

Policy Act of 2005; to the Committee on Science.

8772. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's report on Cost and Performance Goals for the Office of Fossil Energy Coal-Based Technologies as required by Section 962 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005; to the Committee on Science.

8773. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's legislative proposals submitted with the Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2007 and 2008, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1110; jointly to the Committees on Financial Services and the Judiciary.

8774. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CMS, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Identification of Backward Compatible Version of Adopted Standard for E-Prescribing and the Medicare Prescription Drug Program (Version 8.1) [CMS-0018-IFC] (RIN: 0938-A042) received June 22, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

8775. A letter from the Regulatory Officer, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Land Uses; Special Uses; Recovery of Costs for Processing Special Use Applications and Monitoring Compliance With Special Use Authorizations (RIN: 0596-AB36) received April 21, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Resources and Agriculture.

8776. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CMS, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Revision of the Deadline for Submission of Emergency Graduate Medical Education Affiliation Agreements [CMS-1531-F] (RIN: 0938-A035) received July 6, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

#### 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. YOUNG of Alaska. Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. S. 362. An act to establish a program within the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the United States Coast Guard to help identify, determine sources of, assess, reduce, and prevent marine debris and its adverse impacts on the marine environment and navigation safety, in coordination with non-Federal entities, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-332 Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee on the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 5013. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to prohibit the confiscation of firearms during certain national emergencies (Rept. 109-596). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCKEON. Committee of Conference. Conference report on S. 250. An act to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act of 1998 to improve the Act (Rept. 109-597). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah. Committee on Rules. House Resolution 946. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (S. 250) to amend the

Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act of 1998 to improve the Act (Rept. 109-598). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah. Committee on Rules. House Resolution 947. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5682) to exempt from certain requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 a proposed nuclear agreement for cooperation with India (Rept. 109-599). 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. CARNAHAN:

H.R. 5874. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to suspend the application of any provision of Federal law under which any person is given relief from any requirement to pay royalty for production oil or natural gas from Federal lands (including submerged lands), for production occurring in any period in which the market price of production exceeds certain prices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Resources, and Science, 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. WOOLSEY (for herself, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. LEE, Ms. WATERS, Mr. OWENS, Ms. WATSON, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. STARK, Mr. FILNER, Ms. CARSON, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WU, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 5875. A bill to repeal the Authorization for Use of Military Force Against Iraq Resolution of 2002 (Public Law 107-243); to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. MICA:

H.R. 5876. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, relating to nonallowable airport development project costs; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. ACKERMAN):

H.R. 5877. A bill to amend the Iran and Libya Sanctions Act of 1996 to extend the authorities provided in such Act until September 29, 2006; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Ways and Means, and Government Reform, 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. CUMMINGS (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. WYNN, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. RUSH, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. BOYD, Mr. ROSS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. BACA, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. LEE, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. FARR, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. CLEAVER):

H.R. 5878. A bill to establish a 2-year pilot program to develop a curriculum at historically Black colleges and universities, Tribal colleges and universities, and Hispanic-serving institutions to foster entrepreneurship and business development in underserved minority communities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Small Business, 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. BERRY:

H.R. 5879. A bill to terminate the limitations on imports of ammonium nitrate from the Russian Federation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BERRY:

H.R. 5880. A bill to suspend the anti-dumping duty orders on imports of solid urea from Russia and Ukraine; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MARSHALL:

H.R. 5881. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to eliminate the offset between military retired pay and veterans service-connected disability compensation for certain retired members of the Armed Forces who have a service-connected disability, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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. PALLONE:

H.R. 5882. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to increase the minimum Federal medical assistance percentage under the Medicaid Program for States to 53 percent; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania

(for himself, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Ms. HART, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Ms. SCHWARTZ of Pennsylvania, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DENT, Mr. PITTS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. MURPHY, and Mr. PLATTS):

H.R. 5883. A bill to establish a commission to assist in commemoration of the sesquicentennial of the discovery of oil at Drake Well near Titusville, Pennsylvania, on August 27, 1859, and the resulting development of the American petroleum industry; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. RAMSTAD:

H.R. 5884. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to extend the date for making a gift tax qualified terminable interest property election; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SIMMONS (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 5885. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain segments of the Eightmile River in the State of Connecticut as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. STARK (for himself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Ms. CARSON, Mrs.

CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. NORTON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LEE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Ms. SOLIS):

H.R. 5886. A bill to amend the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for a AmeriCare that assures the provision of health insurance coverage to all residents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, 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 Mr. WELDON of Florida (for himself and Mrs. MALONEY):

H.R. 5887. A bill to improve vaccine safety research, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico:

H.R. 5888. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to ensure that an individual may file an orphan petition for at least 2 years after approval of an advanced processing application; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CARNAHAN (for himself and Mr. LEACH):

H. Con. Res. 453. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the need for the United States to address global climate change through the negotiation of fair and effective international commitments; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. KING of Iowa:

H. Res. 942. A resolution recognizing the centennial anniversary on August 5, 2006, of the Iranian constitution of 1906; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. KNOLLENBERG:

H. Res. 943. A resolution recognizing Robert Bosch Corporation and its 100 years of commitment and leadership in the United States manufacturing industry; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. POE (for himself, Mr. COSTA, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. HOLDEN, and Ms. HART):

H. Res. 944. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Domestic Violence Awareness Month and expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Congress should raise awareness of domestic violence in the United States and its devastating effects on families and communities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WATSON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. HALL):

H. Res. 945. A resolution expressing deep concern at the ongoing violence in the Middle East, and particularly the current hostilities between the State of Israel and Hezbollah which have intensified since July 12, 2006; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi (for himself, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. GORDON, Mr. WICKER, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mr. JINDAL):

H. Res. 948. A resolution recognizing the dedication of the employees at the National

Aeronautics and Space Administration's Stennis Space Center who, during and after Hurricane Katrina's assault on Mississippi, provided shelter and medical care to storm evacuees and logistical support for storm recovery efforts, while effectively maintaining critical facilities at the Center; to the Committee on Science.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 23: Mr. FERGUSON and Mrs. BONO.  
 H.R. 354: Mr. MURPHY.  
 H.R. 414: Mr. CLYBURN and Mr. SANDERS.  
 H.R. 415: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CHANDLER, and Mr. WYNN.  
 H.R. 450: Mr. PAYNE.  
 H.R. 503: Mr. CAMPBELL of California.  
 H.R. 517: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois and Mr. STUPAK.  
 H.R. 676: Ms. NORTON, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.  
 H.R. 864: Mr. HOYER.  
 H.R. 896: Mr. ROSS.  
 H.R. 959: Mr. ROGERS of Michigan and Mr. PLATTS.  
 H.R. 1002: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.  
 H.R. 1264: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. WHITFIELD.  
 H.R. 1376: Mr. MATHESON and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 1380: Mr. GORDON.  
 H.R. 1384: Mr. BEAUPREZ and Mr. ORTIZ.  
 H.R. 1548: Mr. DOYLE.  
 H.R. 1658: Mr. RAHALL.  
 H.R. 1898: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. DENT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. ISSA.  
 H.R. 2034: Mr. BOOZMAN.  
 H.R. 2239: Mr. CARDIN and Mr. WELLER.  
 H.R. 2421: Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, and Mr. PUTNAM.  
 H.R. 2429: Mr. SALAZAR.  
 H.R. 2808: Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Mr. DICKS, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. CARSON, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PENCE, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. OWENS, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. SOLIS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. BASS, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. FILNER, Mr. NADLER, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. SPRATT, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. KIND, Mr. BACA, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. OBEY, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. WEINER, Mr. BARROW, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. PEARCE.  
 H.R. 2835: Ms. ZOE LOFGREEN of California.  
 H.R. 3019: Mr. CHOCOLA.  
 H.R. 3055: Mr. MEEHAN and Mr. WYNN.  
 H.R. 3185: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.  
 H.R. 3186: Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia and Mr. CANTOR.  
 H.R. 3195: Ms. WATERS, Mr. CLEAVER, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. TERRY.  
 H.R. 3248: Mr. BURGESS.  
 H.R. 3361: Mrs. LOWEY.  
 H.R. 3476: Mr. BOUSTANY.  
 H.R. 3547: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.  
 H.R. 3762: Mr. SHERMAN.  
 H.R. 3795: Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky.  
 H.R. 3854: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.  
 H.R. 3882: Mr. KING of Iowa.  
 H.R. 4005: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.  
 H.R. 4113: Mr. STEARNS.  
 H.R. 4202: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin.  
 H.R. 4212: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 4341: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.  
 H.R. 4434: Mr. CONYERS.  
 H.R. 4562: Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. KELLER, Mrs. DRAKE, Mr. PETRI, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. KLINE, Mr. WICKER, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mr. BECERRA.  
 H.R. 4727: Mr. RAHALL.  
 H.R. 4747: Mr. REHBERG.  
 H.R. 4873: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. GERLACH, and Mr. EMANUEL.  
 H.R. 4901: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. WU, Ms. ZOE LOFGREEN of California, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. REYES, Ms. LEE, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mr. FARR.  
 H.R. 4903: Ms. WOOLSEY and Mr. LANTOS.  
 H.R. 4922: Mr. GONZALEZ and Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota.  
 H.R. 4953: Mr. KUCINICH.  
 H.R. 4981: Mr. DENT and Mr. MCCOTTER.  
 H.R. 4987: Mr. SAXTON.  
 H.R. 5005: Mr. WICKER, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. PITTS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.  
 H.R. 5013: Mr. MURTHA, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. PITTS.  
 H.R. 5023: Mr. McDERMOTT.  
 H.R. 5091: Mr. GRIJALVA.  
 H.R. 5092: Mr. JINDAL, Mr. BAKER, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. WICKER, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. PITTS.  
 H.R. 5134: Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. GRAVES, and Ms. BORDALLO.  
 H.R. 5166: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.  
 H.R. 5173: Mr. COBLE.  
 H.R. 5177: Mr. SESSIONS.  
 H.R. 5201: Mr. JINDAL.  
 H.R. 5238: Mr. WEINER.  
 H.R. 5249: Mr. STUPAK and Mr. KLINE.  
 H.R. 5280: Mrs. BONO, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. HALL.  
 H.R. 5291: Mr. PUTNAM.  
 H.R. 5304: Mrs. SCHMIDT.  
 H.R. 5329: Mr. BILBRAY.  
 H.R. 5344: Ms. MATSUI.  
 H.R. 5348: Mr. PALLONE and Mr. McDERMOTT.  
 H.R. 5369: Mr. SOUDER.  
 H.R. 5388: Mrs. LOWEY.  
 H.R. 5452: Mr. HAYWORTH and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.  
 H.R. 5465: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mrs. MYRICK.  
 H.R. 5496: Mr. HOLT.  
 H.R. 5500: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin.  
 H.R. 5513: Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.  
 H.R. 5519: Mr. BOOZMAN and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 5550: Mr. McDERMOTT.  
 H.R. 5552: Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WALSH, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. MICA, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. CASE, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WAMP, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. WESTMORELAND.  
 H.R. 5562: Mr. FOSSELLA and Mr. GONZALEZ.  
 H.R. 5575: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.  
 H.R. 5624: Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia.  
 H.R. 5674: Mr. CARDIN and Mrs. JONES of Ohio.  
 H.R. 5680: Ms. WATERS.  
 H.R. 5688: Mr. McDERMOTT.  
 H.R. 5735: Ms. WATERS.  
 H.R. 5752: Mr. BOOZMAN.  
 H.R. 5755: Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. REICHERT, and Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin.  
 H.R. 5767: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. KLINE, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Mr. KING of Iowa.