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410. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Inseason Adjustment to the 2011 Gulf of Alaska Pollock and Pacific Cod Total Allowable Catch Amounts (Docket No.: 0910131362-0087-02) received January 13, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

412. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Inseason Adjustment to the 2011 Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Pacific Cod Total Allowable Catch Amount (Docket No.: 0910131362-0088-02) received January 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

413. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Inseason Adjustment to the 2011 Bering Sea Pollock Total Allowable Catch Amount (Docket No.: 0910131362-0089-02) received January 13, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

414. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Inseason Adjustment to the 2011 Pacific Coast Groundfish Management Plan; Amendments 20 and 21; Trawl Rationalization Program (Docket No.: 10021355-0523-01) received January 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

415. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Fisheries Off West Coast States; Pacific Coast Groundfishery Management Plan; Amendments 20 and 21; Trawl Rationalization Program (Docket No.: 10021355-0523-02) received January 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on 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 several referred, as follows:

By Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky: H.R. 656. A bill to make amendments to the Department of Defense and the other departments and agencies of the Government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. SPEIER (for herself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. FLINNER): H.R. 655. A bill to honor Susan B. Anthony by celebrating her legacy on the third Monday in February; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. FLINNER): H.R. 655. A bill to direct the Federal Trade Commission to prescribe regulations regarding the collection and use of information obtained by tracking the Internet activity of an individual, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. MALONEY: H.R. 655. A bill to honor Susan B. Anthony by celebrating her legacy on the third Monday in February; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mrs. LUMMIS (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. AKIN, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. HELLER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. KATDAWAT, Mr. ALBRIGHT, Mr. BACH, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. COHEN, Mr. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. AKIN, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. HELLER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. KATDAWAT, Mr. ALBRIGHT, Mr. BACH, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. COHEN, Mr. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. AKIN, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. HELLER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. ROE of Tennessee): H.R. 386. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to reduce the number of civil suits and civil judgments as fall within the jurisdiction of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. LUCAS of Georgia (for herself, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. LECHTENBERGER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. REED, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. BACH, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. COHEN, and Mr. JOHNSON of Texas): H.R. 656. A bill to advance the mutual interests of the United States and Africa with respect to the promotion of trade and investment and the advancement of socioeconomic development and opportunity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. LONG, Mr. MIERAN, Mr. HANNA, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. HUCKSON, Mr. COHEN, Ms. CAPITO, Mr. DENHAM, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. REED, Mr. COBLE, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. SHUSTER, and Mr. GARY C. MILLER of Colorado): H.R. 655. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for
the Federal Aviation Administration for fiscal years 2011 through 2014, to streamline programs, create efficiencies, reduce waste, and improve aviation safety and capacity, to provide for the national aviation system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BROUN of Georgia (for himself, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. RIGGLE, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. POSKey, Mr. GOMHER, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. BUTTERFIELD):

H.R. 659. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the 10-percent penalty on withdrawals from retirement accounts for certain unemployed individuals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BROUN of Georgia (for himself, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. GOMHER, and Mr. MARCHANT):

H.R. 660. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide individual and corporate income tax relief and to extend 100 percent bonus depreciation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. FOXX:

H.R. 661. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow rollovers from other retirement plans into simple retirement accounts; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MICA (for himself, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. HANNA):

H.R. 662. A bill to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund pending enactment of a multiyear law reauthorizing programs; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Natural Resources, 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. BRADY of Texas (for himself and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia):

H.R. 663. A bill to delay the implementation of the health reform law until the Supreme Court resolves the constitutionality of the individual mandate; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, the Committee on Small Business, the Committee on Natural Resources, the Judiciary, Rules, Appropriations, 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. GENE GREEN of Texas (for himself and Mrs. DOOGYET):

H.R. 664. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to require 12-month continuous coverage for children under Medicaid; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SABLAN (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mrs. BORDALLO, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mrs. HIMES, Mr. HONDA, Mr. BOHREN, Mr. FLAKE, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. RASH, Mr. FALKOMAVARGA, Mr. BACA, Ms. LE of California, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. GIULIAVA, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. ZOE LOPUHEN of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. WINKER, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 665. A bill to provide comprehensive health insurance coverage for all United States residents, improved health care delivery, and for other purposes; to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Natural Resources, 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. CONTREY (for himself, Mr. BALDWIN, Mr. FELNER, Mr. HINCHERY, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. LE of California, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. TONKOW, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MILLER, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. DICKS, Ms. CHU, Mr. GIULIAVA, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. ZOE LOPUHEN of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. WINKER, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 666. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services, through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to conduct a study to determine the number of veterans who have received a diagnosis of posttraumatic stress disorder or major depressive disorder; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GOMHER, Mr. PETERS, Mr. BECHTHOLD, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. SCHEROFF, and Mr. MURPHY of Indiana):
H.R. 678. A bill to amend the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 to provide for the treatment of dividends paid on shares of preferred stock, held by the Secretary, that were purchased by financial institutions which received financial assistance under such Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. KISSELL (for himself, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. ROSS of Arkansas, Ms. SUTTON, Ms. LYNDSEY, Mr. JONES, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. FITZGERALD, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Ms. Faison, Mr. MEYER, Mr. GELLAUVA, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. COBLE, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. DeFazio, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Ms. DOHERTY):

H. Res. 87. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H. Res. 88. A resolution expressing solidarity with the people of Egypt in their democratic aspirations as they begin a new chapter in their country’s proud history; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself and Ms. FUGEDU):

H. Res. 89. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Internal Revenue Service should immediately update its collection policies and procedures in order to more adequately protect and assist taxpayers suffering an economic hardship; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. HALL, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. FOXX, Mr. RICHARDSON of Texas, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. MOORE, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. BUTTERFIELD):

H. Res. 90. A resolution recognizing the 75th birthday of the Honorable Barbara Jordan, American politician, leader of the Civil Rights movement, first African-American elected to the Senate of the United States, first Southern black woman ever elected to the United States House of Representatives, inspirational figure in the Progressive movement, and recipient of the Presidential Medal of Freedom Award; 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 joint resolution.

By Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky:

H.R. 1. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

**By Mr. MICA:**

H.R. 658. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8: 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.

By Mr. BROWN of Georgia:

H.R. 659. 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.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 663. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8: Congress shall have the power to regulate commerce among the states, and provide for the general welfare.

By Ms. MALONEY:

H.R. 665. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8: Congress shall have the power to regulate commerce among the states, and provide for the general welfare.

By Mrs. LUMMIS:

H.R. 667. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3: The Congress shall have Power To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. GIBSON:

H.R. 672. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1 (“spending” clause) and 18 (“necessary and proper”) clause of Article 1, Sec. 8 of the Constitution.

By Mr. LUCAS:

H.R. 673. 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.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 673. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8: Congress shall have the power to regulate commerce among the states, and provide for the general welfare.

By Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky:

H.R. 680. 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.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. HALL, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. FOXX, Mr. RICHARDSON of Texas, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. MOORE, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. BUTTERFIELD):

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