

Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Sealed Radioactive Source Accountability and Control Guide [DOE G 441.1.13] received September 13, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4449. A letter from the Special Assistant to Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of Section 309(j) of the Communications Act—Competitive Bidding for Commercial Broadcast and Instructional Television Fixed Service Licenses [MM Docket No. 97-234] received August 18, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4450. A letter from the Deputy Division Chief, Competitive Pricing Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Access Charge Reform [CC Docket No. 96-262] Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers [CC Docket No. 94-1] Interexchange Carrier Purchases of Switched Access Services Offered by Competitive Local Exchange Carriers [CCB/CPD File No. 98-63] Petition of US West Communications, Inc. for Forebearance from Regulation as a Dominant Carrier in the Phoenix, Arizona MSA [CC Docket No. 98-157] received August 10, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4451. A letter from the Supervisory Attorney/Advisor, Common Carrier Bureau Accounting Safeguards Division, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—1998 Biennial Regulatory Review—Review of Accounting and Cost Allocation Requirements [CC Docket No. 98-81, FCC 99-106] August 18, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4452. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Federal Communications Commission's "Fourth Annual Report and Analysis of Competitive Market Conditions With Respect to Commercial Mobile Services"; to the Committee on Commerce.

4453. A letter from the Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Office of Engineering and Technology, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—1998 Biennial Regulatory Review—Amendment of Part 18 of the Commission's Rules to Update Regulations for RF Lighting Devices [ET Docket No. 98-42] received August 18, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4454. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting the annual report of personal property furnished to non-Federal recipients for fiscal years 1995 through 1997, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 483(e); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4455. A letter from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, Information Security Oversight Office, National Archives & Records Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Information Security Oversight Office [Directive No.1; Appendix A] (RIN: 3095-AA92) received September 13, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4456. A letter from the Director, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Office of the Secretary of the Army, transmitting a report of vacancy; to the Committee on Government Reform.

4457. A letter from the Inspector General, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period of October 1, 1998, through March 31, 1999, and the Management Response for the same period,

pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4458. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations on Certain Federal Indian Reservations and Ceded Lands for the 1999-2000 Late Season [RIN: 1018-AF24] received September 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4459. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Texas Regulatory Program [SPATS No. TX-041-FOR] received August 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4460. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Final Frameworks for Late-Season Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations [RIN: 1018-AF24] received September 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4461. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Arkansas Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan [SPATS No. AR-029-FOR] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4462. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Magnuson-STEVENSON Fishery Conservation and Management Act; Amendment of Foreign Fishing Regulations; OMB Control Numbers [Docket No. 981228324-9168-02; I.D. 121697A] (RIN: 0648-AJ70) received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4463. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Fisheries; Bluefin Tuna Quota Adjustments [I.D. 080999K] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4464. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Fisheries; Large Coastal Shark Species [I.D. 052499C] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4465. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 610 of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 990304062-9062-01; I.D. 090999A] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4466. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Fisheries; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna [I.D. 082399A] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4467. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Fisheries; Large Coastal Shark Species; Commercial Fishery Closure Change [I.D. 052499C] received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4468. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Special Surveillance List of Chemicals, Products, Materials and Equipment Used in Clandestine Production of Controlled Substances or Listed Chemicals [DEA-172N] received June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4469. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court, transmitting a notice that the Supreme Court will open the October 1999 Term on October 4, 1999 and will continue until all matters before the Court, ready for argument, have been disposed of or declined; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4470. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Section 5333(b) Guidelines To Carry Out New Programs Authorized by the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA 21) (RIN: 1215-AB25)—received August 24, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4471. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the Demonstration Project Final Report on The Chittenden County Circumferential Highway; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4472. A letter from the Associate Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Revisions to the NASA FAR Supplement on Brand Name or Equal Procedures—received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

4473. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Placer Mining Industry—received August 24, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4474. A letter from the Deputy Executive Secretary to the Department, Center for Health Plans and Providers, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Graduate Medical Education (GME); Incentive Payments under Plans for Voluntary Reduction in the Number of Residents [HCFA-1001-IFC] (RIN: 0938-A127) received September 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. GOODLING: Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.R. 1102. A bill to provide for pension reform, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-331, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. CANADY: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2436. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice to protect unborn children from assault and murder, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-332, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2679. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish the National Motor Carrier Administration in the Department of Transportation, to improve the safety of commercial motor vehicle operators and carriers, to strengthen

commercial driver's licenses, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-333). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 187. Resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the European Council noise rule affecting hushkitted and reengined aircraft (Rept. 106-334 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 2436. Referral to the Committee on Armed Services extended for a period ending not later than September 29, 1999.

