

I want to say that 2 years ago, when we dealt with the Hurricane Katrina relief, I am very proud to say that I pushed for an offset in Federal spending at that time. We were faced with spending outside the budget, \$52 billion in one fell swoop, to offer relief to the victims of Hurricane Katrina. We had no good plan for how that money was going to be spent, and we needed a plan. We did not have an offset set up when we first passed that \$52 billion. I urged the Republican Study Committee to demand offsets.

In just a few weeks' period of time, we were able to come up with \$39 billion in offsets to the \$52 billion. We weren't able to come up with \$52 billion, but we came up with \$39 billion. One of my colleagues who gives me the credit for that, calls me the "mother of offsets." It is a title I wear proudly. All of us need to be doing that here in the Congress. We all need to make sure that when we ask for any funding, that we are looking for ways to offset that funding, and certainly any new funding.

Unfortunately, the war supplemental that was passed 3 weeks ago did not have offsets in it because the rules here in the House say that emergency spending, such as the Katrina bill, don't have to have offsets in them; and yet our Democratic colleagues promised that in this session of Congress they would not do what the Republicans did and that was spend outside the budget and expand the growth of the Federal Government.

They just ignored that. They had \$24 billion in new spending, pork-barrel spending, I would call it, spending to buy votes to pass the war supplemental, which were outside the budget and expanded the scope of spending, violating all of the promises that they made last year to do PAYGO. They found ways to get around those promises to pay as you go and not expand spending by putting it within the supplemental which was supposedly for the war and is emergency spending. That, to me, is one of the most cynical things that a person can do.

But as we file our taxes on April 17, we need to imagine the alternatives to piles of tax forms and schedules and endless hours calculating Uncle Sam's take. We need a system that is fair, simple and transparent. It is time for radical change in the way we collect taxes.

The first step is ditching the leviathan code we have inherited from decades of congressional tinkering and start a real tax debate over how to collect taxes responsibly, efficiently and fairly. I challenge my colleagues on the other side of the aisle to bring forth legislation that will relieve the burden that so many Americans feel at this time of the year where they have to spend hours and hours and weeks at a time preparing their taxes and paying a lot more out to the Federal Government than we should be paying.

Many years ago I read an article in the Wall Street Journal where they

had done a survey of every segment of our society and asked, what do you think would a fair amount of money that you should be paying to the Federal Government in taxes. Most people felt 25 percent was about the fair amount that they should pay, and they would pay that willingly. But once you get beyond that, then people begin to begrudge it and avoid trying to pay their taxes.

We have way too many people in this country at this stage of the game paying approximately 48 percent of all of their income in taxes at all three levels, so we are at twice the level that most people feel is the fair amount to pay. I think most people would say that much of their money is being wasted. Not only do they think that they should pay only approximately 25 percent, but they want to know that the Federal Government is spending their money wisely.

I want to say that as far as I am concerned what we should be doing at the Federal level is funding primarily defense, the Federal system of interstate highways, and national parks. Beyond that, we should not be doing it.

Our Constitution shows that the things that are not mentioned in the Constitution, and in the 10th amendment we say those things not mentioned in the Constitution are the responsibility of the States. What we have done at the Federal level is we have taken on many, many more responsibilities than the framers and the founders of this country envisioned that we would do. What we need to do is step back, look at what we are funding at the Federal Government level and say, is it constitutional, is it something that we should be funding, and if not, then how can we get out of funding this and allow the States to do it. If it is a project that is worthy to be funded, then the States and localities should be doing it and not the Federal Government.

Our Federal Government was formed to provide for the defense of this Nation. The States and localities cannot do that; only the Federal Government can do it. That is our responsibility.

When people talk about the fact that we are taking money from education and putting it into the war effort, that is not accurate. We should not be funding education at all at the Federal level because that is not one of the parts of the Constitution that we should be funding. So I say if we could take the Federal Government back to its roots, to those things that we should be funding, then we would be able to lower the tax burden tremendously because much of the money that is taken at the Federal level is wasted.

President Jefferson said: "The government which governs least governs best," and I think that is accurate.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for today through May 25, 2007.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. SMITH of Nebraska) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material):

Mr. JONES of North Carolina, for 5 minutes, today and April 17, 18, and 19.

Mr. POE, for 5 minutes, April 17, 18, and 19.

Mr. PAUL, for 5 minutes, April 17, 18, and 19.

Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes, today and April 17, 18, and 19.

SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 30. An act to intensify research to derive human pluripotent stem cell lines; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

S. 229. An act to redesignate a Federal building in Albuquerque, New Mexico, as the "Raymond G. Murphy Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

S. 801. An act to designate a United States courthouse located in Fresno, California, as the "Robert E. Coyle United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

S. 1104. An act to increase the number of Iraqi and Afghani translators and interpreters who may be admitted to the United States as special immigrants; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. VAN HOLLEN on Wednesday, April 11, 2007, announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1002. An act to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to reinstate certain provisions relating to the nutrition services incentive programs.

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ADJOURNMENT

Ms. FOXX. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 4 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, April 17, 2007, at 10:30 a.m., for morning hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

1035. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary, Personnel and Readiness,

Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on the Critical Skills Retention Bonus (CSR) program, pursuant to 37 U.S.C. 323 (h) Public Law 106-398, section 633 (a); to the Committee on Armed Services.

1036. A letter from the Secretary of the Army, Department of Defense, transmitting a determination that the Nunn-McCurdy Unit Cost thresholds for the enclosed programs' Program Acquisition Unit Cost and Average Procurement Unit Cost metrics have been breached, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2433(e)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

1037. A letter from the Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement Vice Admiral James D. McArthur, Jr., United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1038. A letter from the Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of the enclosed list of officers to wear the insignia of the grade of brigadier general accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1039. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's report for 2006 in accordance with Section 361(b) of the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act of 2001, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 5314; to the Committee on Financial Services.

1040. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revisions to the Public Access to HUD Records Under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Regulations [Docket No. FR-5069-F-02] (RIN: 2501-AD22) received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1041. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule — Timeliness Expenditures Standards for the Insular Areas Program [Docket No. FR-5012-F-02] (RIN: 2501-AD15) received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1042. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Twenty-Ninth Annual Report to Congress consistent with Section 815 of the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 1692m; to the Committee on Financial Services.

1043. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Technical Amendments to Regulations S-T [Release No. 34-55502] received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1044. A letter from the Attorney, Office of Assistant General Counsel for Legislation and Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Alternative Fuel Transportation Program; Replacement Fuel Goal Modification (RIN: 1904-AB67) received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1045. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting Pursuant to Section 27(f) of the Arms Export Control Act and Section 1(f) of Executive Order 11958, Transmittal No. 03-07 informing of an intent to sign the

Project DIAMOND Memorandum of Understanding between the United States and the United Kingdom, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1046. A letter from the Under Secretary for Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's FY 2008 Cooperative Threat Reduction Annual Report, pursuant to Public Law 106-398, section 1308; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1047. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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1056. A letter from the Assistant Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's report on the amount of the acquisitions made from entities that manufacture the articles, materials, or supplies outside of the United States in fiscal year 2006, pursuant to Public Law 109-115, section 837(a); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1057. A letter from the EEO Director, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting a report about the Commission's activities in FY 2006 to ensure accountability for antidiscrimination and whistleblower laws related to employment, pursuant to Public Law 107-174, section 203 of Title II; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1058. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Best Efforts in Administrative Fines Challenges [Notice 2007-7] received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

1059. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Chesapeake Bay

Science, Service, and Stewardship: A Biennial Report to Congress," pursuant to Public Law 107-372 section 401(a)(307)(b)(7); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1060. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Boating and Water Use Activities (RIN: 1024-AD07) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1061. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Curecanti National Recreation Area, Personal Watercraft Use (RIN: 1024-AC99) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1062. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Cape Lookout National Seashore, Personal Watercraft Use (RIN: 1024-AD44) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1063. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Dry Tortugas National Park-Special Regulations (RIN: 1024-AD45) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1064. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Glacier Bay National Park, Vessel Management Plan Regulations (RIN: 1024-AD25) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1065. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; South Portland, Maine, Gulf Blasting Project [CGD01-07-012] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 29, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1066. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30538; Amdt. No. 466] received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1067. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, Weather Takeoff Minimums; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30530 Amdt. No. 3200] received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1068. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment Program — Initial Evaluations (RIN: 2900-AM25) received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

1069. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, transmitting the Bureau's final rule — Establishment of the Snake River Valley Viticultural Area (2005R-463P) [T.D. TTB-59; Re: Notice No. 60] (RIN: 1513-AB22) received March 16, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1070. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and

