

By Mr. SESSIONS:

H.R. 2309. A bill to require group health plans and health insurance issuers to provide independent review of adverse coverage determinations; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SUNUNU:

H.R. 2310. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain ion-exchange resin; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 2311. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain ion-exchange resin; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 2312. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain ion-exchange resin; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 2313. A bill to restrict United States assistance for reconstruction efforts in Kosovo to United States-produced articles and services; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. WHITFIELD (for himself, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. NEY, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. HILLEARY, and Mr. BRYANT):

H.R. 2314. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to exclude beverage alcohol compounds emitted from aging warehouses from the definition of volatile organic compounds; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. TOWNS:

H. Con. Res. 138. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress concerning the adverse impact of the current administration Medicare payment policy for noninvasive positive pressure ventilators on individuals with severe respiratory diseases; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. BROWN of Ohio (for himself, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. WAXMAN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. COOK, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. LAMPSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. GREEN of Texas):

H. Con. Res. 139. Concurrent resolution recognizing the success of lay person CPR training in increasing the rate of survival of cardiac arrest and supporting efforts to enhance public awareness of the need for such training; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. CONYERS):

H. Con. Res. 140. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that Haiti should conduct free, fair, transparent, and peaceful elections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. FROST, Mr. RAHALL, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. WU, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. HALL of Ohio):

H. Con. Res. 141. Concurrent resolution celebrating One America; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. DICKS introduced a bill (H.R. 2315) for the relief of James Mervyn Salmon; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 36: Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 53: Mr. KUYKENNALL.

H.R. 65: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 110: Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 116: Mr. BISHOP.

H.R. 125: Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. TOWNS.

H.R. 131: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 135: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 225: Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. JOHN, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 226: Mr. ENGEL and Mr. BARCIA.

H.R. 239: Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. SAWYER, and Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 303: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. MASCARA, and Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 363: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 371: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. RAHALL, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.R. 372: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 423: Mr. ENGLISH.

H.R. 483: Mr. BACHUS and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 486: Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. TURNER, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 518: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky and Mrs. CUBIN.

H.R. 527: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 531: Ms. DELAURO and Mr. PHELPS.

H.R. 534: Mr. SKELTON and Mr. DICKEY.

H.R. 541: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 588: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 637: Mr. WU.

H.R. 670: Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. LARSON.

H.R. 708: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. STUMP, and Mr. QUINN.

H.R. 721: Mr. RADANOVICH and Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 732: Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 739: Mr. GANSKE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. MOORE, Ms. LEE, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 740: Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. LEE, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 750: Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 761: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 776: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 783: Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 784: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. COSTELLO, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 828: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky.

H.R. 860: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 872: Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. LUTHER, and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 895: Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. HOLT, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mr. GONZALES.

H.R. 903: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 922: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 933: Mr. MCNULTY and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 961: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. NADLER, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 976: Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Ms. WOOLEY.

H.R. 977: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO and Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 985: Mr. BURR of North Carolina.

H.R. 1041: Mr. SIMPSON.

H.R. 1063: Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. MCNULTY.

H.R. 1068: Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 1071: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. LEE, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 1079: Mr. STRICKLAND and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1082: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 1083: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky.

H.R. 1095: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WEINER, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 1102: Mr. CRANE, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 1108: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1109: Mr. BARCIA.

H.R. 1130: Ms. WOOLEY.

H.R. 1175: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. FORD, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. KING, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. OLVER, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 1214: Mr. CAPUANO and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 1222: Mr. CHAMBLISS and Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 1237: Mr. GOSS.

H.R. 1244: Mr. TERRY and Mr. ROEMER.

H.R. 1248: Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 1250: Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 1256: Mr. BOUCHER and Mr. SWEENEY.

H.R. 1276: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 1281: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington and Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 1286: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 1292: Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 1293: Ms. SANCHEZ and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 1304: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. MASCARA and Mr. SCOTT.

H.R. 1315: Mr. ROGAN.

H.R. 1355: Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 1358: Mrs. BONO and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1366: Mr. POMBO, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 1381: Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, and Mr. BOEHNER.

H.R. 1399: Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 1433: Mr. TANNER and Mrs. CUBIN.