House Concurrent Resolution 187. Referral to the Committee on International Relations extended for a period ending not later than October 8, 1999.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. KOLBE:

H.R. 2941. A bill to establish the Las Cienegas National Conservation Area in the State of Arizona; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, and Mr. PICKERING):

H.R. 2942. A bill to extend for 6 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BISHOP (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island):

H.R. 2943. A bill to amend the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 to provide incentive grants to improve the quality of child care; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BARTON of Texas:

H.R. 2944. A bill to promote competition in electricity markets and to provide consumers with a reliable source of electricity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Resources, and Ways and Means, 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. DEAL of Georgia (for himself and Mr. STRICKLAND):

H.R. 2945. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coverage of marriage and family therapist services under part B of the Medicare Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. GEKAS:

H.R. 2946. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize the Merit Systems Protection Board to conduct an alternative dispute resolution pilot program to assist Federal Government agencies in resolving serious workplace disputes, and to establish an administrative judge pay schedule for administrative judges employed by the Merit Systems Protection Board; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. INSLEE (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. COOK, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DICKS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FROST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. METCALF, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. VENTO):

H.R. 2947. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to promote energy independence and self-sufficiency by providing for the use of net metering by certain small electric energy generation systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself and Mr. CARDIN):

H.R. 2948. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore the deduction for lobbying expenses in connection with State legislation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. RIVERS:

H.R. 2949. A bill to amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act relating to the minimum amount of State grants for any fiscal year under that Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. WALDEN of Oregon:

H.R. 2950. A bill to provide for the exchange of certain land in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ROHRBACHER (for himself and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H. Res. 304. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives concerning the war crimes committed by the Japanese during World War II; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, 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,

231. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin, relative to the Enrolled Joint Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation that would specify that no portion of the money received by the states as part of the tobacco settlement or of any other resolution of the tobacco litigation may be withheld, offset or claimed by the federal government; to the Committee on Commerce.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 21: Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 41: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 53: Mr. KOLBE and Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 65: Mrs. CAPPS and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 72: Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 202: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 303: Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. HOLT, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 354: Mr. MOAKLEY and Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 382: Mr. MATSUI, Mrs. THURMAN, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 460: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 534: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina and Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 595: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 637: Mr. ROGERS.

H.R. 664: Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 710: Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 783: Mr. ISAKSON and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 784: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 802: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. HOYER, Mr. FORD, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. STUPAK, and Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 864: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska and Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 865: Mr. CUNNINGHAM and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 946: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 1168: Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Ms. DANNER.

H.R. 1194: Mr. MCGOVERN and Mr. CARDIN.

H.R. 1221: Mr. ISAKSON.

H.R. 1234: Ms. PRYCE of Ohio and Mr. STUMP.

H.R. 1300: Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. HYDE, Mr. OSE, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. SESSIONS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. HOBSON.

H.R. 1336: Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 1531: Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 1621: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1660: Mr. UNDERWOOD and Mr. MOLLOHAN.

H.R. 1708: Mr. ENGLISH and Ms. ESHOO.

H.R. 1746: Mrs. CUBIN and Mr. REGULA.

H.R. 1776: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1785: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. WEYGAND, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 1899: Mr. SWEENEY, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 2053: Mr. McNULTY, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. FORBES, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 2162: Ms. CARSON and Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 2228: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 2240: Mr. SAWYER.

H.R. 2363: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. BOYD, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 2389: Mrs. CLAYTON and Mr. SMITH of Michigan.

H.R. 2420: Mr. FORD.

H.R. 2433: Mr. SANDLIN and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 2436: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. COOK, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. MICA, Mr. HANSEN, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 2441: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. COBURN.

H.R. 2492: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 2500: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 2543: Mr. SHAW, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 2741: Mrs. MORELLA.

H.R. 2801: Mr. BALDACCI.

H.R. 2819: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.J. Res. 48: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. STARK, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BAIRD, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. HILL of Indiana, and Mr. GOODLING.

H.J. Res. 53: Mr. BILBRAY and Mrs. WILSON.

H.J. Res. 65: Mr. BASS and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.J. Res. 66: Mr. BACHUS, Mr. JOHN, Mr. STEARNS, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. WAMP, Mr. POMBO, Mr.