THE INDEPENDENT STATES OF THE FORMER SOVIET UNION" may be used to carry out programs contained in the Expanded Threat Reduction Initiative.

H.R. 2606

OFFERED BY: MR. TRAFICANT

AMENDMENT NO. 4: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

SEC. _____. (a) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available in title II of this Act under the heading "ASSISTANCE FOR THE INDEPENDENT STATES OF THE FORMER SOVIET UNION" may be used to carry out programs contained in the Expanded Threat Reduction Initiative.

(b) Of the funds appropriated in title II of this Act under the heading "ASSISTANCE FOR THE INDEPENDENT STATES OF THE FORMER SOVIET UNION", not more than \$172,000,000 shall be available for the Government of the Russian Federation.