H.R. 1469: Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 1485: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 1505: Mr. BROWN of Ohio and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 1568: Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. REYES, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BUYER, Mr. BAKER, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. FORBES, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. DEMINT, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 1592: Mr. ISAKSON and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1595: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1598: Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. COLLINS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 1644: Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. OBEY, Mr. DICKS, Mr. WEINER, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. GREENWOOD.

H.R. 1691: Mr. COBURN, Mr. HALL of Ohio, and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.

H.R. 1702: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. LEE, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.
 H.R. 1739: Mr. PALLONE.
 H.R. 1764: Ms. KAPTUR.
 H.R. 1812: Mr. ACKERMAN.
 H.R. 1814: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. TANNER, Mr. STUMP, Mr. GOODE, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. COMBEST, and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 1824: Mr. HILL of Montana.
 H.R. 1827: Mr. SCHAFER and Mr. LAZIO.
 H.R. 1838: Mr. EHRlich, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. BLILEY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CRANE, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.
 H.R. 1842: Mr. REYES, Mr. INSLEE, and Mr. SKELTON.
 H.R. 1861: Mr. NUSSLE.
 H.R. 1862: Mr. HOLDEN.
 H.R. 1871: Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.
 H.R. 1874: Mr. METCALF and Mr. SOUDER.
 H.R. 1884: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.
 H.R. 1932: Ms. DELAURO.
 H.R. 1967: Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 1990: Mrs. MYRICK, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. MCINNIS.
 H.R. 2028: Mr. ARMEY and Mr. MCNULTY.
 H.R. 2038: Mr. SHAW.
 H.R. 2056: Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. COOK, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. SHOWS.
 H.R. 2066: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. COOKSEY.
 H.R. 2077: Mr. OLVER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. WEXLER.
 H.R. 2096: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. OWENS, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.
 H.R. 2116: Mr. COOKSEY and Mr. RODRIQUEZ.
 H.R. 2136: Mr. CHAMBLISS and Mr. CALAHAN.
 H.R. 2175: Mr. FROST.
 H.R. 2216: Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. HOBSON, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. KASICH.
 H.R. 2243: Mr. CAMPBELL.
 H.R. 2260: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland and Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 2265: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FORBES, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. PAUL, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. STARK, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BORSKI, and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.
 H.R. 2282: Mr. SHOWS.
 H.R. 2283: Mr. GILCHREST and Ms. BROWN of Florida.
 H.J. Res. 35: Mr. GOODLATTE.
 H.J. Res. 43: Mr. GOODLATTE.
 H.J. Res. 55: Mr. SMITH of Michigan.
 H. Con. Res. 60: Mr. LAHOOD, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. LEE, and Mr. DAVIS of Florida.
 H. Con. Res. 74: Ms. KILPATRICK.
 H. Con. Res. 77: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon and Mr. GEJDENSON.
 H. Con. Res. 107: Mr. NORWOOD.
 H. Con. Res. 113: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.
 H. Con. Res. 124: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.
 H. Con. Res. 130: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Mr. STUPAK.
 H. Res. 89: Mr. FORBES.
 H. Res. 169: Mr. LUTHER.
 H. Res. 187: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. McNULTY, and Mr. FARR of California.
 H. Res. 211: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. JENKINS, and Mr. GIBBONS.
 H. Res. 212: Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 804: Mr. FOLEY.
 H.R. 815: Mr. CONYERS.
 H.R. 987: Mr. TRAFICANT.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. GILMAN

AMENDMENT NO. 1: Page 6, line 5 insert before the semicolon the following:

“; was not willfully blind to such conduct, and did not demonstrate a deliberate indifference to such conduct”.

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. GILMAN

AMENDMENT NO. 2: Page 6, line 5 insert before the semicolon the following:

“; was not willfully blind to such conduct, or did not consent or was not privy to such conduct”.

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. GILMAN

AMENDMENT NO. 3: Page 15, insert after line 8 the following:

SEC. 7. CIVIL FORFEITURE FOR PASSPORT AND VISA RELATED OFFENSES.

