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House of Representatives

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. FITZPATRICK).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
September 2, 2011.

I hereby appoint the Honorable MIKE FITZPATRICK to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Patrick Riffle, St. Peter's Catholic Church, Washington, DC, offered the following prayer:

God our Father, You guide everything in wisdom and love. "You are good and forgiving, full of love to all who call upon You" (Psalm 86:5). We now praise You for that love and rejoice in Your abundant blessings. You call us today to grow in the knowledge of that love and invite us to receive Your blessings.

Accept the prayers we offer for our Nation, protect it and keep it ever in Your sight. Fill this House of Representatives with Your holy wisdom. Strengthen these Representatives and their staffs as they labor for what is good and just. May true harmony and justice be secured for all and may there be lasting prospering and peace.

We ask this in Your most holy name. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5 of House Resolution 375, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4 of House Resolution 375, no legislative business will be conducted on this day.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to sections 3 and 4 of House Resolution 375, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2011.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 6, 2011, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2884. A letter from the Secretary to the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Removing Any Reference to or Reliance on Credit Ratings in Commission Regulations; Proposing Alternatives to the Use of Credit Ratings (RIN: 3038-AD11) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2885. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Process for Review of Swaps for Mandatory Clearing (RIN: 3038-AD00) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2886. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's "Major" final rule — Swap Data Repositories: Registration Standards, Duties, and Core Principles (RIN: 3038-AD20) received August 24, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2887. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's "Major" final rule — Final Rules for Implementing the Whistleblower Provisions of Section 23 of the Commodity Exchange Act (RIN: 3038-AD04) received August 24, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2888. A letter from the Secretary, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Provisions Common to Registered Entities (RIN: 3038-AD07) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2889. A letter from the Regulatory Analyst, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Export Inspection and Weighting Waiver for High Quality Specialty Grain Transported in Containers (RIN: 0580-AB18) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2890. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2891. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] [Internal Agency Docket No.: FEMA-B-1201] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2892. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] [Internal Agency Docket

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No.: FEMA-8189] received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2893. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2894. A letter from the Deputy to the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Certain Orderly Liquidation Authority Provisions Under Title II of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2895. A letter from the Deputy to the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Interest on Deposits; Deposit Insurance Coverage (RIN: 3064-AD78) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2896. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment to Rule Filing Requirements for Dually-Registered Clearing Agencies [Release No. 34-64832; File No. S7-29-11] (RIN: 3235-AL18) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2897. A letter from the Chief, Planning and Regulatory Affairs Branch, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Cooperation in USDA Studies and Evaluations, and Full Use of Federal Funds in Nutrition Assistance Programs Nondiscretionary Provisions of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, Public Law 111-296 [FNS-2011-0031] (RIN: 0584-AE20) received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2898. A letter from the Employee Benefits Security Administration, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule — Requirements for Fee Disclosure to Plan Fiduciaries and Participants — Applicability Dates (RIN: 1210-AB08) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2899. A letter from the Deputy Director for Policy, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Disclosure to Participants (RIN: 1212-AB12) received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2900. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Safety Standards for Toddler Beds (RIN: 3041-AC79) July 20, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2901. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Residential Furnaces and Residential Central Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps [Docket No.: EERE-2011-BT-STD-0011] (RIN: 1904-AC06) received August 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2902. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Food Additives Permitted for Direct Addition to

Food for Human Consumption; Hydroxypropyl Cellulose [Docket No.: FDA-2010-F-0103] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2903. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Group Health Plans and Health Insurance Issuers to Coverage of Preventive Services under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (RIN: 0938-AQ07) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2904. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Make Inoperative Exemptions; Vehicle Modifications To Accommodate People With Disabilities, Side Impact Protection [Docket No.: NHTSA-2011-0079] (RIN: 2127-AK77) received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2905. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's "Major" final rule — Greenhouse Gas Emissions Standards and Fuel Efficiency Standards for Medium- and Heavy-Duty Engines and Vehicles [EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-0162; NHTSA-2010-0079; FRL-9455-1] (RIN: 2060-AP61; RIN 2127-AK74) received August 18, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2906. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Parts 73 and 74 of the Commission's Rules to Establish Rules for Digital Low Power Television, Television Translator, and Television Booster Stations and to Amend Rules for Digital Class A Television Stations [MB Docket No. 03-185] received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2907. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Transmission Planning and Cost Allocation by Transmission Owning and Operation Public Utilities [Docket No.: RM10-23-000; Order No. 1000] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2908. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Policy Statement of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission on the Protection of Cesium-137 Chloride Sources Notice of Meeting received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2909. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Qualification of Connection Assemblies for Nuclear Power Plants [Regulatory Guide 1.156] received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2910. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries in the Western Pacific; Mechanism for Specifying Annual Catch Limits and Accountability Measures [Docket No.: 100803320-1319-03] (RIN: 0648-AY93) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2911. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic

