

of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Colorado River, Between Davis Dam and Laughlin Bridge (This section of the Colorado River divides Arizona and Nevada) [COTP: San Diego 03-019] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received May 23, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2581. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone Regulation; Fort Vancouver Fireworks Display, Columbia River, Vancouver, Washington [CGD13-03-001] (RIN: 1625-AA00 (Formerly RIN: 2115-AA97)) received May 23, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2582. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Berwick Bay, Morgan City, LA [CGD08-03-023] received May 23, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2583. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Notification of Arrival in U.S. Ports [USCG-2002-11865] (RIN: 1625-AA41) received May 23, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2584. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's report pursuant to Section 1403(c) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002, Pub. L. 107-296; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2585. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Medicare Program; Change in Methodology for Determining Payment for Extraordinarily High-Cost Cases (Cost Outliers) Under the Acute Care Hospital Inpatient and Long-Term Care Hospital Prospective Payment Systems [CMS-1243-F] (RIN: 0938-AM41) received June 6, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2586. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting notification of approved payment to the Government of Slovakia pursuant to Pub. L. 107-206; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Appropriations.

2587. A letter from the Chairman, Congressional Award Board, transmitting the 2002-2003 activities of the Congressional Award program, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 802(e); jointly to the Committees on Government Reform and Education and the Workforce.

#### 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:

*[Omitted from the Record of June 5, 2003]*

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 1460. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to permit the use of education benefits under such title for certain entrepreneurship courses, to permit veterans enrolled in a vocational rehabilitation program under chapter 31 of such title to have self-employment as a vocational goal, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 108-142 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

*[Pursuant to the order of the House on June 5, 2003 the following report was filed on June 6, 2003]*

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2115. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs for the Federal Aviation Administration, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 108-143). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

*[Submitted June 9, 2003]*

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1115. A bill to amend the procedures that apply to consideration of interstate class actions to assure fairer outcomes for class members and defendants, to outlaw certain practices that provide inadequate settlements for class members, to assure that attorneys do not receive a disproportionate amount of settlements at the expense of class members, to provide for clearer and simpler information in class action settlement notices, to assure prompt consideration of interstate class actions, to amend title 28, United States Code, to allow the application of the principles of Federal diversity jurisdiction to interstate class actions, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 108-144). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 263. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2143) to prevent the use of certain bank instruments for unlawful Internet gambling, and for other purposes (Rept 108-145). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

*[Omitted from the Record of June 5, 2003]*

H.R. 1460. Referral to the Committee on Small Business extended for a period ending not later than July 7, 2003.

*[Submitted June 9, 2003]*

H.R. 1950. Referral to the Committees on Armed Services, Energy and Commerce, and the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than June 16, 2003.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SMITH of Texas (for himself, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Ms. HART, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. WEXLER, and Ms. BALDWIN):

H.R. 2391. A bill to amend title 35, United States Code, to promote research among universities, the public sector, and private enterprise; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CASTLE (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mr. UPTON, Mr. MOORE, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. ALEXANDER):

H.R. 2392. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to accelerate the increase in the refundability of the child tax credit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 2393. A bill to provide that unremarried former spouses of retired and career members of the Armed Forces shall be entitled to military health care and commissary and exchange benefits if married for

at least 10 years during the member's military service and if the former spouse left the marriage due to domestic violence or unbearable conditions; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. MOORE (for himself, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GORDON, Mr. CASE, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. MICHAUD, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 2394. A bill to require full funding of part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. RADANOVICH (for himself, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. NUNES, and Mr. OSE):

H.R. 2395. A bill to provide suitable alternative grazing arrangements on National Forest System land to persons that hold a grazing permit adversely affected by the standards and guidelines contained in the Record of Decision of the Sierra Nevada Forest Plan Amendment and pertaining to the Willow Flycatcher and the Yosemite Toad; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. SOLIS (for herself, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mrs. BONO, Ms. WATSON, Ms. LEE, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. HARMAN, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. HONDA, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BACA, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WAXMAN, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. ISSA, Mr. OSE, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. POMBO, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. STARK, Ms. WATERS, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. HERGER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. FARR, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. COX, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. MCKEON, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. NUNES, and Mr. DREIER):

H.R. 2396. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1210 Highland Avenue in Duarte, California, as the "Francisco A. Martinez Flores Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. CONYERS):

H. Con. Res. 212. Concurrent resolution recognizing and supporting the goals and ideals of the Year of the Korean War Veteran, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BAIRD, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. COOPER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. FARR, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FORD, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HILL, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. HOYER, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LEE, Mr.