Section 981 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)(1), by inserting after subparagraph (F) the following:

“(G) Any property, real or personal—
 “(i) used, or intended to be used, in committing or facilitating the commission of, or
 “(ii) constituting, derived from, or traceable to any proceeds obtained, directly or indirectly, from,

an offense or conspiracy to commit an offense under section 1541, 1542, 1543, 1544, or 1546 of this title of an offense, or conspiracy to commit an offense under section 1028 of this title, if either conspiracy or offense was committed in connection with passport or visa issuance.”; and

(2) in subsection (b)(1)—

“(C) subject to forfeiture to the United States under subsection (a)(1)(G) of this section in a case investigated by the Secretary of State may be seized by the Secretary of State.”;

(3) by striking “the Attorney General, the Secretary of the Treasury, or the Postal Service” each place it appears (other than in subsection (b)(1)(C)) and inserting “the Attorney General, the Secretary of the Treasury, the Postal Service, or the Secretary of State”;

(4) in subsection (i), by striking “the Attorney General or the Secretary of the Treasury” each place it appears and inserting “Attorney General, Secretary of the Treasury, or the Secretary of State”;

(5) in subsection (j)—

(A) by striking “and” at the end of subparagraph (A);

(B) by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (B) and inserting “; and”; and

(C) by adding at the end the following:

“(3) the term ‘Secretary of State’ means the Secretary of State or the Secretary’s delegate.”; and

(6) by adding after subsection (j) the following:

“(k) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, at the discretion of the Secretary of State and the Attorney General, property forfeited pursuant to a law enforced or administered by a Department of State law enforcement component may be deemed forfeited pursuant to a law enforced or administered by a Department of Justice law enforcement component.”.

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. HUTCHINSON

AMENDMENT NO. 4: Page 2, line 12, strike “(A)”.

Page 3, strike lines 1 through 8.

Page 15, insert after line 8 the following:

SEC. 7. CHALLENGES TO ADMINISTRATIVE FORFEITURES.

Section 981 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(1) CHALLENGES TO ADMINISTRATIVE FORFEITURES.—

(1) Any motion to set aside a declaration of forfeiture entered pursuant to section 609 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1609), as incorporated by subsection (d), must be filed not later than 2 years after the entry of the declaration of forfeiture. Such motion shall be granted if—

“(A) the moving party had an ownership or possessory interest in the forfeited property, and the Government failed to take reasonable steps to provide such party with notice of the forfeiture; and

“(B) the moving party did not have actual notice of the seizure within sufficient time to file a claim within the time period provided by law.

“(2) If the court grants a motion made under paragraph (1), it shall set aside the declaration of forfeiture as to the moving party’s interest pending forfeiture proceedings in accordance with section 602 et seq. of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1602 et seq.), which proceedings shall be instituted within 60 days of the entry of the order granting the motion.

“(3) If, at the time a motion made under this paragraph (1) is granted, the forfeited property has been disposed of by the Government in accordance with law, the Government shall institute forfeiture proceedings under paragraph (2) against a substitute sum of money equal to the value of the forfeited property at the time it was disposed of, plus interest.

“(4) The institution of forfeiture proceedings under paragraph (2) shall not be barred by the expiration of the statute of limitations under section 621 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1621) if the original publication of notice was initiated before the expiration of such limitations period.

“(5) A motion made under this subsection shall be the exclusive means of obtaining judicial review of a declaration of forfeiture entered by a seizing agency.

“(6) This subsection shall apply to any administrative forfeiture under this section, and to any administrative forfeiture under the Controlled Substances Act, or under any other provision of law that incorporates the provisions of the customs laws.”

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. HUTCHINSON

AMENDMENT NO. 5: Page 4, strike line 23 and all that follows through line 16 on page 5 and redesignate paragraphs (5), (6), (7), and (8) as paragraphs (4), (5), (6), and (7), respectively.

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. HUTCHINSON

AMENDMENT NO. 6: Page 5, line 20, strike “by clear and convincing evidence” and insert “by a preponderance of the evidence”.

H.R. 1658

OFFERED BY: MR. HUTCHINSON

AMENDMENT NO. 7: Page 5, strike line 22 and all that follows through line 5 on page 9. Page 15, after line 8 insert the following:

SEC. 7. INNOCENT OWNER DEFENSE.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 46 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting after section 982 the following: