

§57.27 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS  
DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. HOYER, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, June 8, 1994, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

§57.28 NOTICE REQUIREMENT—  
CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION—  
H. RES. 436

Mr. KLUG, pursuant to rule IX, announced his intention to call up the following resolution (H. Res. 436) on Wednesday, June 8, 1994, or Thursday, June 9, 1994, as a question of the privileges of the House:

Whereas allegations reported in public and made in official Department of Justice court documents that personnel of the House Post Office provided illegal cash to certain Members in three ways: (1) cash instead of stamps for official vouchers, (2) cash for postage stamps which had earlier been purchased with official vouchers, and (3) cash for campaign checks;

Whereas the Department of Justice has secured admissions of criminal guilt regarding past activities in the House Post Office;

Whereas multiple concerns and allegations of possible wrongdoing by House employees, a House officer, and Members had been raised within the report of the House Administration Committee Task Force to Investigate the Operation and Management of the House Post Office;

Whereas all these allegations directly affect the rights of the House collectively, its safety, dignity, and the integrity of its proceedings, and the rights, reputation, and conduct of its Members;

Whereas Article I, Section 5, of the Constitution gives each House of Congress responsibility over disorderly behavior of its Members; and

Whereas the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct has jurisdiction over the conduct and behavior of current House Members, officers, and employees, including investigatory authority, and is the appropriate body of this House to conduct any inquiry; Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct is instructed to immediately investigate any alleged violation, by any Member, officer, or employee of the House, of the Code of Official Conduct or of any law, rule, regulation, or other standard of conduct that is related to activities, described by or referred to in, documents that it received on July 22, 1992, from the Committee on House Administration pertaining to the House Administration Committee Task Force to Investigate the Operation and Management of the House Post Office investigation. Not later than 60 days after this resolution is agreed to and periodically thereafter, the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall report to the House the status of this investigation. Not later than September 30, 1994, the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall report to the House its findings of fact and recommendations on possible disciplinary actions.

§57.29 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO  
TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLMENTS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. FINGERHUT, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
May 26, 1994.

I hereby designate the Honorable STENY H. HOYER to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through June 8, 1994.

THOMAS S. FOLEY,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

By unanimous consent, the designation was accepted.

§57.30 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1030. An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the Department of Veterans Affairs program of sexual trauma services for veterans, to improve certain Department of Veterans Affairs programs for women veterans, to extend the period of entitlement to inpatient care for veterans exposed to Agent Orange or ionizing radiation, to establish a hospice care pilot program, to establish a rural health care clinics program, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide per diem payments and construction grants to State homes for adult day health care services, to establish an education debt reduction program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

§57.31 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 965. An Act to provide for toy safety and for other purposes.

H.R. 1632. An Act to amend title II, District of Columbia Code, and part C of title IV of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Government Reorganization Act to remove gender-specific references.

H.R. 3863. An Act to designate the Post Office building located at 401 E. South Street in Jackson, Mississippi, as the "Medgar Wiley Evers Post Office."

§57.32 SENATE ENROLLED BILL AND  
JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill and a joint resolution of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 1654. An Act to make certain technical corrections.

S.J. Res. 179. Joint resolution to designate the week of June 12 through 19, 1994, as "National Men's Health Week."

§57.33 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. CLEMENT, for today after 12 noon;

To Mr. COX of California, for today; and

To Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, for today after 3 p.m.

And then,

§57.34 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 70, at 7 o'clock and 44 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday June 8, 1994.

§57.35 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. BEVILL: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4506. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-533). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HOYER: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4539. A bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-534). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

§57.36 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. JACOBS:

H.R. 4501. A bill to designate the Federal building and U.S. courthouse located at 46 East Ohio Street in Indianapolis, IN, as the "Holder-Noland Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. GONZALEZ (for himself, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. HINCHEY):

H.R. 4502. A bill to include additional exchange rate policy information in reports required to be made by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Secretary of the Treasury to the Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. GONZALEZ (for himself, Mr. LEACH, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. KENNEDY):

H.R. 4503. A bill to enhance the supervision and regulation of derivatives activities of financial institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. STUDDS (for himself and Mr. MANTON):

H.R. 4504. A bill to amend the Atlantic Striped Bass Conservation Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. HUGHES:

H.R. 4505. A bill to amend title 35 United States Code, to establish a 20-year patent term from the date of filing and to establish a domestic priority system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BEVILL:

H.R. 4506. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes.

By Mr. ACKERMAN:

H.R. 4507. A bill to require in certain circumstances that States disclose the HIV status of newborn infants to legal guardians of the infants, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BRYANT:

H.R. 4508. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Legal Services Corporation and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. CAMP, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HERGER, Mr. JACOBS, and Mr. QUILLEN):