AK(9) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2595. A letter from the Acting Senior Procurement Executive, GSA, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Federal Acquisition Regulation; FAR Case 2008-028; Role of Interagency Committee on Delegation of Authority (FAR-CASE 2008-028; Item III; Docket No. 2009-0021; Sequence 1) (RIN 9000-AL33) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2596. A letter from the Acting Procurement Executive, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2005-32; Small Entity Compliance Guide [FAR Case 2009-0062; Sequence 5] received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2597. A letter from the First Vice President and Controller, Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston, transmitting the 2008 management report and statements of internal controls of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2598. A letter from the Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco, transmitting the 2008 management report and statements on system of internal controls of the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2599. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office’s final rule — Pre-Existing Risk System: Redefinition of New Hires-Hartford and New Haven, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2600. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office’s final rule — RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION THROUGH COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION (RIN: 3206-AL13) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2601. A letter from the President, National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, transmitting the 2008 Annual Report of independent auditors who have audited the records of the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 615; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2602. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Local Federal Law for Marine Events; Recurring Marine Events in the Fifth Coast Guard District [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0493] (RIN: 1625-AAA9) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2603. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Fireworks, Detroit River, Detroit, MI [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0493] (RIN: 1625-AAA9) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2604. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Pamunkey River, Virginia [Docket No.: 2008-1175] (RIN: 1625-AAA9) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2605. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; F/V PATRIOT, Massachusetts Bay, MA [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0512] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2606. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Bridge and Channel Options, Maryland [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0119] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2607. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Safety Zone; San Diego Symphony Orchestra; San Diego, California [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0345] (RIN: 1625-AA50) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2608. A letter from the OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Post 9/11 GI Bill (DOD-2009-OS-0021) (RIN: 8090-AL13) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

2609. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs (CHAMPA); Preauthorization of Durable Medical Equipment (DME) (RIN: 0960-1845) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.


2611. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Connection Bridge Operation Regulations; Dare County, North Carolina [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0119] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2612. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Savannah River, Georgia [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0119] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2613. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Connection Bridge Operation Regulations; Dare County, North Carolina [Docket No.: USCGB-2009-0119] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received July 1, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2614. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting proposed legislation to repeal subtitle J, Ultra-Deepwater and Unconventional Natural Gas and Other Petroleum Resources, of Title IX of the Energy Policy Act of 2005; jointly to the Committee on Science and Technology and Natural Resources.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON 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. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself and Mr. TIBERI). H.R. 3389. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permit the consolidation of life insurance companies with other companies; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PRICE of Georgia (for himself, Mr. AKIN, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. OLEMAO, Mr. SOUTER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. GREGORY of Georgia, Mr. ROZSA of Tennessee, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. FLEMING, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. WAMP, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. ROONEY, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, and Ms. FALLIN). H.R. 3390. A bill to provide for incentives to encourage health insurance coverage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and Labor, Oversight and Government Reform, the Judiciary, Rules, the Budget, and Agriculture, 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 Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ (for herself and Mr. POE of Texas). H.R. 3401. A bill to amend the Violence Against Women Act of 1994 and the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to improve assistance to domestic and sexual violence victims and provide for technical assistance to the Prosecutors’ Unit; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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 Mr. POE of Texas (for himself and Mr. COSTA):
H.R. 3402. A bill to establish a minimum funding level for programs under the Victims of Crime Act of 1984 for fiscal years 2010 to 2014 that ensures a reasonable growth in victim programs without jeopardizing the long-term sustainability of the Crime Victims Fund; the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. WOOLSEY (for herself, Mr. ALTMIER, and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California):
H.R. 3403. A bill to amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 and title 5, United States Code, to provide leave for family members of members of regular components of the Armed Forces, and to leave to care for covered veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and House Administration, 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. MCDERMOTT (for himself, Mr. RANGETTE, Mr. STUDER, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. VAN HOLLIN, Mr. MERK of Florida, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. NADLER of New York, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. FARR, Mr. LEW of Hawaii, Ms. MILLER of Alaska, Mr. PETERS, Mr. DINGELL, and Mrs. CAPPS):
H.R. 3404. A bill to amend the Assistance for Unemployed Workers and Struggling Families Act and the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2008, to provide for the temporary extension of certain unemployment benefits, to make permanent the temporary availability of further additional emergency unemployment compensation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. REHBERG (for himself and Mr. COTTON):
H.R. 3405. A bill to authorize the production of Saint-Gaudens Double Eagle ultra-high relief bullion coins in palladium to provide additional security for military equipment and other federal sources.

