

6868. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, Transmittal No. 08-61 concerning the Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to Australia for defense articles and services; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6869. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting the quarterly reports in accordance with Sections 36(a) and 26(b) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6870. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the application for a license for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of technical data, defense services and defense articles to the Government of Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 061-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6871. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of application of a license for the export of defense articles and services to the Government of Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 047-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6872. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of an application of a license for the export of defense articles and services to the Governments of Russia, Ukraine, and Norway (Transmittal No. DDTC 037-06); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6873. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the export of defense articles and services to the Government of the United Kingdom (Transmittal No. DDTC 021-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6874. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed agreement for the export of defense articles to the Government of Georgia (Transmittal No. DDTC 047-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6875. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed agreement for the export of defense articles and services to the Governments of Russia and Kazakhstan (Transmittal No. DDTC 034-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6876. A letter from the Director, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule — Political Activity — Federal Employees Residing in Designated Localities (RIN: 3206-AL32) received May 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

6877. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule — Absence and Leave; Annual Leave for Senior-Level Employees (RIN: 3206-AL49) received April 8, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

6878. A letter from the Chief, Division of Migratory Bird Management, Department of

the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Authorizations Under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act for Take of Eagles [[FWS-R9-MB-2008-0057][91200-1231-9BPP-L2]] (RIN: 1018-AV11) received May 22, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

6879. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting amendments to the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure that have been adopted by the Supreme Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2074; (H. Doc. No. —118); to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

6880. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting amendments to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure that have been adopted by the Supreme Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2075; (H. Doc. No. —119); to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

6881. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting amendments to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure that have been adopted by the Supreme Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2072; (H. Doc. No. —117); to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

6882. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance Program Period of Eligibility for Eligible Children and Other Miscellaneous Issues (RIN: 2900-AL44) received May 27, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

6883. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Changes for Long-Term Care Hospitals Required by Certain Provisions of the Medicare, Medicaid, SCHIP, Extension Act of 2007: 3-Year Moratorium on the Establishment of New Long-Term Care Hospitals and Long-Term Care Hospital Satellite Facilities and Increases in Beds in Existing Long-Term Care Hospitals and Long-Term Care Hospital Satellite Facilities; and 3-Year Delay in the Application of Certain Payment Adjustments [CMS-0938-1FC2] (RIN: 0938-AP33) received May 21, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6884. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 26 CFR 601.602: Tax forms and instructions. (Also: Part 1, 1, 223.) (Rev. Proc. 2008-29) received May 20, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6885. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 26 CFR 1.482-1: Allocation of income and deductions among taxpayers (Rev. Proc. 2008-31) received May 23, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6886. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report concerning the extension of waiver authority for Turkmenistan, pursuant to Public Law 93-618, Subsection 402(d)(1) and 409; (H. Doc. No. —116); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

6887. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Medicare Part D Claims Data [CMS-4119-F] (RIN: 0938-AO58) received May 22, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

6888. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Provider Reimbursement Determinations and Appeals [CMS-1727-F] (RIN: 0938-AL54) received May 21, 2008, 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:

[Filed on May 22, 2008]

Mr. BERMAN: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 6028. A bill to authorize law enforcement and security assistance, and assistance to enhance the rule of law and strengthen civilian institutions, for Mexico and the countries of Central America, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-673 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

[Filed on June 3, 2008]

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 5599. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 4600 Silver Hill Road in Suitland, Maryland, as the "Thomas Jefferson Census Bureau Headquarters Building" (Rept. 110-674). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 311. Resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby (Rept. 110-675). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 335. Resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for a celebration of the 100th anniversary of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated (Rept. 110-676). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. ARCURI: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1233. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5540) to amend the Chesapeake Bay Initiative Act of 1998 to provide for the continuing authorization of the Chesapeake Bay Gateways and Watertrails Network (Rept. 110-677). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. SUTTON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1234. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3021) to direct the Secretary of Education to make grants and low-interest loans to local educational agencies for the construction, modernization, or repair of public kindergarten, elementary, and secondary educational facilities, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-678). 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:

[The following action occurred on May 22, 2008]

H.R. 6028. Referral to the Committee on the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than June 6, 2008.

[The following action occurred on May 30, 2008]

H.R. 5577. Referral to the Committee on Energy and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than July 11, 2008.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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