

year 2011, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 5302(c)(2); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4991. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] [Internal Agency Docket No.: FEMA-B-1237] received January 23, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4992. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] received January 23, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4993. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Report to Congress on the Final Head Start Program Designation Renewal System"; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

4994. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's Alternative Fuel Vehicle program report for FY 2011; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4995. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Oklahoma; Infrastructure Requirements for 1997 8-Hour Ozone and the 1997 and 2006 PM2.5 NAAQS [EPA-R06-OAR-2008-0637; FRL-9622-5] received January 24, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4996. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Consumer and Commercial Products [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0730; FRL-9620-9] received January 24, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4997. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; North Carolina: Approval of Section 110(a)(1) Maintenance Plan for the Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point 1-Hour Ozone Maintenance Area to Maintain the 1997 8-Hour Ozone Standards [EPA-R04-OAR-2011-0455-201131(a); FRL-9621-8] received January 24, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4998. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of State Air Quality Plans For Designated Facilities and Pollutants, State of West Virginia; Control of Emissions from Existing Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerator Units, Plan Revision [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0848; FRL-9620-6] received January 24, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4999. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Protection Against Turbine Missiles, Regulatory Guide 1.115, Revision 2, received January 23, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5000. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the 2011 annual report on the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program, pursuant to Public Law 106-309, section 304; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5001. A letter from the Co-Chief Privacy Officers, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's Privacy Act Report for fiscal year 2011; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5002. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Labor Relations Authority, transmitting the Authority's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2011; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5003. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the report on the administration of the Foreign Agents Registration Act covering the six months ending June 30, 2011, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 621; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### 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. WEBSTER Committee on Rules. House Resolution 547. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3408) to set clear rules for the development of United States oil shale resources, to promote shale technology research and development, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3813) to amend title 5, United States Code, to secure the annuities of Federal civilian employees, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 7) to authorize funds for Federal-aid highway, public transportation, and highway and motor carrier safety programs, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-398). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### 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. LEVIN (for himself and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 4016. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the proper tax treatment of personal service income earned in pass-thru entities; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BASS of New Hampshire (for himself, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. DOLD, Mr. WELCH, Mr. BARROW, and Mr. FITZPATRICK):

H.R. 4017. A bill to promote efficient energy use in the Federal and private sectors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and Science, Space, and Technology, 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. FITZPATRICK (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 4018. A bill to improve the Public Safety Officers' Benefits Program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Washington:

H.R. 4019. A bill to increase employment and educational opportunities in, and improve the economic stability of, counties containing Federal forest land, while also reducing the cost of managing such land, by providing such counties a dependable source of revenue from such land, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on

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 Mr. GARAMENDI (for himself and Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California):

H.R. 4020. A bill to amend the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 to allow the construction and improvement of structures used for agricultural production in floodplains, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. FALCONE:VAEGA:

H.R. 4021. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to waive certain requirements for naturalization for American Samoan United States nationals to become United States citizens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HIGGINS (for himself, Ms. HOCHUL, and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa):

H.R. 4022. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to protect the right of a claimant in a civil action before a Federal court to retain a structured settlement broker to negotiate the terms of payment of an award, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. HOCHUL (for herself and Mr. ROE of Tennessee):

H.R. 4023. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the use of teleconsultation, teleretinal imaging, telemedicine, and telehealth coordination services for the provision of health care to veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4024. A bill to suspend approval of liquefied natural gas export terminals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself and Mr. HOLT):

H.R. 4025. A bill to provide that the Secretary of the Interior may accept bids on any new oil and gas leases of Federal lands (including submerged lands) only from bidders certifying that all natural gas produced pursuant to such leases shall be offered for sale only in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 4026. A bill to reauthorize the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program for fiscal years 2013 through 2016, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. MATHESON (for himself and Mr. BISHOP of Utah):

H.R. 4027. A bill to clarify authority granted under the Act entitled "An Act to define the exterior boundary of the Uintah and Ouray Indian Reservation in the State of Utah, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. PASCRELL (for himself and Mr. CARNAHAN):

H.R. 4028. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to improve transportation for seniors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. POSEY (for himself, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. JONES, and Mr. PEARCE):

H.R. 4029. A bill to permit certain current loans that would otherwise be treated as

non-accrual loans as accrual loans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4030. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to extend the post-employment restrictions on lobbying by Members of Congress and officers and employees of the legislative branch; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself and Mr. COLE):