Zone Off Alaska; Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Rationalization Program [Docket No.: 0910301387-1315-02] (RIN: 0648-AY33) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2912. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Rationalization Program; Amendment 37 [Docket No.: 100723308-1315-02] (RIN: 0648-BA11) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2913. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Recreational Management Measures for the Summer Flounder, Scup, and Black Sea Bass Fisheries; 2011 Scup Specifications; Fishing Year 2011 [Docket No.: 110222150-1280-02] (RIN: 0648-BA92) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2914. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries Off West Coast States; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Biennial Specifications and Management Measures; Inseason Adjustments [Docket No.: 100804324-11265-02] (RIN: 0648-BB21) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2915. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Atlantic Highly Migratory Species; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna Quotas and Atlantic Tuna Fisheries Management Measures [Docket No.: 110210132-1275-02] (RIN: 0648-BA65) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2916. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Ocean Perch in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XA542) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2917. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Northern Rockfish and Pelagic Self Rockfish for Trawl Catcher Vessels Participating in the Entry Level Rockfish Fishery in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XA546) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2918. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Ocean Perch for Catcher Vessels Participating in the Rockfish Entry Level Trawl Fishery in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XA543) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2919. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Deep-Water Species Fishery by Catcher Vessels in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XA536) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2920. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Shallow-Water Species Fishery by Catcher/Processors in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XA539) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2921. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish Fisheries; Closure of the Directed Butterfish Fishery [Docket No.: 100804323-0569-02] (RIN: 0648-XA523) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2922. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries Off West Coast States; Coastal Pelagic Species Fisheries; Closure [Docket No.: 0912281446-0111-02] (RIN: 0648-XA554) received August 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2923. A letter from the Rules Administrator, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Psychiatric Evaluation and Treatment [BOP-1088-F] (RIN: 1120-AB20) received August 8, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2924. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Truman-Hobbs alteration of the Elgin Joliet & Eastern Railroad Drawbridge; Illinois River, Morris, Illinois [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0584] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2925. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations; Detroit APBA Gold Cup, Detroit River, Detroit, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0614] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2926. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Central Astoria Independence Celebration Fireworks Event, Wards Island, NY [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0475] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2927. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Lake Gaston, Enterprise NC [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0277] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2928. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Kathleen Whelan Wedding Fireworks, Lake St. Clair, Grosse Pointe Farms, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0573] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2929. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations; Port Huron to Mackinac Island Sail Race [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0648] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2930. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations for Marine Events, Bogue Sound; Morehead City, North Carolina [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0306] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2931. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulated Navigation Area; Chelsea Street Bridge Construction, Chelsea, MA [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0536] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2932. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zones; Swimming Events in Captain of the Port Boston Zone [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0533] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2933. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations & Safety Zones; Marine Events in Captain of the Port Long Island Sound Zone [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0550] (RIN: 1625-AA08; 1625-AA00) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2934. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30790; Amdt. No. 3432] received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2935. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30791; Amdt. No. 3433] received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2936. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Dassault Aviation Model FALCON 7X Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0477; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-108-AD; Amendment 39-16735; AD 2011-12-51] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2937. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, trans-

mitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A318, A319, A320, and A321 Series Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0573; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-082-AD; Amendment 39-16734; AD 2011-13-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2938. A letter from the Chairman, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulations Governing Fees for Services [EP 542 (Sub-No. 18)] received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2939. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Lycoming Engines (Type certificate previously held by Textron Lycoming) and Teledyne Continental Motors (TCM) Turbocharged Reciprocating Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0126; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-03-AD; Amendment 39-16726; AD 2011-13-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2940. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc RB211-Trent 500 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0445; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-14-AD; Amendment 39-16727; AD 2011-13-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2941. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30788; Amdt. No. 3430] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2942. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30789; Amdt. No. 3431] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2943. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's "Major" final rule — Claims for Patent and Copyright Infringement [Notice 11-070] (RIN: 2700-AD63) received August 9, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

