

4497. A letter from the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Elgin, Oregon) [MM Docket No. 99-155 RM-9606] received September 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4498. A letter from the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Hamilton City, California) [MM Docket No. 99-182 RM-9585] (Lost Hills, California) [MM Docket No. 99-184 RM-9587] (Maricopa, California) [MM Docket No. 99-185 RM-9588] (Golden Meadow, Louisiana) [MM Docket No. 99-189 RM-9592] received September 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4499. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Auction Expenditure Package for Fiscal Year 1998; to the Committee on Commerce.

4500. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Fisheries; Vessel Monitoring Systems [Docket No. I.D. 071698B] (RIN: 0648-AJ67) received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4501. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Annual Report for 1998 of the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission; to the Committee on Commerce.

4502. A letter from the Lieutenant General, USA Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Kuwait for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 99-33), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4503. A letter from the Lieutenant General, USA Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Navy's Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Korea for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 99-29), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4504. A letter from the Acting Deputy Under Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 09-99 requesting Final Authority (RFA) to conclude a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Canada related to the Development, production and Initial Fielding of Military Satellite Communications (MILSATCOM), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

4505. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of decisions made by the President regarding the drawdown of articles and services from the inventory and resources of the Departments of Defense, State, Justice, the Treasury, and Transportation, and military education and training from the Department of Defense, to provide counternarcotics assistance to Colombia, Peru, Ecuador, and Panama, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2364(a)(1); to the Committee on International Relations.

4506. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

4507. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting the annual report disclosing the financial condition of the retirement system for the year ending September 30, 1997, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9503(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4508. A letter from the Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the budget request for the Office of Inspector General, Railroad Retirement Board, for fiscal year 2001, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f; to the Committee on Government Reform.

4509. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Policy, Management and Budget, Department of the Interior, transmitting the annual report on royalty management and collection activities for Federal and Indian mineral leases in FY 1998, pursuant to 30 U.S.C. 237; to the Committee on Resources.

4510. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report on the Operations of Glen Canyon Dam Pursuant to the Grand Canyon Protection Act of 1992: Water Years 1998 and 1999; to the Committee on Resources.

4511. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Ocean Perch in the West Yakutat District of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 990304062-9062-01; I.D. 081399B] received September 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4512. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Deep-Water Species Fishery by Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 990304062-9060-01; I.D. 081699B] received September 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4513. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Acting Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Trademark Law Treaty Implementation Act Changes [Docket No. 990401084-9227-02] (RIN: 0651-AB00) received August 31, 1999; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4514. A letter from the Director, Office of the General Counsel, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Voting Rights Program (RIN: 3206-A177) received August 11, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4515. A letter from the Executive Director, Olympic Committee, transmitting the 1998 Annual Report of the United States Olympic Committee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4516. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Teledyne Continental Motors O-470, IO-470, TSIO-470, IO-520, TSIO-520, LTISO-520, GTSIO-520, IO-550, TSIO-550, and TSIOL-550 Series Reciprocating Engines [Docket No. 99-NE-28-AD; Amendment 39-11290, AD 99-19-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4517. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a the annual report titled "Transition to Quieter Airplanes"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4518. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a Re-

port On the Activities of the Commercial Space Transportation Program for 1998; to the Committee on Science.

4519. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—October 1999 Applicable Federal Rates [Revenue Ruling 99-41] received September 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4520. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Prohibition of Ex Parte Communications Between Appeals Officers and other Internal Revenue Service Employees [Notice 99-50] received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4521. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Work Opportunity and Welfare-to-Work Tax Credits [Notice 99-51] received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4522. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Housing Opportunities for Persons with Aids [Rev. Rul. 99-39] received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4523. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—IRS Adoption Taxpayer Identification Numbers [TD 8839] (RIN: 1545-AV08) received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4524. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax Exempt BOND Administrative Appeal [Rev. Proc. 99-35] received September 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4525. A letter from the Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's budget request for fiscal year 2001, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f; jointly to the Committees on Appropriations, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Ways and Means.