H.R. 4031. A bill to provide that claims presented to an Indian Health Service contracting officer pursuant to the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act on or before October 31, 2005, involving claims that accrued after October 1, 1995 and on or before September 30, 1999, shall be deemed timely presented; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.J. Res. 102. A joint resolution proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. QUAYLE (for himself, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. PASTOR of Arizona, and Mr. SCHWEIKERT):

H. Con. Res. 100. Concurrent resolution recognizing February 14, 2012 as the centennial of the State of Arizona; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. McDERMOTT:

H. Res. 545. A resolution congratulating the World Affairs Council of Seattle on the occasion of its 61st anniversary and recognizing its contributions to the greater Seattle region and Washington State; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SCHOCK:

H. Res. 546. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Department of State should raise the travel advisory for Egypt from the current level of "Travel Alert", in place since November 7, 2011, to "Travel Warning", the highest level of travel security advisory, until all 43 detained nongovernmental organization workers are given the freedom to leave Egypt; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

#### 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. LEVIN:

H.R. 4016.

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.

Sixteenth Amendment

The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several States, and without regard to any census or enumeration.

By Mr. BASS of New Hampshire:

H.R. 4017.

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

Clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

By Mr. FITZPATRICK:

H.R. 4018.

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

Art. I, Sec. 8, Cl. 1; General Welfare Clause

By Mr. HASTINGS of Washington:

H.R. 4019.

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

Article IV, section 3, clause 2

By Mr. GARAMENDI:

H.R. 4020.

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

Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution

By Mr. FALDOMAEGA:

H.R. 4021.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 4 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. HIGGINS:

H.R. 4022.

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

Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution (Sec. 1, Sec. 5)

Commerce Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, cl. 3)

Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, cl. 3).

By Ms. HOCHUL:

H.R. 4023.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 14: To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4024.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4025.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4026.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. MATHESON:

H.R. 4027.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. PASCRELL:

H.R. 4028.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4029.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 4030.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 4031.

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

Article 1 section 8 clause 3.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.J. Res. 102.

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

Article 5 of the United States Constitution which states that, "The Congress, whenever

two thirds of both Houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose Amendments to this Constitution . . ."

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 140: Mr. BRADY of Texas.

H.R. 181: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 186: Mr. HOLDEN.

H.R. 192: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 324: Mr. COLE.

H.R. 333: Mr. AMODEI, Ms. HAHN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. GRAVES of Missouri.

H.R. 374: Mr. MULVANEY and Mr. BROOKS.

H.R. 458: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Ms. WATERS.

H.R. 459: Mr. BISHOP of Utah and Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 494: Ms. CHU.

H.R. 498: Mr. CAMP and Mr. ROKITA.

H.R. 587: Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 769: Mr. PASCRELL and Mr. SIRES.

H.R. 780: Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 870: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HINCHY, Mr. MORAN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 876: Mr. SCHRADER.

H.R. 890: Mr. DENT.

H.R. 892: Mrs. BACHMANN.

H.R. 1004: Mr. NUNES.

H.R. 1063: Mr. BASS of New Hampshire.

H.R. 1142: Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 1172: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1175: Mr. BURGESS and Ms. RICHARDSON.

H.R. 1179: Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. UPTON, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. PETERSON, Mr. CARTER, and Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 1206: Mr. LABRADOR and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 1265: Mr. ROONEY.

H.R. 1322: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 1340: Mr. JONES, Mr. SHULER, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1370: Mr. REED and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1417: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. CHU, and Mrs. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 1511: Mr. ROE of Tennessee.

H.R. 1639: Mr. CAMP and Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 1648: Mr. KEATING, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 1718: Mr. KEATING, Mr. POLIS, and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.

H.R. 1738: Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois.

H.R. 1867: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 1878: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 1946: Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 1960: Mr. ROSS of Arkansas.

H.R. 2106: Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, and Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 2152: Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. BACA, Mr. CLAY, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Mr. LUTKEMEYER.

H.R. 2288: Mr. YODER, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. REYES, and Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 2299: Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 2370: Mr. CARNAHAN.

H.R. 2412: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 2429: Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 2485: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 2487: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 2568: Mr. BONNER.

H.R. 2607: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 2674: Mrs. NOEM and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 2679: Ms. DEGETTE.