By Mr. BLUMENTAVER (for himself and Ms. GINNY BROWN-WALTE of Florida):
H.R. 3406. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income amounts reimbursed by an individual’s employer for certain dietary supplements and meal replacement products; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUYER (for himself, Mr. MCDERMOTT, and Mr. BROWN of South Carolina):
H.R. 3407. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements to laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs relating to benefits for severely injured veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Mr. TYMONT):
H.R. 3408. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the rules relating to the treatment of individuals as independent contractors or employees and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.
consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. REILLY of Massachusetts:
H.R. 3431. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to disallow the deduction for excess non-taxed reinsurance premiums with respect to United States risks paid to affiliates; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. NORTON:
H.R. 3429. A bill to authorize the Fair Housing Commemorative Foundation to establish a commemorating work on Federal land in the District of Columbia to commemorate the enforcement of the Fair Housing Act in 1968; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. PELOSI (for herself, Mr. SUCRE, Mr. MARKY of Massachusetts, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. DELAUBRO, Mr. McCOLLUM, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. HARKIN):
H.R. 3426. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a Coordinated Enrollment Program by Public Health Network to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. QUIGLEY:
H.R. 3427. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to protect States that have in effect laws or orders with respect to pay to play reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. REICHERT:
H.R. 3428. A bill to amend the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 to require a corresponding reduction in the authorization to purchase each time a repayment is made of assistance received under the Troubled Asset Relief Program; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, and Mr. CROWLEY):
H.R. 3429. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to defer recognition of reinvested capital gains distributions from regulated investment companies; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California (for herself, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. RUSH):
H.R. 3430. A bill to establish a Medicare DSH reimbursement program which participants shall establish collaborative care networks to reduce the use of emergency departments, inpatient and other expensive resources of hospitals and other providers and provide more comprehensive and coordinated care to low-income individuals, including those without health insurance coverage, and to establish a Collaborative Care Network Center; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. SHULDER (for himself and Mr. BOREN):
H.R. 3431. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to promote the certification of aftermarket conversion systems and thereby encourage the increased use of alternative fueled vehicles; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SPACE (for himself and Mr. PAUL):
H.R. 3432. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow long-distance rural commuters a deduction during periods when the local price of gasoline exceeds $3 per gallon; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WITTMAN:
H.R. 3433. A bill to amend the North American Wetlands Conservation Act to establish requirements regarding payment of the non-Federal share of the costs of wetlands conservation projects in Canada that are funded under the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana:
H.R. 3434. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to disallow the deduction for expenses for household and dependent care services necessary for gainful employment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FLAUGHER:
H.R. 3435. H. Con. Res. 172. Concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment or recess of the two Houses; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. JONES:
H.R. 3458. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Federal Government should not levy any additional taxes on firearms or firearm ammunition during the current economic hardship; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. LUMMIS:
H.R. 3465. H. Res. 699. A resolution expressing the appreciation of Congress for the service and sacrifice of the members of the 150th Airlift Wing, Air National Guard, to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. GRAVES (for himself, Mr. LUCIER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Ms. JENKINS, and Mr. CLEAVER):
H.R. 3466. A resolution expressing the appreciation of Congress to the service and sacrifice of the members of the 139th Airlift Wing, Air National Guard, to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. LOEBSACK (for himself and Mr. EHLERS):
H.R. 3467. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the fire that occurred in the passenger building of the New Orleans International Airport on August 1, 2009 was a national tragedy and an offense against democratic principles by opposing the Employee Free Choice Act and any of its components in 2009 and in future years; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

152. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 43 expressing opposition to the federal rule change to eliminate a health care professional's right to refrain from performing morally objectionable procedures; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

153. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, relative to Senate Resolution No. 171 memorializing the President and Congress to repeal the federal legislation of 1863 ordering the removal of Dakota people from Minnesota; and urging the Congress of the United States to repeal United States Statutes at Large, volume 12, page 819, chapter 108; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

154. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of West Virginia, relative to Senate Resolution No. 34 requesting the United States Congress to enact the Education Begins at Home Act; jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and Armed Services.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 39: Mr. HIMES, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. HUNDA, and Mr. PATRICK J. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 108: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 213: Mr. BACHUS and Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 275: Mr. SOUER.

H.R. 303: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 333: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 422: Mr. SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 430: Mr. LATTA.

H.R. 433: Mr. LATTA.

H.R. 444: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. DASLEKEMPER, and Mr. BOREN.

H.R. 503: Mr. DRIER.

H.R. 557: Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.R. 571: Mr. SCHOCK and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 574: Mr. FORKES.

H.R. 621: Mr. PORTER, Mr. TONKO, Mr. SCHOCK, and Ms. KILKOEY.

H.R. 648: Mr. SIBSTAR.

H.R. 658: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 668: Mr. MORGAN of Kansas.

H.R. 678: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 690: Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. SEEBER, and Mr. LUNDE.

H.R. 699: Mr. CHANDLER.

H.R. 734: Ms. KAPTR, Mr. KISSELL, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.

H.R. 743: Mr. PAUL and Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 874: Mr. SIBSTAR.

H.R. 886: Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 953: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 977: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. WYKLER, Mr. PACSCHELL, Mr. HALL of New York, and Mr. BRIGHT.

H.R. 1017: Mr. HEINRICH.

H.R. 1075: Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. ALTMEIER, and Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H.R. 1079: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1094: Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. McNIRNEY, Mr. KANOSKI, Mr. PAULINO, Mr. BOST, Mr. BUSH, Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 1177: Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. LUCHTERMeyer, and Mr. MCCOTTER.

H.R. 1296: Mrs. BACHMANN.

H.R. 1297: Mr. JACOB of Illinois and Mr. PAYNE.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of Rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

H.R. Res. 699. A resolution expressing the appreciation of Congress for the service and sacrifice of the members of the 150th Airlift Wing, Air National Guard, to the Committee on Armed Services.