H.R. 3771: Mr. LEVY, Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER, Ms. FURSE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. FILNER, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.

H.R. 3820: Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. WHITTEN, and Mr. McCollum.

H.R. 3827: Ms. LOWEY, and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3906: Mr. BROWN of Ohio.

H.J. Res. 129: Mr. REGULA.

H. Res. 365: Mr. FAWELL, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. SCHAEFER.

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1994 (15)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER at 10:30 o'clock a.m. when pursuant to the order of the House of Friday, February 11, 1994, Members were recognized for 'morning hour'' debates.

After debate,

¶15.1 RECESS—10:37 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GREEN, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 10 o'clock and 37 minutes a.m., until 12 o'clock noon.

¶15.2 AFTER RECESS—12:00 NOON

The SPEAKER called the House to order.

¶15.3 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, February 28, 1994.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶15.4 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

2649. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving United States exports to the Philippines, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

2650. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–186, "The Nuclear Disarmament and Economic Conversion Constitutional Amendment Proposal Act of 1992," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2651. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-188, "Dedication of Land in Square 5338, S.O. 86-24, Act of 1994", pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2652. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–189, Cable Television Communications Act of 1981 Amendment Act of 1994,'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2653. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-190, "Patient Counseling Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2654. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-191, "Insurance Omnibus Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2655. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a

copy of D.C. Act 10–192, "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 86, S.O. 92–84, Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2656. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–194, "Motor Vehicle Biennial Inspection Amendment Act of 1993," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2657. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-195, "St. Martins Catholic Church Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2658. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-196, "Vestry of the Brookland Parish of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Washington, D.C. Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2659. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-197, "United House of Prayer Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2660. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–198, "Property Conveyancing Revision Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2661. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–199, "Cherubim and Seraphim Church Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2662. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-200, "Star of Bethlehem Church Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2663. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10–201, "Health Care Provider Costs Reimbursement Commitment Temporary Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2664. A letter from the Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled, "Review of Various Opportunities That Allow Customers to Receive Water and Sewer Services at a Reduced Rate," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47–117(d); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

2665. A letter from the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting a letter expressing the strong opposition of the Immigration and Naturalization Service [INS] to the amendment to H.R. 6, which have been proposed by Congressman DANA ROHRABACHER; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

2666. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification of the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance [LOA] to United Arab Emirates for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 94–17), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2667. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting memorandum of justification for Presidential determination regarding the draw down of Department of the Treasury funds to support sanctions enforcement efforts against Serbia-Montenegro, pursuant to Public Law 101–513, section 547(a) (104 Stat. 2019); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2668. A letter from the Executive Director, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1993, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

2669. A letter from the Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, transmitting the Commission's report on issues affecting health care delivery in the United States, pursuant to Public Law 101– 508, section 4002(g)(1)(B) (104 Stat. 1388–36); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2670. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report on extension of certain Medicare municipal health services demonstration projects, pursuant to Public Law 101-239, section 6135 (103 Stat. 2222); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

¶15.5 NOTICE REQUIREMENT—

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION— QUESTION OF PRIVILEGES

Mr. ISTOOK, pursuant to and in accordance with the order of the House of February 23, 1994, announced his intention to call up on Wednesday, March 2, 1994, a resolution of the same subject as, but in a different form than, the resolution (H. Res. 238) calling on the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct to conduct an investigation into activity at the House Post Office to determine whether House rules were broken or whether public funds were embezzled by Members; and,

By unanimous consent, the alternate form was ordered printed in the Congressional Record.

¶15.6 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, for today and balance of the week; and

To Mr. WASHINGTON, for today and balance of the week.

And then,

¶15.7 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. SWETT, at 2 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶15.8 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BAKER of California (for him-

self, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. LEVY): H.R. 3923. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax credits to businesses with employees performing services in their residences or in telecommuting centers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CARR:

H.R. 3924. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide enhanced sentences to repeat violent offenders; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CLYBURN:

H.R. 3925. A bill to authorize and request a posthumous commission in the Army for Johnson Chesnut Whittaker; to the Committee on Armed Services.