

things we are working on in appropriations. We need to limit spending so that we can balance the budget.

#### ELIMINATING THE DEFICIT AND CREATING NEW JOBS

(Mr. DERRICK asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DERRICK. Mr. Speaker, when Bill Clinton is elected President in November, the new Commander in Chief's No. 1 priority will be to eliminate the deficit and to create new jobs. The Congress should work with President Clinton to achieve this goal.

For fiscal year 1992, the deficit will soar to \$333.5 billion. The deficit has sapped the United States of its competitiveness. It has robbed our children and restricted their opportunities. The creation of jobs will fuel the economy to make Americans less dependent on Government spending.

The job of deficit reduction and economic expansion, however, will not be accomplished without leadership from the President and the Congress.

The American people will be making choices. Do we want to move ahead or to stand still?

Do we want the recession to continue or do we want an expanded economy and new jobs?

Mr. Speaker, the Bush administration has stifled our economic growth and it has handcuffed job creation.

The Clinton administration will not make the same mistake.

#### URGING MEMBERS TO SHARE IN CELEBRATION HONORING AMERICA'S OLYMPIANS

(Mr. HEFLEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. HEFLEY. Mr. Speaker, just last month we were glued to our TV to watch our Olympic athletes in action. The summer games in Barcelona and the winter games in Albertville were terrific. To celebrate the U.S. excellent performance, the Olympic Committee is holding its second annual Olympic dinner tomorrow night at the Washington Hilton Hotel. Members of this House and the Senate have been invited as honored guests. This is an important evening for our athletes. I know they would appreciate it if the Members could take a few minutes, come to the dinner, and help them celebrate their achievements.

I know the schedule is busy and there is much to be done. We are all anxious to finish up business and head home, but I would encourage everyone to take a part of tomorrow evening to attend the dinner, let our athletes know how much we appreciate their hard work and dedication. They made America proud.

#### THE ADMINISTRATION ROADBLOCKS ANTICRIME BILLS

(Mr. SCHUMER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. Speaker, every poll in America shows that the American people are fed up with the gridlock between the President and Congress, but the President just *does* not get it. There he went again yesterday on the crime issue. It was as if he had not been in Washington for the last few years.

There is a tough crime bill on the floor of the Senate, a bill that would go a long way to reducing the crime that Americans throughout America fear. The President ignores it.

On autojacking, the President again does not even pay attention to what is going on. We have a tough bill, a bill I wrote, that will hit the floor of the House this week. The bill is supported by all law enforcement, it is supported by the AAA, the Automobile Club of America, and by just about every group that has looked at it, consumer groups. It is opposed by the big three auto companies.

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And where is the President on this issue? Nowhere. He goes to St. Louis and talks about a totally inane proposal that will not help us move the auto theft bill, a bill that the gentleman from Wisconsin, Mr. JIM SENBRENNER, and I are sponsoring.

Where is the President on my auto theft bill? He is behind the roadblock, that is where he is.

#### HEALTH FREEDOM ACT

(Mr. RICHARDSON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. RICHARDSON. Mr. Speaker, recently I introduced the Health Freedom Act, a companion piece of legislation to that of Senator HATCH in the Senate.

This legislation simply states that there are alternative health care styles that involve dietary supplements, herbs, vitamins.

Unfortunately, the FDA and the drug companies want to corner the market on knowledge and what is positive health care for the American people. Many Americans practice alternative health care, using dietary supplements, herbs, and vitamins, and unfortunately the drug companies and the FDA have taken after many of these new emerging industries that are new, that are clean, that have been proven effective, and that right now simply want the ability and chance to compete.

Mr. Speaker, there is no stronger grassroots movement for alternative health care, preventive, positive, than the Health Freedom Act, and I urge all my colleagues to take a look at this piece of legislation as we look at

health care in the 1990's and national health care legislation.

#### PERMISSION FOR EACH SUBCOMMITTEE OF COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS TO SIT DURING 5-MINUTE RULE ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1992

Mr. THORNTON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that each subcommittee of the Committee on Government Operations be permitted to sit during proceedings under the 5-minute rule on Wednesday, September 30, 1992.

This request has been cleared with the minority.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. MONTGOMERY). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Arkansas?

There was no objection.

#### PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS TO SIT DURING 5-MINUTE RULE ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1992

Mr. THORNTON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Government Operations be permitted to sit during proceedings under the 5-minute rule on Thursday, October 1, 1992.

This request has also been cleared with the minority.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Arkansas?

There was no objection.

#### CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 3508, HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION EXTENSION AMENDMENTS OF 1992

Mr. RICHARDSON submitted the following conference report and statement on the bill (H.R. 3508) to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend certain programs relating to the education of individuals as health professionals, and for other purposes:

##### CONFERENCE REPORT (H. REPT. 102-925)

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3508) to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend certain programs relating to the education of individuals as health professionals, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate amendment, insert the following:

##### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the "Health Professions Education Extension Amendments of 1992".

(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.