

I did also take a trip just up the street to Bethesda, Maryland to meet with Dr. Anthony Fauci to talk with him about a vaccine development. There are some remarkable things that are going on as far as vaccine development.

I guess one of the important aspects of bird flu is we are going to develop more capacity for delivering more vaccine for just the regular flu as a consequence for the preparedness that is happening with getting ready for the possibility of a worldwide pandemic.

This may not be the one. Avian flu may sputter out and never be the pandemic that everyone fears. But the fact remains that almost for every century that anyone has kept track, about three pandemics per hundred years do occur. We did indeed have three during the last century, and even a relatively mild pandemic of the Hong Kong flu still claimed 50,000 lives in this country. So it is a matter of no small importance.

Additionally, we have got to be certain that, just like the nursing home in Louisiana that left their disaster preparedness plan on the shelf with the shrink wrap still on it, we have got to be certain that we take those plans down and we talk to our local first responders, our local health departments. And I had such a roundtable just last week in my district, very well received by the folks at the health department, by the administrators in all three hospitals in one of my counties. I wish we had a little more participation of the medical staff, but we did have some and I did at least receive an invitation to talk at one of their medical staff meetings.

But the key for us here in Congress is when faced with whether it be the avian flu, terrorist attack, another hurricane, we have got to be honest. No spin, no sugar-coating, no BS. And, above all, we have to communicate with our constituents and with our first responders back at home.

One other thing that I want to talk about as time runs short here is, and I mentioned this earlier, about a bill that is out there to reduce or restructure the number of mandates that are on health insurance. Again, Aetna Life and Casualty might look at 46 million uninsured individuals as potential market share if they only had a product that they could sell.

Now, in our Committee on Energy and Commerce we had a debate on a bill that would reduce significantly the number of State mandates on insurance policies in the individual market. This wasn't even discussed in the group health insurance market, but just the individual market. It was a pretty contentious debate and there wasn't a lot of agreement across both sides of the aisle, and that is unfortunate, because when the American people watch what this body does, they are really not interested in the tennis match or volleyball match that goes on from one side or the other. They want results.

They want more affordable health care, health insurance. They want Aetna Life and Casualty to be able to look at that 46 million uninsured as a potential market share.

Well, what if we could get together across the aisle and discuss what is that basic package of benefits that we would like to see available in a health insurance policy, one that could be sold on the Internet from State to State. It seems like an almost impossible task, or at least it seemed almost impossible that night when we were debating this bill in the Energy and Commerce Committee. But the fact is we have already done that work. I say "we." I wasn't here 30 or 40 years ago when the federally qualified health center statutes were first written. But in fact, in that statute in law is identified a basic package of benefits that has to be offered at every federally qualified health center.

Well, we have already agreed then in principle what that basic package of information is. Now, the information may be 30 or 40 years old, but perhaps we could sit down and decide which of those things we could eliminate because they are no longer necessary, which of those things we would have to add because we have learned some stuff since then, and then go to our private insurers and say, here is a basic package of benefits that, if you will abide by these rules and make certain people know what they are buying, that there is full disclosure about what is covered and what is not covered in these insurance policies, that you can then market this to the uninsured. And then give individuals who are unemployed a voucher or a pre-fundable tax credit to purchase that insurance. Or give that family that is of a low-wage earner, give them some additional health, buy down that premium.

These are the types of concepts that, really, the American people are anxious to see us work on, and I for one would really welcome the day that we could do that.

Just one last brief thing about the Medicare part D, the Medicare prescription drug program that actually started the first of this year. At the end of the enrollment period, well over 38 million people had prescription drug coverage under Medicare. This was the population, the Medicare population that was the largest population that didn't have access to a prescription drug plan if their employer or retiree insurance did not offer it.

This is a tremendous benefit. We will and do hear a lot of discussion about people who are caught in the so-called gap coverage. But remember, there are plans out there that if a person is willing to consider a generic compound, there are plenty of plans that cover in the gap; and in my home State of Texas, there was at least one insurance company that would cover both brand and generic in the gap.

