

Mr. DEFAZIO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BROWN of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SCHIFF, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. HERSETH, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LIPINSKI, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. PENCE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. GUTKNECHT, for 5 minutes, July 29.

Mr. SHAYS, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. FOXX, for 5 minutes, July 28.

Mr. OTTER, for 5 minutes, July 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29.

Mr. PENCE, for 5 minutes, today.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 1 o'clock and 39 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday, July 25, 2005, at 12:30 p.m., for morning hour debates.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

3032. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza; Additional Restrictions [Docket No. 04-011-3] received July 21, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3033. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request for a FY 2006 budget amendments for the Department of Homeland Security; (H. Doc. No. 109-50); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

3034. A letter from the Director, Executive Office of the President, transmitting a report on the estimated costs in the future fiscal years of: Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom; any related military operations in and around Iraq and Afghanistan; and reconstruction, internal security, and related economic support to Iraq and Afghanistan for fiscal years 2006 through 2011, pursuant to Public Law 108-287, section 9012; to the Committee on Appropriations.

3035. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting a report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act by the Information Technology Fund, Treasury symbol 47X4548, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

3036. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting a report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act by the Working Capital Fund, Treasury Symbol 47X4540.1, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

3037. A letter from the Assistant Deputy Under Secretary for Transportation Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting A report on the Department's implementation of Postal System improvements, pursuant to Public Law 108-375 section 568(b); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3038. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting a report

on the Department's implementation of Postal System improvements, pursuant to Public Law 108-375 section 568(b); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3039. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisitions, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on the Department's implementation of Postal System improvements, pursuant to Public Law 108-375 section 568(b); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3040. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101-510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3041. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101-510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3042. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Berry Amendment Memoranda [DFARS Case 2004-D035] received July 21, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3043. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Sole Source 8(a) Awards to Small Business Concerns Owned by Native Hawaiian Organizations [DFARS Case 2004-D031] received July 21, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3044. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Business Restructuring Costs-Delegation of Authority to Make Determinations Relating to Payment [DFARS Case 2004-DO26] received July 21, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3045. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of Rear Admiral Paul E. Sullivan, United States Navy, to wear the insignia of the grade of vice admiral in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3046. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a draft bill "To expand the list of statutes contained in the original HIPC debt reduction legislation to include the Lend-Lease Act of 1941"; to the Committee on Financial Services.

3047. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting report on transactions involving U.S. exports to Mexico, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Financial Services.

3048. A letter from the Asst. Gen. counsel for Regulatory Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule — Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects (RIN: 1890-AA08) received July 13, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

3049. A letter from the Acting Assistant Deputy Secretary for Innovation and Im-

provement, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule — Credit Enhancement for Charter School Facilities Program (RIN: 1855-AA02) received April 25, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

3050. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2003 Biennial Report to Congress on the Status of Children in Head Start Programs as required by Section 650 of the Head Start Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

3051. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Preventing the Accumulation of Surplus Controlled Substances at Long Term Care Facilities [Docket No. DEA-240F] (RIN: 1117-AA75) received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3052. A letter from the Asst. Gen. Counsel for Legislation and Regulatory Law, OS, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Procedural Rules for the Assessment of Civil Penalties for Classified Information Security Violations [Docket No. SO-RM-00-01] (RIN: 1992-AA28) received February 4, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3053. A letter from the Attorney, Office of Legislation and Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Price Competitive Sale of Strategic Petroleum Reserve Petroleum; Standard Sales Provisions (RIN: 1901-AB15) received July 13, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3054. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the FY 2004 financial report for the Animal Drug User Fee Act (ADUFA), enacted on November 18, 2003 (Pub. L. 108-199); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3055. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Public Health Service Policies on Research Misconduct (RIN: 0940-AA04) received May 16, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3056. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amending the Regulations Governing Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Race, Color, National Origin, Handicap, Sex, and Age to Conform to the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (RIN: 0991-AB10) received May 6, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3057. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Authority for Practitioners to Dispense or Prescribe Approved Narcotic Controlled Substances for Maintenance or Detoxification Treatment [Docket No. DEA-202F] (RIN: 1117-AA68) received July 6, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3058. A letter from the Attorney, NHTSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defect and Noncompliance Responsibility and Reports Defect and Noncompliance Notification [Docket No. NHTSA-2004-18341; Notice No. 2] (RIN: 2127-AJ48) received July 2, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3059. A letter from the Legal Advisor to Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's

