

relating to contract support costs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. DICKEY (for himself and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma):

H. Con. Res. 296. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the necessity to expedite the settlement process for discrimination claims against the Department of Agriculture brought by African-American farmers; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

300. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, relative to H.P. 1838 Joint Resolution memorializing the President of the United States, the Congress of the United States and the Secretary of Energy to release from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve for sale to critically affected regions; to the Committee on Commerce.

301. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Alabama, relative to House Resolution 139 memorializing the United State Senate to ratify the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women; to the Committee on International Relations.

302. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Alabama, relative to House Resolution No. 130 memorializing the United States Senate to ratify the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women, and to support the convention's continuing goals; to the Committee on International Relations.

303. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of West Virginia, relative to Senate Resolution No. 4 memorializing the United States Congress to adopt legislation establishing loan guarantee programs or other mechanisms for the delivery of local television satellite signals to markets not receiving local television satellite signals; jointly to the Committees on Commerce, Agriculture, and the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

- H.R. 8: Mrs. MORELLA and Mr. MCHUGH.
- H.R. 49: Ms. DUNN.
- H.R. 72: Mr. GOODE.
- H.R. 73: Mrs. EMERSON.
- H.R. 303: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
- H.R. 371: Mr. NADLER.
- H.R. 443: Mr. COYNE.
- H.R. 488: Mr. TIERNEY.
- H.R. 531: Mr. TOOMEY and Mr. BARR of Georgia.
- H.R. 538: Mr. GORDON.
- H.R. 701: Mr. SWEENEY.
- H.R. 793: Mr. HALL of Texas.
- H.R. 828: Mr. BUYER.
- H.R. 864: Mr. COBLE and Mr. DEMINT.
- H.R. 979: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BAIRD, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
- H.R. 1041: Mr. CONDIT, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BUYER, and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi.

- H.R. 1109: Mr. RANGEL.
- H.R. 1182: Mr. SAXTON.
- H.R. 1187: Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. BACA, Mr. DEMINT, and Ms. NORTON.
- H.R. 1227: Mr. FATTAH.
- H.R. 1228: Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. ORTIZ, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.
- H.R. 1247: Mr. ENGEL.
- H.R. 1294: Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. HERGER.
- H.R. 1322: Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. DIXON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. PITTS, Mr. MICA, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, and Mr. TOWNS.
- H.R. 1388: Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.
- H.R. 1413: Ms. CARSON and Ms. STABENOW.
- H.R. 1414: Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 1432: Mr. QUINN.
- H.R. 1472: Mr. LOBIONDO.
- H.R. 1577: Mr. GOODE.
- H.R. 1728: Mr. REYES, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. GOODE.
- H.R. 1824: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.
- H.R. 1898: Ms. BERKLEY.
- H.R. 2119: Mr. MARKEY.
- H.R. 2120: Mr. LEVIN.
- H.R. 2221: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
- H.R. 2267: Ms. LEE.
- H.R. 2282: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
- H.R. 2382: Mr. CALVERT.
- H.R. 2573: Mr. MARKEY.
- H.R. 2660: Mr. SIMPSON.
- H.R. 2697: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 2720: Mr. DEUTSCH and Mr. KLINK.
- H.R. 2733: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania and Mr. EHLERS.
- H.R. 2892: Ms. DEGETTE.
- H.R. 2919: Mr. OXLEY.
- H.R. 3003: Mr. BALLENGER.
- H.R. 3195: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. ENGEL, and Ms. MCKINNEY.
- H.R. 3235: Ms. WOOLSEY and Mr. PAYNE.
- H.R. 3249: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. DEUTSCH.
- H.R. 3295: Mr. EVANS and Mr. MEEKS of New York.
- H.R. 3308: Mr. DEFAZIO.
- H.R. 3313: Mrs. MORELLA.
- H.R. 3514: Mr. LEVIN.
- H.R. 3561: Mr. STARK.
- H.R. 3575: Mr. PORTER.
- H.R. 3593: Mr. FROST and Mrs. THURMAN.
- H.R. 3634: Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. PASTOR.
- H.R. 3671: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SHUSTER, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Mr. CHAMBLISS.
- H.R. 3682: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
- H.R. 3700: Mr. OWENS, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. CLYBURN.
- H.R. 3710: Mr. LEVIN and Mr. MCGOVERN.
- H.R. 3842: Mr. UPTON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. GOODE, and Ms. BALDWIN.
- H.R. 3850: Mr. MORAN of Kansas.
- H.R. 3872: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. PAUL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. BUYER.
- H.R. 3873: Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. CONYERS.
- H.R. 3880: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. OWENS, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mr. ROGERS.
- H.R. 3905: Ms. DUNN and Mr. JEFFERSON.
- H.R. 3910: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. DICKEY.
- H.R. 3916: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island and Mr. FOSSELLA.
- H.R. 4017: Mr. CAMPBELL.
- H.R. 4033: Mr. RANGEL, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. MICA, Mr. GORDON, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. GILLMOR.
- H.R. 4040: Mr. GILMAN.
- H.R. 4055: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. BURR of

North Carolina, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. WALSH, Mr. TERRY, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. HAYWORTH, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 4067: Mr. BEREUTER.  
H.R. 4082: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. WATKINS, and Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 4094: Mr. SAWYER, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. VENTO, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. WYNN, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 4112: Mr. BARR of Georgia.  
H.R. 4122: Mr. THOMPSON of California and Mr. STRICKLAND.

H. Con. Res. 115: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.  
H. Con. Res. 252: Mr. DAVIS of Florida and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H. Con. Res. 259: Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.  
H. Con. Res. 262: Mr. BAKER and Mr. OSE.

H. Con. Res. 293: Mr. PICKERING and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H. Res. 163: Mr. HOLT, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. CARSON, and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H. Res. 213: Mr. RANGEL.  
H. Res. 238: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania and Mr. EHLERS.

H. Res. 420: Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. PACKARD.

H. Res. 437: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H. Res. 452: Mr. HALL of Ohio.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

- H.R. 701: Mr. STEARNS and Mr. DREIER.
- H.R. 3660: Mr. TANNER.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

79. The SPEAKER presented a petition of Luis F. Crespo High School Camuy, Puerto Rico, relative to a Resolution petitioning the President of the United States and Congress to withdraw the US Navy from the Island of Vieques, return the lands occupied by the US Navy to the people of Vieques, to condemn the murder of David Sanes and total indemnity for the damages caused by military occupation; to the Committee on Armed Services.

80. Also, a petition of Mr. Gregory D. Watson of Austin, Texas, relative to a Resolution petitioning Congress to direct the Congressional Research Service division of the Library of Congress to conduct an exhaustive inventory of the legislative records of all 50 states—dating back to the beginning of statehood in each individual state—in order to ascertain all applications (and rescissions of applications), pursuant to Article V of the United States Constitution, made by the legislatures thereof, for conventions to propose, subject to ratification, amendments to the Federal Constitution; and to publish the results of such comprehensive inventory; to the Committee on House Administration.

81. Also, a petition of Colorado Water Conservation Board, Department of Natural Resources Denver, Colorado, relative to a Resolution petitioning the President of the