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. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2910. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for the National Transportation Safety Board for fiscal years 2000, 2001, 2002, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-335). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. PACKARD: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 2605. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-336). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2841. A bill to amend the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin Islands to provide for greater fiscal autonomy consistent with other United States jurisdictions, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-337). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. S. 944. An act to amend Public Law 105-188 to provide for the mineral leasing of

certain Indian lands in Oklahoma (Rept. 106-338). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CALLAHAN: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 2606. A bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-339). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 2130. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to add gamma hydroxybutyric acid and ketamine to the schedules of control substances, to provide for a national awareness campaign, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 106-340 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on commerce. H.R. 1714. A bill to facilitate the use of electronic records and signatures in interstate or foreign commerce; with an amendment (Rept. 106-341 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 305. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 68) making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-342). Referred to the House Calendar.

REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills referred as follows:

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 1714. A bill to facilitate the use of electronic records and signatures in interstate or foreign commerce; with an amendment; referred to the Committee on Judiciary for a period ending not later than October 15, 1999, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(k), rule x.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 2130. Referral to the Committee on the Judiciary 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. CRAMER:

H.R. 2951. A bill to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to authorize grants to Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University in Huntsville, Alabama; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. DEMINT (for himself, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. SANFORD):

H.R. 2952. A bill to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 100 Orchard Park Drive in Greenville, South Carolina, as the "Keith D. Oglesby Station"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. ENGLISH (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. WICKER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. FOLEY):

H.R. 2953. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for recycling or remanufacturing equipment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGLISH:

H.R. 2954. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit for investment necessary to revitalize communities within the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself and Mrs. MALONEY of New York):

H.R. 2955. A bill to establish a partnership to rebuild and modernize America's school facilities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. RUSH, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. STARK, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. OWENS, Mr. VENTO, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California):

H.R. 2956. A bill to reauthorize the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. VITTER (for himself and Mr. JEFFERSON):

H.R. 2957. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize funding to carry out certain water quality restoration projects for Lake Pontchartrain Basin, Louisiana, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 2958. A bill to provide for the continuation of higher education through the conveyance of certain public lands in the State of Alaska to the University of Alaska, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.J. Res. 67. A joint resolution making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.J. Res. 68. A joint resolution making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. CUNNINGHAM (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. GILCREST):

H. Con. Res. 189. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the wasteful and unsportsmanlike practice known as shark finning; to the Committee on Resources.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 163: Mr. MICA.

H.R. 219: Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 248: Mr. COBURN.

H.R. 488: Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 534: Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 583: Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 750: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 765: Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 771: Mr. KIND.

H.R. 802: Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. KING, Mr. HYDE, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.R. 826: Mr. PICKETT and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 961: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. MICA.

H.R. 976: Mr. BONIOR and Mr. VITTER.

H.R. 1079: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. HALL of Ohio, and Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 1111: Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 1221: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 1226: Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. GORDON, Mr. FORBES, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1271: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 1272: Mr. COOKSEY.

H.R. 1305: Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 1363: Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1505: Mr. WISE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 1518: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 1546: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 1581: Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. DIXON.

H.R. 1636: Mr. BROWN of Ohio.

H.R. 1671: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 1795: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1806: Mr. QUINN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. DICKS.

H.R. 1820: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 1824: Mr. PICKETT and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 1837: Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. BENTSEN.

H.R. 1838: Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. COBLE, Mr. SANFORD, and Mr. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 1998: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 2059: Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 2128: Mr. TOOMEY.

H.R. 2266: Mr. BOEHLERT Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 2341: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. EVANS, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. CRANE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. JOHN, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 2381: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 2436: Mr. SANFORD.

H.R. 2453: Mr. ROHRBACHER.

H.R. 2511: Mr. FLETCHER and Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 2546: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 2554: Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. SAXTON.

H.R. 2573: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 2596: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. ROGERS, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 2624: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 2655: Mr. SKEEN.

H.R. 2689: Mr. PAUL, Ms. DANNER, and Mr. COBURN.

H.R. 2697: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. FROST.