final rule — Amendment of Section 73.606(b), Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations. (Green Bay, Wisconsin) [MB Docket No. 01-325, RM-10136] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3060. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Shorter, Orrville, Selma and Birmingham, Alabama) [MB Docket No. 04-201, RM-10972, RM-11103] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3061. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Clatskanie, Oregon, Long Beach and Ilwaco, Washington) [MB Docket No. 04-428, RM-11124] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3062. A letter from the Acting Deputy Chief, WCB/TAPD, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service [CC Docket No. 96-45] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3063. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor, Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Implementation of Section 304 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 [CS Docket No. 97-80]; Commercial Availability of Navigation Devices — received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3064. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments FM Broadcast Stations. (Ferrysburg, Michigan) [MB Docket No. 02-74, RM-10401] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3065. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Dulac, Louisiana) [MB Docket No. 04-329, RM-11050]; (King City, California) [MB Docket No. 04-332, RM-11054]; (Fallon Station, Nevada) [MB Docket No. 04-333, RM-11055]; (Coachella, California) [MB Docket No. 04-334, RM11056]; (Cambria, California) [MB Docket No. 04-335, RM-11057]; (Carbon, Texas) [MB Docket No. 04-336, RM-11058]; (Northport, Alabama) [MB Docket No. 04-337, RM-11059] Received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3066. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Evergreen, Alabama, and Shalimar, Florida) [MB Docket No. 04-219, RM-10986] received April 6, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3067. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Cedarville, California) [MB Docket No. 04-387, RM-11083] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3068. A letter from the Deputy Chief, CGB, Federal Communications Commission, trans-

mitting the Commission's final rule — Rules and Regulations Implementing Minimum Customer Account Record Exchange Obligations on All Local and Interchange Carriers [CG Docket No. 02-386] received May 24, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3069. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Ammon and Dubois, Idaho) [MB Docket No. 04-427, RM-11127, RM-11239] received June 20, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3070. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Crystal Falls, Michigan) [MB Docket No. 04-370, RM-11081]; (Laona, Wisconsin) [MB Docket No. 04-371, RM-11082]; (Blythe, California) [MB Docket No. 04-388, RM-11089]; (Celoron, New York) [MB Docket No. 04-390, RM-11091]; (Wells, Texas) [MB Docket No. 04-391, RM-11092] received June 20, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3071. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Jackson and Charlotte, Michigan) [MB Docket No. 05-35, RM-11134] received June 20, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3072. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (McCook, Maxwell, and Broken Bow, Nebraska) [MB Docket No. 04-203, RM-10976] received June 20, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3073. A letter from the Chief, Policy and Rules Division, OET, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Parts 2, 25, and 73 of the Commission's Rules to Implement Decisions from the World Radiocommunication Conference (Geneva, 2003) (WRC-03) Concerning Frequency Bands Between 5900 kHz and 27.5 GHz and to Otherwise Update the Rules in this Frequency Range [ET Docket No. 04-139] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3074. A letter from the Deputy Chief, CGB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Rules and Regulations Implementing Minimum Customer Account Record Exchange Obligations on All Local and Interchange Carriers [CG Docket No. 02-386] received May 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3075. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Rule Concerning Disclosures Regarding Energy Consumption and Water Use of Certain Home Appliances and Other Products Required Under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act ("Appliance Labeling Rule") — received June 20, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3076. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Australia (Transmittal No. DTC 004-05), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

3077. A letter from the Assistant Legal Advisor 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.

3078. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting proposals of legislation prepared through the joint effort of the Department of Defense and the Department of State; to the Committee on International Relations.

3079. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting reports pursuant to the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War on Terror, and Tsunami Relief, 2005, Public Law 109-13; to the Committee on International Relations.

