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NOTES: Chart reflects initial House consideration of all legislation, regardless of legislative form. “Other” category is made up of one measure passed under the “automatic procedures” of House Rule XXVII as adopted in the 111th Congress, a rule commonly called the “Gephardt Rule.” The GOP 112th House dropped the Gephardt procedure from the chamber’s rulebook. Figure represents initial House consideration.

FIGURE 4.2 Procedures Used to Bring Measures to the House Floor