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By Mr. DENT (for himself, Mr. HAYS, Mr. WARE, Mr. FRENZEL, Mr. JONES of Tennessee, and Mr. DICKINSON):

H.R. 16817. A bill to guarantee the constitutional right to vote and to provide uniform procedures for absentee voting in Federal elections in the case of citizens who are residing or domiciled outside the United States; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. DOWNING:

H.R. 16818. A bill to provide for protection of franchised dealers in petroleum products; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. EDWARDS of Alabama:

H.R. 16819. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study with respect to the feasibility of establishing the Bartram Trail as a national scenic trail; to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. ESCH:

H.R. 16820. A bill to encourage on-the-scene emergency care aboard aircraft by relieving physicians from civil liability for damages resulting from any act or omission in rendering such care; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FROELICH:

H.R. 16821. A bill to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to deal with discriminatory and unfair competitive practices in international air transportation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

H.R. 16822. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to increase minimum benefits, to improve benefits computation, to liberalize widow's and widower's benefits, to liberalize disability benefits, to repeal the earnings test, to provide an optional exemption from coverage for persons over 65, and to improve financing; to amend title XVIII of such act to expand coverage under the medicare program; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FUQUA:

H.R. 16823. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to increase the exemption for purposes of the Federal estate tax, to increase the estate tax marital deduction, and to provide an alternate method of valuing certain real property for estate tax purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GOLDWATER:

H.R. 16824. A bill to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to permit aliens holding permanent residence visas to register aircraft in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. GREEN of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 16825. A bill to amend title 38 of the United States Code so as to entitle veterans of the Mexican border period and of World War I and their widows and children to pension on the same basis as veterans of the Spanish-American War and their widows and children, respectively, and to increase pension rates; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. HECKLER of Massachusetts:

H.R. 16826. A bill to provide additional fiscal assistance to local governments and to extend revenue sharing for local governmental units for 2 additional years; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HELSTOSKI:

H.R. 16827. A bill to require gasoline and gasoline pumps to be color coded with respect to the octane rating of gasoline dispensed by such pumps in a manner prescribed by Federal Trade Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

H.R. 16828. A bill to amend title 39, United States Code, to prohibit the mailing of unsolicited commercial mail to persons filing a statement with the Postal Service indicating

they do not desire to receive such mail; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. KYROS (for himself, Mr. SIKES, Mr. YATRON, Mr. CLEVELAND, and Mr. COTTER):

H.R. 16829. A bill to provide for the establishment of a national advisory commission to develop a national plan for the control of epilepsy and its consequences; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. LONG of Maryland:

H.R. 16830. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to provide individuals a limited exclusion from gross income for interest on deposits in certain savings institutions; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LUKEN:

H.R. 16831. A bill to designate the birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr., as a legal public holiday; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LUKEN (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of New Jersey, Mr. ROSENTHAL, Mr. ASPIN, Mr. RONCALLO of New York, Mr. OWENS, Mr. GUDE, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. TRAXLER, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. HELSTOSKI, Mr. ADABBO, Mr. KOCH, Mr. HARRINGTON, Mr. YATES, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. BOLAND, Mr. ROSE, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. MORGAN, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. EILBERG, and Mr. CAREY of New York):

H.R. 16832. A bill to amend title XVI of the Social Security Act to require that the value of maintenance and support furnished an individual by a nonprofit retirement home be excluded from income for the purpose of determining eligibility for supplemental security income benefits under such act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MARAZITI:

H.R. 16833. A bill to prohibit any increase in the price of certain consumer commodities by any retailer once a price is placed on any such commodity by such retailer and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mrs. MINK:

H.R. 16834. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the legal custody requirement and the requirement of residence and physical presence in the United States for the naturalization of children adopted by U.S. citizens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MIZELL:

H.R. 16835. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act so as to remove the limitation upon the amount of outside income which an individual may earn while receiving benefits thereunder; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MURPHY of New York:

H.R. 16836. A bill to amend title 49 of the United States Code to protect airline ticket agents from liability for the usage of stolen airline tickets; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

H.R. 16837. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide that certain television broadcasting stations must include foreign language subtitles in programs of local origin; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. MURTHA:

H.R. 16838. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to provide income tax simplifications, reform, and relief for small business; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. O'BRIEN:

H.R. 16839. A bill to amend section 5724a(a) of title 5, United States Code, to provide that real estate expenses incurred by a Government employee transferred to a new official station shall be subject to reimbursement to the extent that such expenses were incurred not more than 2 years after such transfer; to the Committee on Government Operations.

By Mr. PATMAN:

H.R. 16840. A bill to exclude from gross income the first \$1,000 of interest on deposits in savings institutions; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. QUIE:

H.R. 16841. A bill to provide for the development of a long-range plan to advance the national attack on arthritis and related musculoskeletal diseases and for arthritis training and demonstration centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. ROE (for himself, Mr. BAUMAN, Mr. BURKE of Florida, Mr. GIBBONS, Miss JORDAN, Mr. KETCHUM, Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Mr. LEHMAN, Mr. MEEDS, and Mr. REID):

H.R. 16842. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide assistance for programs for the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of, and research in, Huntington's disease; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. SEBELIUS:

H.R. 16843. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, and other related provisions of law, to increase safety on the Nation's highways; to the Committee on Public Works.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 16844. A bill to establish an Executive Department to be known as the Department of Education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Operations.

By Mr. STEELE:

H.R. 16845. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to increase the investment credit for certain public utility property and to make certain changes in the method of computing earnings and profits for certain public utilities; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STRATTON:

H.R. 16846. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 with respect to certain charitable contributions; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SYMINGTON:

H.R. 16847. A bill to improve agricultural yields in the production of soybeans through the establishment of a Soybean Research Institute jointly supported by the United States and the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. WYMAN:

H.R. 16848. A bill to establish a National Foreign Investment Control Commission to prohibit or restrict foreign ownership control or management control, through direct purchase, in whole or part; from acquiring securities of certain domestic issuers of securities; from acquiring certain domestic issuers of securities, by merger, tender offer, or any other means; control of certain domestic corporations or industries, real estate, or other natural resources deemed to be vital to the economic security and national defense of the United States; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. BINGHAM:

H.R. 16849. A bill to prohibit the introduction, or manufacture for introduction, into interstate commerce of tear gas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. ROBERT W. DANIEL, JR.:

H.R. 16850. A bill to restore the value of the dollar and restrain inflation by providing for a Federal budget in which expenditures do not exceed revenues; to the Committee on Government Operations.

By Mr. DU PONT:

H.R. 16851. A bill to authorize the Federal Energy Administration to allocate scarce supplies of natural gas; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

H.R. 16852. A bill to designate the Federal office building located in Dover, Del., as the "J. Allen Frear Building"; to the Committee on Public Works.