3080. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to Section 804 of the PLO Commitments Compliance Act of 1989 (title VIII, Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY 1990 and 1991 (Pub. L. 101-246)), and Sections 603-604 (Middle East Peace Commitments Act of 2002) and 699 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY 2003 (Pub. L. 107-228); to the Committee on International Relations.

3081. A letter from the President, United States Institute of Peace, transmitting a report on the findings of the Task Force on the United Nations entitled, "American Interests and UN Reform," pursuant to Public Law 108-447; to the Committee on International Relations.

3082. A letter from the Chair, CPB Board of Directors, Corporation of Public Broadcasting, transmitting the semiannual report of the Office of the Inspector General for the period ending March 31, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

3083. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Department of Commerce, transmitting a draft bill entitled "To Continue the Secretary of Commerce's Authority to Conduct the Quarterly Financial Report Program"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3084. A letter from the Director, Office of White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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3089. A letter from the General Counsel, OFHEO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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3122. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 2004, through March 31, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

3123. A letter from the CEO & Managing Director, Federal Home Loan Banks, transmitting the 2004 management reports and statements on system of internal controls of 9 Federal Home Loan Banks (FHLBanks), Resolution Funding Corporation (REFCORP) and the Financing Corporation (FICO), pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3124. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Smithsonian Institution, transmitting a copy of the Institution's audited financial statement for fiscal year 2004; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3125. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting a report entitled, "Report on Acquisitions Made from Foreign Manufacturers for Fiscal Year 2004"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3126. A letter from the Librarian, Library of Congress, transmitting a report on the design and construction progress on the National Audio-Visual Conservation Center in Culpeper, Virginia; to the Committee on House Administration.

3127. A letter from the Director, Executive Secretariat, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Deposit of Proceeds from Lands Withdrawn for Native Selection (RIN: 1076-AE74) received July 23, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3128. A letter from the Program Manager, ATF, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Identification Markings Placed on Imported Explosive Materials and Miscellaneous Amendments (2000R-238P)[Docket No. ATF 5F; AG Order No. 2766-2005] (RIN: 1140-AA02) received June 1, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3129. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Clarification of the Exemption of Sales by Retail Distributors of Pseudoephedrine and Phenylpropanolamine Products [Docket No. DEA-239T] received June 30, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3130. A letter from the Under Secretary for Emergency Preparedness and Response, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting notification that funding under Title V, subsection 503(b)(3) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, has exceeded \$5 million for the response to the emergency declared as a result of the record and/or near record snow on January 22-23, 2005, in the State of Rhode Island, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5193; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3131. A letter from the Under Secretary for Emergency Preparedness and Response, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting notification that funding under Title V, subsection 503(b)(3) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, has exceeded \$5 million for the response to the emergency declared as a result of the record and/or near record snow on January 22-23, 2005, in the State of Connecticut, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5193; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3132. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Considerations on the Flightdeck of Transport Category Airplanes [Docket Nos. 2002-11302; 2002-12504, and 2003-15653] (RIN: 2120-AI54, -AH70, -and AH96) received May 18, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3133. A letter from the FHWA Regulations Officer, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Environmental Impact and Related Procedures (RIN: 2132-AA78) Received May 13, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3134. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's third report on the Drinking Water Infrastructure Needs Survey and Assessment for 2003; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3135. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting an informational copy of the General Services Administration's Fiscal Year 2006 Capital Investment and Leasing Program report, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2213(b); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3136. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting informational copies of prospectuses that support the General Services Administration's Fiscal Year 2006 Program; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3137. A letter from the Executive Vice President, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting a copy of the Authority's statistical summary for Fiscal Year 2004, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 831h(a); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3138. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a semi-annual report concerning emigration laws and policies of Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Moldova, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan, as required by Sections 402 and 409 of the 1974 Trade Act, as amended, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(c) and (d); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3139. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Branch, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Tariff Treatment Related to Disassembly Operations Under the North American Free Trade Agreement [CBP Dec. 05-24] (RIN: 1505-AB41) received June 27, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3140. A letter from the Chairman and Vice Chairman, U.S.-China Commission, transmitting a copy of the Trade Lawyers Advisory Group's report entitled, "The Importance of Trade Remedies to the U.S. Trade Relationship with China"; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3141. A letter from the Deputy Secretary Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Veterans Affairs Department of Defense, transmitting a report for Fiscal Year 2004 regarding the activities and accomplishments of the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense Joint Executive Committee, pursuant to Public Law 108-136 section 583; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Veterans' Affairs.