2944. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Life Insurance Gross Income (Rev. Rul. 2011-15) received July 26, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2945. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Hospice Wage Index for Fiscal Year 2012 (RIN: 0938-AQ31) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

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:

[The following action occurred on September 2, 2011]

Mr. ROGERS of Michigan: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. H.R. 1892. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2012 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-197). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CAMP (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. BRADY of Texas, and Mr. MCDERMOTT):

H.R. 2832. A bill to extend the Generalized System of Preferences, and for other purposes.

By Mr. QUAYLE:

H.R. 2833. A bill to repeal the rule requiring employers to post notices relating to the National Labor Relations Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BENISHEK (for himself, Mr. BOREN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, and Mr. KELLY):

H.R. 2834. A bill to recognize the heritage of recreational fishing, hunting, and shooting on Federal public lands and ensure continued opportunities for these activities.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. CLAY, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. BASS of California, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. CLARKE of Michigan, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. LEE, Mr. LUJÁN, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. MATSUI, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. NADLER, Mr. NEAL, Mr. REYES, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. RUSH, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SIRES, Mr. STARK, Mr. TONKO, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. WELCH, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 2835: A bill to establish a joint select committee of Congress to report findings and propose legislation to restore the Nation's workforce to full employment over the period of fiscal years 2012 and 2013, and to provide for expedited consideration of such legislation by both the House of Representatives and the Senate.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. CLAY, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 2836. A bill to amend the Budget Control Act of 2011 to require the joint select

committee of Congress to report findings and propose legislation to restore the Nation's workforce to full employment over the period of fiscal years 2012 and 2013.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. CLAY, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, and Mr. TOWNS):

H.R. 2837. A bill to amend the Budget Control Act of 2011 to require the joint select committee of Congress to report findings and propose legislation to restore the Nation's workforce to full employment over the period of fiscal years 2012 and 2013.

By Mr. LOBIONDO (for himself and Mr. MICA):

H.R. 2838. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal years 2012 through 2015, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LOBIONDO (for himself and Mr. MICA):

H.R. 2839. A bill to suppress the threat of piracy on the high seas, and for other purposes.

By Mr. LOBIONDO (for himself, Mr. MICA, and Mr. GIBBS):

H.R. 2840. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to regulate discharges from commercial vessels, and for other purposes.

By Mr. WOMACK:

H.R. 2841. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to approve waivers under the Medicaid Program under title XIX of the Social Security Act that are related to State provider taxes that exempt certain retirement communities.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. CAMP:

H.R. 2832.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1—The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. QUAYLE:

H.R. 2833.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill makes specific changes to existing law in a manner that returns power to the States and to the People, in accordance with Amendment X of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BENISHEK:

H.R. 2834.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2.

The Congress shall have Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or of any particular State.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 2835.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 2836.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 2837.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. LOBIONDO:

H.R. 2838.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. LOBIONDO:

H.R. 2839.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. LOBIONDO:

H.R. 2840.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. WOMACK:

H.R. 2841.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18—To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 415: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 890: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 894: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 1289: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 1351: Mr. BOREN, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. MARINO, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. DENT, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 1513: Ms. HAHN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. HIMES, and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.

H.R. 1558: Mrs. SCHMIDT.

H.R. 1738: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.

H.R. 1774: Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey.

H.R. 1845: Mr. PAULSEN and Ms. ESHOO.

H.R. 1860: Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California and Mr. BACA.

H.R. 1968: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 2106: Mr. SESSIONS and Mr. WESTMORELAND.

H.R. 2127: Mr. POLIS.

H.R. 2447: Mr. MCCOTTER and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 2537: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 2581: Mr. BROOKS.

H.R. 2698: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 2796: Mr. MCCOTTER and Mr. GOSAR.

H.R. 2829: Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. WOODALL.

H. Con. Res. 72: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. REYES, Mr. COHEN, and Mr. RUSH.

H. Res. 137: Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. COHEN, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. PEARCE.