So I would encourage people who have looked at the difficulty they are

having with the so-called donut hole, when they re-up on their insurance plan, their prescription drug plan in November in that open enrollment period, look at one of those plans that will provide for coverage in the gap.

Madam Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. CULBERSON (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today after 2:30 p.m. on account of illness.

Mr. KELLER (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of personal reasons.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. BUTTERFIELD) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. MCDERMOTT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. EMANUEL, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. KIND, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SHERMAN, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. SOUDER) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. POE, for 5 minutes, September 19 and 20.

Mr. WAMP, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes, today and September 14.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. BURGESS. Madam Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 58 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, September 14, 2006, at 9 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

9321. A letter from the Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Joint Final Rules: Application of the Definition of Narrow-Based Security Index to Debt Securities Indexes and Security Futures on Debt Securities [Release No. 34-54106; File No. S7-07-06] (RIN: 3235-AJ54) received August 9, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9322. A letter from the Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Foreign Futures and Options Transactions — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9323. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Review Group, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Cooperative Marketing Associations (RIN: 0560-AH42) received August 15, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9324. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Review Group, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Guaranteed Loans — Retaining PLP Status and Payment of Interest Accrued During Bankruptcy and Redemption Rights Periods (RIN: 0560-AH07) received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9325. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Blueberry Promotion, Research, and Information Order; Amendment No. 2 To Change the Name of the U.S.A. Cultivated Blueberry Council and Increase Membership [Doc. No. FV-03-701-FR] received August 29, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9326. A letter from the Administrator, Cotton Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — User Fees for 2006 Crop Cotton Classification Services to Growers [CN-06-001] (RIN: 0581-AC58) received August 29, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9327. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment to the Beet Promotion and Research Rules and Regulations — Final Rule [No. LS-01-06] received August 29, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9328. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Apricots Grown in Designated Counties in Washington; Temporary Relaxation of the Minimum Grade Requirement [Docket No. FV06-922-2 IFR] received August 29, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9329. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Importation of Tomatoes From Certain Central American Countries [Docket No. APHIS-2006-0009] received August 29, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9330. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Untreated Oranges, Tangerines, and Grapefruit From Mexico Transiting the United States to Foreign Countries [Docket No. 00-086-2] received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9331. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Agricultural Inspection and AQI User Fees Along the U.S./Canada Border [Docket No. APHIS 2006-0096] (RIN: 0579-AC06) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9332. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Mgmt. Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Listing of Color Additives Exempt From Certification; Mica-Based Pearlescent Pigments [Docket No. 1998C] received August 4, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9333. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental

Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Fenpuroximate; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0216; FRL-8087-6] received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9334. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Kresoxim-methyl; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0333; FRL-8088-1] received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9335. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Phosphorous Acid; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0561; FRL-8084-3] received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9336. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Quinoxifen; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0167; FRL-8088-8] received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9337. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule — Truth in Lending [Regulation Z; Docket No. R-1263] received August 16, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9338. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule — Electronic Fund Transfers [Regulation E; Docket No. R-1247] received September 5, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9339. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule — Electronic Fund Transfers [Regulation E; Docket No. R-1265] received September 5, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9340. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7937] received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9341. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9342. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9343. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7929] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9344. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7927] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9345. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — List of Communities Eligible for the Sale of Flood Insurance [Docket No. FEMA-7786] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9346. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-P-7652] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9347. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7931] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9348. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9349. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9350. A letter from the General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-D-7585] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9351. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Organization and Operations of Federal Credit Unions — received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9352. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Loan Interest Rates (RIN: 3133-AD26) received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

9353. A letter from the Chief, Program Analysis and Monitoring Branch, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — State Administrative Expense Funds (RIN: 0584-AD53) received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9354. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Demonstration Programs — Model Demonstrations for Assistive Technology Reutilization — received August 17, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9355. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Demonstration Programs — Model Demonstrations for Assistive Technology Reutilization — received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9356. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in

Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits — received August 3, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9357. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Duties of Plan Sponsor Following Mass Withdrawal (RIN: 1212-AA55) received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9358. A letter from the Attorney, Office of Assistant General Counsel for Legislation and Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Renewable Energy Production Incentives (RIN: 1904-AB62) received August 15, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9359. A letter from the Attorney, Office of Assistant General Counsel for Legislation and Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Supplemental Standards of Ethical Conduct for Employees of the Department of Energy and Residual Department Standards Regulation (RIN: 1990-AA19) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9360. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Mgmt. Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Cold, Cough, Allergy, Bronchodilator, and Antiasthmatic Drug Products for Over-the-Counter Human Use; Amendment of Monograph for OTC Nasal Decongestant Products [Docket No. 1976N-0052N] (RIN: 0910-AR34) received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9361. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Mgmt. Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medical Devices; Immunology and Microbiology Devices; Classification of Fecal Calprotectin Immunological Test Systems [Docket No. 2006N-0276] received August 14, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9362. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Montana; Revisions to the Administrative Rules of Montana [Docket No. EPA-R08-OAR-2004-MT-0001, FRL-8202-1] received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9363. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Telemarketing Sales Rule Fees (RIN: 3084-0098) received August 24, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9364. A letter from the Chief, Division of Policy and Directives Management, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revision of Federal Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (Duck Stamp) Contest Regulations (RIN: 1018-AU56) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9365. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Special Rule for the Southwest Alaska Distinct Population Segment of the Northern Sea Otter (RIN: 1018-AU21) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9366. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Reclassification of the Gila Trout (*Oncorhynchus gilae*) from Endangered to Threatened; Special Rule for Gila Trout in New Mexico and Arizona (RIN: 1018-AH57) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9367. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Migratory Bird Hunting; Early Seasons and Bag and Possession Limits for Certain Migratory Game Birds in the Continuous United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands (RIN: 1018-AU42) received September 5, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9368. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Subsistence Management Regulations for Public Lands in Alaska, Subpart A; Makhnati Island Area (RIN: 1018-AU70) received September 5, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9369. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Migratory Bird Hunting; Final Frameworks for Early-Season Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations (RIN: 1018-AU42) received September 5, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9370. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CMS, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicaid Program and State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) Payment Error Rate Measurement [CMS-6026-IFC2] (RIN: 0938-AN77) received August 31, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

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:

Mr. POMBO: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4893. A bill to amend section 20 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act to restrict off-reservation gaming; with an amendment (Rept. 109-650). Referred to the Committee of the whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BUYER: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 5835. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve information management within the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-651 Pt. 1). Order to be printed.

Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia. Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 1167. A bill to amend the Trust in Regulating Act to make permanent the pilot projects for the report on rules; with amendments (Rept. 109-652). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1002. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6061) to establish operational control over the international land and maritime borders of the United States (Rept. 109-653). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1003. Resolution providing for the

adoption of the resolution (H. Res. 1000) providing for earmarking reform in the House of Representatives (Rept. 109-654). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1000. Resolution providing for earmarking reform in the House of Representatives; with an amendment (Rept. 109-655). Referred to the House Calendar.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Government Reform discharged from further consideration. H.R. 5835 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 6060. A bill to authorize certain activities by the Department of State, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. KING of New York (for himself, Mr. DREIER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. TANGREDO, Mr. KLINE, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. PORTER, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. CHOCOLA, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. LINDER, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, and Mr. SOUDER):

H.R. 6061. A bill to establish operational control over the international land and maritime borders of the United States; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts (for himself and Mr. OXLEY):

H.R. 6062. A bill to enhance community development investments by financial institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. PICKERING (for himself, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mr. TANNER):

H.R. 6063. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of remote patient management services under part B of the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

By Mr. KIND (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BASS, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire, Mr. CASE, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. FARR, Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. HOLT, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LOBIONDO, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. MICHAUD, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. WALSH):

H.R. 6064. A bill to reauthorize Department of Agriculture conservation and energy programs and certain other programs of the Department, to modify the operation and administration of these programs, and for