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H. Res. 3654. A resolution for the consideration of the Rules Committee regarding the specific powers and duties of the Speaker.

H. Con. Res. 92. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to correct the enrollment of the bill H.R. 2945; considered and agreed to.

H. Con. Res. 93. Concurrent resolution providing for a correction to the enrollment of the bill H.R. 2945; considered and agreed to.

H. Con. Res. 94. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to correct the enrollment of the bill H.R. 1540; considered and agreed to.

H. Res. 455. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to establish a program to assist veterans to acquire commercial driver's licenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H. Res. 459. A resolution recognizing the November 5, 2009, attack on Fort Hood, Texas, as an act of radical Islamic terrorism and Jihad; to the Committee on Armed Services.

H. Res. 460. A resolution adjusting the amount provided for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Twelfth Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

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 resolution.

By Mr. HULTGREN: H.R. 3665. A bill to require the Commodity Futures Trading Commission to impose fees and assessments to recover the cost of appropriations to the commission; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Ms. DELAURO: H.R. 3666. A bill to provide for servicing of additional student loan borrowers, and to prohibit the servicing of certain student loans by the Federal Home Loan Bank System; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BILBRAY: H.R. 3667. A bill to provide for a Medicare prescription drug benefit; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PAULSEN: H.R. 3659. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution, "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;" and Article 1, Section 7 which provides that "All bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives."