

Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8155. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-473, "Street and Alley Closing and Acquisition Procedures Amendment Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8156. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-501, "Income Tax Secured Bond Authorization Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8157. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-500, "Center Leg Freeway (Interstate 395) Amendment Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8158. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-499, "Southwest Waterfront Bond Financing Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8159. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-498, "Youth Council of the District of Columbia Establishment Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8160. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 17-497, "Clean and Affordable Energy Act of 2008," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8161. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8162. A letter from the Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting the Commission's annual report for FY 2007 prepared in accordance with Section 203 of the Notification and Federal Employee Anti-discrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Public Law 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

8163. A letter from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a letter detailing the activities undertaken by the Department to expand training efforts, improve coordination across jurisdictions, and deploy technology to more effectively respond to the threat posed by sex offenders using the Internet and other technology to abuse and exploit children, pursuant to Public Law No. 109-248; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8164. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report entitled, "Rural Interstate Corridor Communications Study," pursuant to section 5507 of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8165. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Stemme GmbH & Co. KG Model S10-VT Powered Sailplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0598; Directorate Identifier 2008-CE-031-AD; Amendment 39-15543; AD 2008-11-20] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8166. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Cirrus Design Corporation Model SR20 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0284; Directorate Identifier 2008-CE-006-AD; Amendment 39-15541; AD 2008-11-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8167. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls Royce plc (RR) Trent 500 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. FAA-2007-27955; Directorate Identifier 2007-NE-15-AD; Amendment 39-15539; AD 2008-11-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8168. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc (RR) Models Trent 768-60, 772-60, 772B-60, and 772C-60 Turbofan Engines [Docket No. FAA-2008-0597; Directorate Identifier 2008-NE-12-AD; Amendment 39-15542; AD 2008-11-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8169. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2007-28598; Directorate Identifier 2007-NM-036-AD; Amendment 39-15529; AD 2008-11-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8170. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-10-10F, DC-10-30F (KC-10A and KDC-10), DC-10-40F, MD-10-10F, and MD-10-30F Airplanes; and Model MD-11 and MD-11F Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2007-28748; Directorate Identifier 2007-NM-115-AD; Amendment 39-15537; AD 2008-11-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8171. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model 717-200 Airplanes; Model DC-9-10 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-20 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-30 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-40 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-50 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-81 (MD-81), DC-9-82 (MD-82), DC-9-83 (MD-83), and DC-9-87 (MD-87) Airplanes; Model MD-88 Airplanes; and Model MD-90-30 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0032; Directorate Identifier 2007-NM-314-AD; Amendment 39-15538; AD 2008-11-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8172. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F.28 Mark 0070 and Mark 0100 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0231; Directorate Identifier 2007-NM-218-AD; Amendment 39-15534; AD 2008-11-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8173. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 and -300 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0544; Directorate Identifier 2008-NM-099-AD; Amendment 39-15535; AD 2008-10-51] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8174. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 777-200, -200LR, -300, and -300ER Series Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2007-28389; Directorate Identifier 2006-NM-171-AD; Amendment 39-15536; AD 2008-11-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8175. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-100, 747-100B, 747-200B, 747-200C, 747-200F, 747-300, 747SR, and 747SP Series Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2008-0554; Directorate Identifier 2008-NM-100-AD; Amendment 39-15522; AD 2008-10-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 19, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8176. A letter from the Chairman, Social Security Advisory Board, transmitting the Board's report of the 2007 Social Security Technical Panel on Assumptions and Methods; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8177. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting a letter opposing the bill H.R. 5983 the "Homeland Security Network Defense and Accountability Act of 2008"; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

8178. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting a letter opposing the bill H.R. 5531 "Next Generation Radiation Screening Act of 2008"; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

8179. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting a letter opposing the bills H.R. 3815, H.R. 4806, H.R. 6193, and H.R. 6098; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

8180. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting notification that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services fully implemented section 422 of the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (MMA); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

8181. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting a draft of a bill, "To amend the Elwha River Ecosystem and Fisheries Restoration Act to provide certain authorities for dam removal and mitigation activities, and for other purposes"; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Natural Resources.

8182. A letter from the Chairman, Medicare Payment Advisory Commission, transmitting a copy of the Commission's "June 2008 Report to the Congress: Reforming the Delivery System"; 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. WAXMAN: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Supplemental report on H.R. 6322. A bill to amend the District of Columbia School Reform Act of 1995 to permit the District of Columbia government to exercise authority over the Public

Charter School Board in the same manner as the District government may exercise authority over other entities of the District government (Rept. 110-782 Pt. 2).

Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 6608. A bill to provide for the replacement of lost income for employees of the House of Representatives who are members of a reserve component of the armed forces who are on active duty for a period of more than 30 days, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-832 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 6630. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Transportation from granting authority to a motor carrier domiciled in Mexico to operate beyond United States municipalities and commercial zones on the United States-Mexico border unless expressly authorized by Congress (Rept. 110-833). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. WELCH: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1419. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3667) to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate a segment of the Missisquoi and Trout Rivers in the State of Vermont for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System (Rept. 110-834). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. FRANK: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 6308. A bill to ensure uniform and accurate credit rating of municipal bonds and provide for a review of the municipal bond insurance industry; with an amendment (Rept. 110-835). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CONYERS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 4081. A bill to prevent tobacco smuggling, to ensure the collection of all tobacco taxes, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-836). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct discharged from further consideration. H.R. 6608 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 were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. NORTON (for herself and Mr. WAXMAN):

H.R. 6842. A bill to require the District of Columbia to revise its laws regarding the use and possession of firearms as necessary to comply with the requirements of the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of District of Columbia v. Heller, in a manner that protects the security interests of the Federal government and the people who work in, reside in, or visit the District of Columbia and does not undermine the efforts of law enforcement, homeland security, and military officials to protect the Nation's Capital from crime and terrorism; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. MAHONEY of Florida:

H.R. 6843. A bill to strengthen procedures regarding detention and removal of aliens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McHUGH (for himself, Mr. KUHLE of New York, and Mr. PAUL):

H.R. 6844. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to suspend the taxation of unemployment compensation for 2 years; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. ISSA, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. FEENEY):

H.R. 6845. A bill to amend title 17, United States Code, with respect to works connected to certain funding agreements; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. LEE (for herself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. FILNER, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. CARSON, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 6846. A bill to ensure that any agreement with Iraq containing a security commitment or arrangement is concluded as a treaty or is approved by Congress; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, and Rules, 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. DEAL of Georgia (for himself, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LINDER, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. BARROW, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Mr. BROUN of Georgia):

H.R. 6847. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 801 Industrial Boulevard in Ellijay, Georgia, as the "First Lieutenant Noah Harris Ellijay Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. RAMSTAD):

H.R. 6848. A bill to extend through April 1, 2009, the MinnesotaCare Medicaid demonstration project; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ETHERIDGE (for himself and Mr. MORAN of Kansas):

H.R. 6849. A bill to amend the commodity provisions of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to permit producers to aggregate base acres and reconstitute farms to avoid the prohibition on receiving direct payments, counter-cyclical payments, or average crop revenue election payments when the sum of the base acres of a farm is 10 acres or less, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. FORTENBERRY:

H.R. 6850. A bill to allow veterans to elect to use, with the approval of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, certain financial educational assistance to establish and operate certain business, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H.R. 6851. A bill to authorize assistance to facilitate trade with, reconstruction efforts, and economic recovery in the Republic of Georgia, which are necessitated by the destruction of critical infrastructure and disruption of domestic and regional commerce during the August 2008 war between Georgia and the Russian Federation; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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 Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 6852. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to improve Federal response efforts after a terrorist strike or other major disaster affecting homeland security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition

to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Education and Labor, 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. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 6853. A bill to establish in the Federal Bureau of Investigation the Nationwide Mortgage Fraud Task Force to address mortgage fraud in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHIMKUS (for himself and Mr. TANNER):

H. Con. Res. 409. Concurrent resolution supporting the awarding of a Membership Action Plan to the Republic of Georgia and Ukraine at the meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) Foreign Ministers in December 2008; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HOYER:

H. Res. 1420. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, Armed Services, Transportation and Infrastructure, Homeland Security, the Judiciary, and Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. JONES of North Carolina:

H. Res. 1421. A resolution solemnly commemorating the 25th anniversary of the tragic October 1983 terrorist bombing of the United States Marine Corps Barracks in Beirut, Lebanon and remembering those who lost their lives and those who were injured; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KANJORSKI:

H. Res. 1422. A resolution recognizing and promoting awareness of Chiari malformation and expressing support for designation of a "National Chiari Malformation Month"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 154: Mr. CLEAVER.
 H.R. 211: Mr. CARDOZA.
 H.R. 241: Mr. ADERHOLT.
 H.R. 549: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.
 H.R. 563: Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 743: Mr. SCALISE.
 H.R. 871: Ms. BORDALLO.
 H.R. 882: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Mr. SIRE.
 H.R. 1014: Mr. WALZ of Minnesota.
 H.R. 1023: Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.
 H.R. 1038: Mr. ROTHMAN.
 H.R. 1110: Ms. DELAURO.
 H.R. 1193: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 1280: Mr. LANGEVIN and Mr. CASTLE.
 H.R. 1283: Mr. MARCHANT and Mr. BAIRD.
 H.R. 1293: Mr. SHULER.
 H.R. 1380: Mr. LAHOOD.
 H.R. 1386: Mr. WELCH of Vermont.
 H.R. 1524: Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CARSON, and Mr. SARBANES.
 H.R. 1655: Mr. BOUCHER and Mr. BAIRD.
 H.R. 1671: Mr. MEEK of Florida, Ms. SCHWARTZ, and Mr. NADLER.
 H.R. 1742: Mr. JONES of North Carolina and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.
 H.R. 1755: Mr. CAPUANO.
 H.R. 1781: Mr. DONNELLY.