Trade Bureau, transmitting the Bureau's final rule — Green Valley of Russian River Valley Viticultural Area (2005R-412P) [T.D. TTB-60; Re: Notice No. 58] (RIN: 1513-AB18) received March 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1071. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Weighted Average Interest Rates Update (Notice 2007-27) received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1072. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department Store Inventory Price Indexes By Department Groups — received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1073. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Request for Comments and Interim Guidance Regarding Allocation of Costs under the Simplified Methods of Accounting under 263A (Notice 2007-29) received March 15, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1074. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Hospital Conditions of Participation: Requirements for Approval and Re-approval of Transplant Centers to Perform Organ Transplants [CMS-3835-F] (RIN: 0938-AH17) received March 29, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

1075. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CMS, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicare Program; Competitive Acquisition for Certain Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS) and Other Issues [CMS-1270-F] (RIN: 0938-AN14) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

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. RANGEL: Committee on Ways and Means H.R. 1677. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to enhance taxpayer protections and outreach, with an amendment (Rept. 110-84). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GORDON: Committee on Science and Technology. H.R. 362. A bill to authorize science scholarships for educating mathematics and science teachers, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 110-85). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. FRANK: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 1515. A bill to amend the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 to treat certain communities as metropolitan cities for purposes of the community development block grant program (Rept. 110-86). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LANTOS: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 1681. A bill to amend Congressional Charter of The American National

Red Cross to modernize its governance structure, to enhance the ability of the board of governors of The American National Red Cross to support the critical mission of The American National Red Cross in the 21st century, and for other purposes, with an amendment the (Rept. 110-87). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. FRANK: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 1257. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to provide shareholders with an advisory vote on executive compensation, with an amendment (Rept. 110-88). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CULBERSON (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. HOEKSTRA, and Mr. PAUL):

H.R. 1857. A bill to restore State sovereignty over public elementary and secondary education; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. GOHMERT (for himself, Mr. CULBERSON, and Mr. REGULA):

H.R. 1858. A bill to provide for the retrocession of the District of Columbia to the State of Maryland, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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 Mrs. McCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 1859. A bill to reinstate the prohibition on the possession or transfer of large capacity ammunition feeding devices, and to strengthen that prohibition; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. McCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 1860. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 100 percent deduction for expenses related to identity theft; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota:

H.R. 1861. A bill to urge the Government of the Republic of Armenia to resolve the murder case of Joshua Haglund, a United States citizen, in Yerevan, Armenia, and to fund scholarships at the University of Minnesota in the memory of Joshua Haglund for study abroad and diversity training; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California:

H.R. 1862. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage new school construction through the creation of a new class of bond; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H. Con. Res. 111. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that Lionel Hampton should be honored for his contributions to American music; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H. Res. 296. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Eosinophil Awareness Week, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H. Res. 297. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that A.

Philip Randolph should be recognized for his lifelong leadership and work end discrimination and secure equal employment and labor opportunities for all Americans; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. STEARNS (for himself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. KELLER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. MACK, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. MAHONEY of Florida, Mr. PUTNAM, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. CASTOR, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida):

H. Res. 298. A resolution to commend the University of Florida Gators for their historic win in the 2007 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Basketball Tournament; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 18: Mr. HARE.

H.R. 39: Ms. WATERS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 74: Mr. WYNN and Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 82: Mr. WEINER.

H.R. 89: Mr. HAYES, Mr. ROSS, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. MARSHALL.

H.R. 96: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 111: Mr. COBLE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. Sires, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WATSON, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. COSTA, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. SHULER, Mr. PATRICK MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. WEINER, and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 145: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 156: Ms. HOOLEY.

H.R. 171: Mr. WAXMAN and Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 176: Ms. CLARKE and Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 197: Mr. WU, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 211: Ms. MATSUI, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. ISRAEL, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 260: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 297: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 303: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. PASCRELL, Mrs. CUBIN, and Mr. ROSS.

H.R. 322: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 358: Mr. GINGREY, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, and Mr. COURTNEY.

H.R. 362: Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. CHANDLER.

H.R. 442: Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. ROSS, and Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 473: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 522: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. CASTOR, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 526: Mr. CARNEY.

H.R. 563: Ms. FALLIN.

H.R. 579: Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HODES, Mr. HIGGINS, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. HILL, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Mr. PATRICK MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. ADERHOLT, and Mr. BUTTERFIELD.