3142. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's report on the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board's recommendation 2004-2, Active Confinement Systems, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 2286d(e); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Armed Services.

3143. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on the appropriateness of a Demonstration project to test the feasibility of using Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) networks to reduce the costs of acquiring eyeglasses for Medicare beneficiaries following cataract surgery, pursuant to Public Law 108-173 section 645(b); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

3144. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled, "A Study on How to Make Prescription Pharmaceutical Information, Including Drug Labels and Usage Instructions, Accessible for Blind and Visually Impaired Individuals" pursuant to section 107(f) of the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003, Pub. L. 108-173; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

3145. A letter from the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting the Quarterly Report pursuant to Section 3001(i) of Title III of the 2004 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Defense and for the Reconstruction of Iraq and Afghanistan (Pub. L. 108-106) as amended by Pub. L. 108-375; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

3146. A letter from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's proposed legislation entitled, "To authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for science, aeronautics and exploration; space flight capabilities; and Inspector General, and for other purposes"; jointly to the Committees on Science, Government Reform, and Small Business.

3147. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a proposed bill entitled, "To amend and enhance certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes"; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, Transportation and Infrastructure, Government Reform, 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. NEY: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 513. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to clarify when organizations described in section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 must register as political committees, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-181). 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 were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. COBLE):

H.R. 3402. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Department of Justice for fiscal years 2006 through 2009, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ISTOOK (for himself, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. RYUN of Kansas):

H.R. 3403. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to provide for inflation adjustments to the mandatory jurisdiction thresholds of the National Labor Relations Board; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 3404. A bill to authorize the grant program for elimination of the nationwide backlog in analyses of DNA samples at the level necessary to completely eliminate the backlog and obtain a DNA sample from every person convicted of a qualifying offense; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BONILLA (for himself, Ms. HERSETH, Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. WATERS, Mr. POMBO, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. OTTER, Mrs. DRAKE, Mr. BOYD, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, and Mr. MCKEON):

H.R. 3405. A bill to prohibit the provision of Federal economic development assistance for

any State or locality that uses the power of eminent domain power to obtain property for private commercial development or that fails to pay relocation costs to persons displaced by use of the power of eminent domain for economic development purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Financial Services, Resources, and Education and the Workforce, 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. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. DINGELL, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 3406. A bill to protect United States workers from competition of foreign workforces for performance of Federal and State contracts; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. EMANUEL (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. CARSON, Ms. SCHWARTZ of Pennsylvania, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. OWENS):

H.R. 3407. A bill to provide grants to States and local governments to assess the effectiveness of sexual predator electronic monitoring programs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOODLATTE (for himself and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota):

H.R. 3408. A bill to reauthorize the Livestock Mandatory Reporting Act of 1999 and to amend the swine reporting provisions of that Act; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. HOSTETTLER (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CANNON, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. PENCE, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey):

H.R. 3409. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the withholding of income and social security taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOSTETTLER (for himself, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. PENCE, Ms. FOXX, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. BUYER):

H.R. 3410. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a religious exemption from providing identifying numbers for dependents to claim certain credits and deductions on a tax return; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MALONEY (for herself, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 3411. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a program of research regarding the risks posed by the presence of dioxin, synthetic fibers, and other additives in feminine hygiene products, and to establish a program for the collection and analysis of data on toxic shock syndrome; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. NEY (for himself, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. CANTOR):

H.R. 3412. A bill to authorize and request the President to issue a posthumous commission in the regular Army to Milton Holland, who, while sergeant major of the 5th Regiment, United States Colored Infantry, was awarded the Medal of Honor for gallantry during the Civil War; to the Committee on Armed Services.