

3873. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Connecticut River, CT [CGD01-01-060] received August 23, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3874. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway, Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, FL [CGD07-01-034] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received August 23, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3875. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Harlem River, Newtown Creek, NY [CGD01-01-054] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received August 23, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BAKER:

H.R. 2948. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to provide for random deployment of Federal air marshals on certain commercial air passenger flights, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. FARR of California (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. WALSH, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. PETRI):

H.R. 2949. A bill authorizing the President of the United States, on behalf of the Congress, to present a gold medal to Sargent Shriver; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself and Mr. QUINN):

H.R. 2950. A bill to provide for the financing of high-speed rail infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. GANSKE (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia):

H.R. 2951. A bill to improve aviation security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. CUBIN:

H.R. 2952. A bill to ensure the orderly development of coal, coalbed methane, natural gas, and oil within a designated Dispute Resolution Area in the Powder River Basin, Wyoming, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HORN:

H.R. 2953. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make the social health maintenance organization a permanent option under the MedicareChoice program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and 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 Ms. MCKINNEY:

H.R. 2954. A bill to prohibit the importation into the United States of colombo tantalite from certain countries involved in the conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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. GEPHARDT (for himself, Mr.

HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BACA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BARRETT, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURIO, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. HONDA, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OBEY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. REYES, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 2955. A bill to provide assistance for employees who are separated from employment as a result of reductions in service by air carriers, and closures of airports, caused by terrorist actions or security measures; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, 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 Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 2956. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Defense to accept contributions for the Pentagon Reservation Maintenance Revolving Fund to be used to repair the damage caused by the terrorist attack on the Pentagon that occurred on September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CASTLE:

H.R. 2957. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to direct the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to implement a criminal background check program for pilot and flight service training applicants, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CUNNINGHAM:

H.R. 2958. A bill to improve passenger airline safety and security; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon:

H.R. 2959. A bill to authorize former Federal employees who receive voluntary separation incentive payments under the Department of Agriculture program to accept subsequent employment with the Federal Government, without loss of their payments, when such employment is directly related to fighting forest fires; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the

Committee on Agriculture, 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. HUNTER (for himself, Mr.

BARTLETT of Maryland, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. WOLF, Mr. OTTER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. BASS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. POMBO, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mrs. EMERSON, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. HAYES, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. PENCE, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. AKIN, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. ROYCE):

H.R. 2960. A bill to require inspection of all cargo on commercial trucks and vessels entering the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAFALCE (for himself, Mrs.

MALONEY of New York, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. LEE, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. ROSS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 2961. A bill to authorize the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to make loans under section 7(b)(2) of the Small Business Act to small business concerns and certain other business concerns that suffered substantial economic injury as a result of the terrorist attacks on the United States that occurred on September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. MCCRERY:

H.R. 2962. A bill to reduce employer taxes and simplify tax filing, to reform the administrative funding of the unemployment compensation and employment service programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCINNIS:

H.R. 2963. A bill to establish the Deep Creek Wilderness Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PICKERING:

H.R. 2964. A bill to provide clarification regarding the market name for the fish *Pangasius bocourti* and compliance with section 403 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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

H.R. 2965. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for the exchange of information by electronic means between the Federal Bureau of Investigation and other Federal agencies; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SOLIS (for herself, Mr. GON-

ZALEZ, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BACA, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PAS-TOR, Mr. REYES, Mr. FROST, Mr. FILLNER, Mr. WYNN, and Ms. MCKINNEY):

H.R. 2966. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of sites associated with the life of Cesar Estrada Chavez and the farm labor movement to determine appropriate methods for their preservation and interpretation; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. THURMAN:

H.R. 2967. A bill to provide duty-free treatment for certain foodstuffs originating in

NAFTA countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TIAHRT (for himself, Ms. DUNN, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. HART, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 2968. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow expanded penalty-free withdrawals from certain retirement plans during periods of unemployment for any employee of an air carrier or of a manufacturer of aircraft or parts or components of aircraft; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. HOYER, Mr. FORD, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. TURNER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HOLT, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. REYES, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. CLAY, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WYNN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. OWENS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mrs. CLAYTON):

H.R. 2969. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore a partial deduction for personal interest and thereby to encourage economic recovery and to avoid the need to borrow against home equity; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WELLER (for himself and Mr. CROWLEY):

H.R. 2970. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow businesses to expense qualified security devices; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. ENGEL introduced a bill (H.R. 2971) for the relief of Inna Hecker Grade; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 17: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 123: Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 134: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 189: Mr. CALVERT and Mr. CULBERSON.
 H.R. 208: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 257: Mr. CAMP.
 H.R. 265: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 270: Mr. TANCREDO.
 H.R. 281: Mr. PASCARELL.
 H.R. 311: Mr. KERNS.
 H.R. 320: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 368: Mr. TANCREDO.
 H.R. 370: Mr. TANCREDO.
 H.R. 442: Mr. MANZULLO and Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 488: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.
 H.R. 506: Mr. FROST.
 H.R. 534: Mr. STRICKLAND and Mr. STUMP.
 H.R. 544: Mrs. NAPOLITANO and Ms. DELAURO.
 H.R. 590: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 604: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 655: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 781: Mr. BOYD.
 H.R. 840: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. KELLER, Mr. QUINN, Mr. BENTSEN, and Ms. BALDWIN.
 H.R. 848: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.
 H.R. 898: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky and Mr. WAXMAN.
 H.R. 919: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
 H.R. 936: Mr. MANZULLO and Mr. ROTHMAN.
 H.R. 959: Ms. WATERS.
 H.R. 968: Mr. HERGER.
 H.R. 1086: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1092: Mr. OLVER.
 H.R. 1125: Mr. OWENS.
 H.R. 1143: Mr. BECERRA, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Ms. RIVERS.
 H.R. 1191: Ms. DELAURO and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1194: Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.
 H.R. 1198: Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. FORD, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 1343: Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mrs. BONO.
 H.R. 1401: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.
 H.R. 1440: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.
 H.R. 1450: Mr. SHAW.
 H.R. 1487: Mr. KNOLLENBERG.
 H.R. 1509: Mr. LAHOOD.
 H.R. 1522: Mr. BROWN of Florida.
 H.R. 1582: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1594: Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 1609: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania and Mr. GEKAS.
 H.R. 1613: Mrs. CLAYTON.
 H.R. 1624: Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. KELLER, Mr. MATHESON, and Mr. GOODLATTE.
 H.R. 1645: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma and Ms. LOFGREN.
 H.R. 1693: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1700: Mr. GEKAS.
 H.R. 1744: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
 H.R. 1764: Mr. REYNOLDS, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. ENGLISH.
 H.R. 1841: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. WALSH, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. TERRY.
 H.R. 1851: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1890: Mr. ARMBY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. DEMINT.
 H.R. 1897: Mr. KUCINICH.
 H.R. 1911: Mr. PICKERING.
 H.R. 1918: Ms. HART, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. KING, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. REYES, Mr. BACA, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Ms. WATERS, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. FRANK, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. GONZALEZ.
 H.R. 1964: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. FARR of California.
 H.R. 1975: Mr. REHBERG.
 H.R. 1979: Mr. STENHOLM.
 H.R. 1990: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 1992: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. PAUL, Ms. HART, Mr. PLATTS, and Mr. PETRI.
 H.R. 2008: Mr. BONIOR and Mr. ROSS.
 H.R. 2097: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
 H.R. 2117: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. PALLONE, and Mr. WAMP.
 H.R. 2123: Mr. PICKERING.
 H.R. 2181: Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. SANDLIN.
 H.R. 2208: Mr. HINCHEY.
 H.R. 2219: Ms. HART.
 H.R. 2220: Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. WOLF, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. GILCREST.
 H.R. 2235: Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SHOWS, and Mr. SCHAFFER.
 H.R. 2269: Mr. CANNON, Mr. KELLER, Mr. BASS, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. BURR of North Carolina.

H.R. 2293: Mr. VITTER and Mr. OTTER.
 H.R. 2348: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
 H.R. 2352: Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 2354: Mr. CAMP and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.
 H.R. 2357: Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. DOOLITTLE.
 H.R. 2362: Mr. WALSH and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H.R. 2410: Mr. TANCREDO.
 H.R. 2418: Mr. NORWOOD.
 H.R. 2423: Mr. LEACH, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. NUSSLE.
 H.R. 2457: Mr. PAUL, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FORBES, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. SCHAFFER, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. HAYES, and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.
 H.R. 2485: Mr. SESSIONS and Mr. WAMP.
 H.R. 2546: Mr. GRAVES and Mr. KIRK.
 H.R. 2561: Mr. HERGER.
 H.R. 2623: Mr. BACA and Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 2636: Ms. DELAURO.
 H.R. 2663: Mr. LANTOS.
 H.R. 2667: Mr. PICKERING.
 H.R. 2675: Mr. STUPAK and Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 2690: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
 H.R. 2692: Mr. DOYLE and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.
 H.R. 2709: Mr. GREENWOOD.
 H.R. 2725: Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mrs. CUBIN, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. SWEENEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mrs. NORTHUP, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. WATERS, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. QUINN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. OSE, and Mr. HONDA.
 H.R. 2740: Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GOODLATTE, and Mr. DOYLE.
 H.R. 2787: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 2794: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.
 H.R. 2800: Mr. SCHAFFER.
 H.R. 2809: Mr. PAUL and Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 2820: Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. GOODE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. OWENS, and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H.R. 2839: Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. FILNER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FROST, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. EVANS, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.
 H.R. 2846: Mr. LAHOOD.
 H.R. 2887: Mr. FRANK.
 H.R. 2894: Mr. OSBORNE and Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 2895: Mr. GONZALES, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. MOORE.
 H.R. 2896: Mr. CULBERSON and Mr. HALL of Texas.
 H.R. 2897: Mr. BACA, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. ORTIZ.
 H.R. 2899: Mr. KING.
 H.R. 2900: Mr. FROST and Mr. WALSH.
 H.R. 2902: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
 H.R. 2906: Mr. GREENWOOD.
 H.R. 2907: Mr. HORN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. RUSH, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MOORE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. BALDACCI, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.
 H.R. 2908: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.
 H.R. 2932: Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. GRAHAM.