

Authorization of Major General Henry A. Obering, United States Air Force, to wear the insignia of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8958. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Rear Admiral James M. Zortman, United States Navy, to wear the insignia of vice admiral in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8959. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Rear Admiral Jonathan W. Greenert, United States Navy, to wear the insignia of vice admiral in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8960. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Major General Russel L. Honore, United States Army, to wear the insignia of the grade of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8961. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Lieutenant General Richard A. Cody, United States Army, to wear the insignia of the grade of general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8962. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Major General Carl A. Strock, United States Army, to wear the insignia of the grade of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8963. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Major General Michael W. Wooley, United States Air Force, to wear the insignia of the grade of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8964. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Lieutenant General Paul V. Hester, United States Air Force, to wear the insignia of the grade of general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8965. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Major General Jeffrey B. Kohler, United States Air Force, to wear the insignia of the grade of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8966. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting Authorization of Major General John F. Regni, United States Air Force, to wear the insignia of the grade of lieutenant general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8967. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting

Authorization of Rear Admiral (lower half) James G. Stavridis, United States Navy, to wear the insignia of vice admiral in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

8968. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Health Care Fraud and Abuse Data Collection Program: Technical Revisions to Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank Data Collection Activities (RIN: 0991-AB31) received June 18, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

8969. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Privacy Act Regulations—received June 17, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

8970. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Participation in Education Department Programs by Religious Organizations; Providing for Equal Treatment of All Education Program Participants (RIN: 1890-AA11) received June 17, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

8971. A letter from the Regulations Analyst, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Privacy Act of 1974: Implementation of Exemption [Docket No. TSA-2003-15900] (RIN: 1652-AA28) received June 24, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

8972. A letter from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Revision of NARA Research Room Procedures (RIN: 3095-AB10) received June 30, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

8973. A letter from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Restrictions on the Use of Records (RIN: 3095-AB11) received June 30, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

8974. A letter from the Group Manager, Regulatory Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Location, Recording, and Maintenance of Mining Claims or Sites [WO-320-1430-00-24 1A] (RIN: 1004-AD62) received July 1, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8975. A letter from the Acting General Counsel/FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Disaster Assistance Definitions; Statutory Change (RIN: 1660-AA19) received May 19, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

#### 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. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 710. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4766) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Develop-

ment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes (Rept. 108-591). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 711. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2828) to authorize the Secretary of Interior to implement water supply technology and infrastructure programs aimed at increasing and diversifying domestic water resources (Rept. 108-592). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. WELDON of Florida (for himself and Mr. DOYLE):

H.R. 4779. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for clinical research support grants, clinical research infrastructure grants, and a demonstration program on partnerships in clinical research, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 4780. A bill to require the United States Trade Representative to pursue a complaint of anti-competitive practices against certain oil exporting countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. BORDALLO (for herself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA):

H.R. 4781. A bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for equitable treatment of residents of territories with respect to transitional assistance and low-income subsidies under the Medicare prescription drug benefit program; to the Committee on Energy and 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. CARSON of Oklahoma:

H.R. 4782. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 120 East Illinois Avenue in Vinita, Oklahoma, as the "Francis C. Goodpaster Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma:

H.R. 4783. A bill to adjust the boundaries of the Ouachita National Forest in the States of Oklahoma and Arkansas; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 4784. A bill to provide a grant program to support the establishment and operation of Teachers Institutes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HULSHOF (for himself, Mr. BOSWELL, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. LEACH, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. EVANS, Mr. AKIN, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. WELLER, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. KING of Iowa):

H.R. 4785. A bill to enhance navigation capacity improvements and the ecosystem restoration plan for the Upper Mississippi River and Illinois Waterway System; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H.R. 4786. A bill to provide grants to tribes to assist those tribes in participating in the Federal acknowledgement process; to the Committee on Resources.