

the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-15] received January 18, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

437. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—General Rule for Inventories [Rev. Rul. 2001-8] received January 18, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

438. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Effect on Earnings and Profits [Rev. Rul. 2001-1] received January 18, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

439. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Issue Price in the Case of Certain Debt Instruments Issued for Property [Rev. Rul. 2001-7] received January 18, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

440. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Deduction For Contributions Of An Employer To An Employees' Trust Or Annuity Plan And Compensation Under A Deferred-Payment Plan [Rev. Rul. 2001-6] received January 23, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

441. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Stock Transfer Rules: Transition Rules [TD 8937] (RIN: 1545-AY53) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

442. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Extension Of Comprehensive Case Resolution Pilot Program [Notice 2001-13] received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

443. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Split-dollar life insurance arrangements [Notice 2001-10] received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

444. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, First-out Inventories [Rev. Rul. 2001-9] received January 26, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

445. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Deduction For Contributions Of An Employer To An Employees' Trust Or Annuity Plan And Compensation Under A Deferred-Payment Plan [Rev. Rul. 2001-6] received January 26, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

446. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Changes in accounting periods and in methods of accounting [Rev. Proc. 2001-23] received January 26, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

447. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rules and regulations [Rev. Proc. 2001-21] received January 26, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

448. A letter from the the Director, the Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the final OMB sequestration report to the President and Congress for Fiscal Year 2001; (H. Doc. No. 107-31); to the Committee

on the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

449. A letter from the Director, Congressional Budget Office, transmitting a report on "Unauthorized Appropriations and Expiring Authorizations" by the Congressional Budget Office, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 602(f)(3); jointly to the Committees on the Budget and Appropriations.

450. A letter from the the Chair of the Board of Directors, the Office of Compliance, transmitting a report on the applicability to the legislative branch of federal law relating to terms and conditions of employment and access to public services and accommodations, pursuant to section 102(b) of the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995; (H. Doc. No. 107-33); jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and House Administration, and ordered to be printed.

451. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report to provide immediate assistance to help certain Medicare beneficiaries buy prescription drugs; (H. Doc. No. 107-35); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce, and ordered to be printed.

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:

[Filed on January 2, 2001]

Mr. KASICH: Committee on the Budget, Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget During the 106th Congress (Rept. 106-1055). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. THOMAS: Committee on House Administration. Report of the Activities of the Committee on House Administration During the 106th Congress (Rept. 106-1056). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. MURTHA:

H.R. 244. A bill to increase the rates of military basic pay for members of the uniformed services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. HALL of Ohio (for himself and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 245. A bill to provide for the establishment of a Natural Gas Reserve; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. THORNBERRY:

H.R. 246. A bill to repeal the Federal estate and gift taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BACHUS:

H.R. 247. A bill to amend the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 to authorize communities to use community development block grant funds for construction of tornado-safe shelters in manufactured home parks; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BACHUS:

H.R. 248. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that distributions from qualified State tuition programs which are used to pay educational expenses shall not be includible in gross income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BACHUS:

H.R. 249. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permit private edu-

cational institutions to maintain qualified tuition programs and to provide that distributions from such programs which are used to pay educational expenses shall not be includible in gross income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. HOYER, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. THOMAS M. Davis of Virginia, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. FROST, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. HINCHEY, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KING, Mr. BERRY, Mr. WOLF, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. EVANS, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mrs. BONO, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. GORDON, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. COYNE, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. PETRI, Mr. FILNER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. HOEPEL, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. MOORE, Mr. RILEY, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, and Ms. BALDWIN):

H.R. 250. A bill to amend the provisions of title 39, United States Code, relating to the manner in which pay policies and schedules and fringe benefit programs for postmasters are established; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 251. A bill to ensure the safety of children placed in child care centers in Federal facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, and the Judiciary, 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. GILMAN (for himself and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 252. A bill to establish a dependent care assistance program for Federal employees; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 253. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand alternatives for families with children and to establish incentives to improve the quality of child care; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GILMAN:

H.R. 254. A bill to provide for the review by Congress of proposed construction of court facilities; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GILMAN:

H.R. 255. A bill to provide grant funds to units of local government that comply with certain requirements and to amend certain Federal firearms laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration