

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

9364. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Department of the Army, transmitting a report entitled, "Terrestrial Wildlife Habitat Restoration Plan for Oahe/Sharpe Reservoirs, South Dakota"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

9365. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel for NIST, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Technology Innovation Program (TIP) Notice of Availability of Funds and Announcement of Public Meetings (Proposers' Conferences) [Docket No.: 080626784-8786-01] (RIN: 0693-ZA82) received October 16, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science and Technology.

9366. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Satellite and Information Services, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Licensing of Private Land Remote-Sensing Space Systems [Docket No.: 050204028-6015-02] received July 22, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science and Technology.

9367. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Schedule for Rating Disabilities; Eye (RIN: 2900-AH43) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9368. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Grants to States for Construction and Acquisition of State Home Facilities (RIN: 2900-AJ43) received October 7, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9369. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (RIN: 2900-AN04) received October 29, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9370. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Board of Veterans' Appeals: Expedited Claims Adjudication Initiative — Pilot Program (RIN: 2900-AM77) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9371. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs (RIN: 2900-AM22) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9372. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Disclosure of Information to Organ, Tissue and Eye Procurement Organizations (RIN: 2900-AM65) received November 7, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9373. A letter from the Director of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Dental Care-Provision of One-Time Outpatient Dental Care for Certain Veterans (RIN: 2900-AM95) received October 7, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9374. A letter from the Chairman, Social Security Advisory Board, transmitting the Board's annual report for 2007, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 904; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9375. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, trans-

mitting the Department's report entitled, "Assets for Independence Demonstration Program: Status at the Conclusion of the Eighth Year," pursuant to Public Law 105-285; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9376. A letter from the Administrator, Office of Workforce Securities, ETA, DOL, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule — Federal-State Unemployment Compensation (UC) Program; Interstate Arrangement for Combining Employment and Wages; Final Rule (RIN: 1205-AB51) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9377. A letter from the Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in the Insular Possessions Watch, Watch Movement and Jewelry Programs 2008 [Docket No.: 080716841-81292-02] (RIN: 0625-AA80) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9378. A letter from the Chief, Publication and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier 1 Issue — Government Settlements Directive #3 [LMSB No: 4-0908-046 Impacted IRM 4.51.5] received October 6, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9379. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel for Regulations, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Secure Flight Program [Docket No. TSA-2007-28572; Amendment Nos. 1540-9, 1544-8, and 1560-(New)] (RIN: 1652-AA45) received November 5, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Homeland Security.

9380. A letter from the Chief, Trade and Commercial Regulations Branch, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Advance Information on Private Aircraft Arriving and Departing the United States [Docket No.: USCBP-2007-0064] (RIN: 1651 — AA41) received November 12, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Homeland Security.

9381. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's Sixth Quarterly Report on the Status of Significant Unresolved Issues with the Department of Energy's Design and Construction Projects, as required in House Conference Report 109-702, Section 3201; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Appropriations.

9382. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicare Program; Payment Policies Under the Physician Fee Schedule and Other Revisions to Part B for CY 2009; E-Prescribing Exemption for Computer-Generated Facsimile Transmissions; and Payment for Certain Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS) [CMS-1403-FC] [CMS-1270-F2]] (RIN: 0938-AP18, 0938-AN14) received October 30, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

9383. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicare Program; Changes to the Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment System and CY 2009 Payment Rates; Changes to the Ambulatory Surgical Center Payment System and CY 2009 Payment Rates; Hospital Conditions of Participation; Requirements for Approval and Re-Approval of Transplant Centers to Perform Organ Transplants—Clarification of Provider and Supplier Termination Policy Medicare and

Medicaid Programs; Changes to the Ambulatory Surgical Center Conditions for Coverage [CMS-1404-FC]; [CMS-3887-F]; [CMS-3835-F-1]] (RIN: 0938-AP17; 0938-AL80; 0938-AH17) Received October 30, 2008, pursuant to 5 jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

9384. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicaid Program; Multiple Source Drug Definition [CMS-2238-F] (RIN: 0938-AP26) received October 6, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

9385. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Revisions to the Medicare Advantage and Prescription Drug Benefit Programs: Clarification of Compensation Plan [CMS-4138-IFC2] (RIN: 0938-AP52) received November 10, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

9386. A letter from the Inspector General, Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting the October 2008 Quarterly Report pursuant to Section 3001(i) of Title III of the 2004 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Defense and for the Reconstruction of Iraq and Afghanistan (Pub. L. 108-106) as amended by Pub. L. 108-375, Pub. L. 109-102, Pub. L. 109-364, Pub. L. 109-440, Pub. L. 110-28, and Pub. L. 110-181; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

9387. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Termination of Non-Random Prepayment Complex Medical Review [CMS-6022-F] (RIN: 0938-AN31) received October 6, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

9388. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Home Health Prospective Payment System Rate Update for Calendar Year 2009 [CMS-1555-N] (RIN: 0938-AP20) received October 30, 2008; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

9389. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Employee Benefits Administration, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Final Rules for Group Health Plans and Health Insurance Issuers under the Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act [TD 9427] (RIN: 1545-BG82) received October 21, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Ways and Means, and Education and Labor.

## 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. MARKEY: Select Committee on Energy Independence and Global Warming: Final Staff Report for the 110th Congress (Rept. 110-915). 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 of the following

titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. BROWN of South Carolina:

H.R. 7272. A bill to prohibit the use of funds to transfer individuals detained by the United States at Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to Naval Consolidated Brig, Charleston, South Carolina; to the Committee on Armed Services.

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

H.R. 7273. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow an above-the-line deduction against individual income tax for interest on indebtedness and for State and local sales and excise taxes with respect to the purchase of certain motor vehicles; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PASCRELL (for himself, Mr. PLATTS, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas):

H.R. 7274. A bill to amend title III of the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment and implementation of concussion management guidelines with respect to student athletes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. AKIN):

H.R. 7275. A bill to establish the Financial Oversight Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. NEUGEBAUER (for himself, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. LAMBORN, and Mr. MCCAUL of Texas):

H.R. 7276. A bill to amend the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 to require prior approval by the Congress for expenditures from the third tranche, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN (for himself and Mr. BACHUS):

H.R. 7277. A bill to suspend the beginning date for required distributions from certain retirement plans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RUPPERSBERGER:

H.R. 7278. A bill to suspend the beginning date for required distributions from defined contribution plans based on attainment of age 70 1/2, to waive the 10 percent penalty on withdrawals from qualified retirement plans during 2008 and 2009 for financial hardship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. BIGGERT:

H.R. 7279. A bill to provide for a 3-year suspension of the minimum distribution requirements for defined contribution plans; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND:

H.R. 7280. A bill to amend part D of title IV of the Social Security Act to prohibit States from charging child support recipients for the collection of child support; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H.R. 7281. A bill to direct the Election Assistance Commission to make grants to States to carry out election administration improvement plans; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HELLER (for himself and Ms. BERKLEY):

H.R. 7282. A bill to promote conservation and provide for sensible development in Carson City, Nevada, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in

addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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. KING of New York:

H.R. 7283. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the age at which distributions from qualified retirement plans are required to begin from 70 1/2 to 75, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia:

H.R. 7284. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from transportation fuel sold in the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia:

H.R. 7285. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide for an increase in the maximum level of fees authorized to be charged by representatives with respect to claims of entitlement to past-due benefits and to require cost-of-living adjustments to such level of authorized fees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. WEINER, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. WALSH of New York, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. ARCURI):

H.R. 7286. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 46-02 21st Street in Long Island City, New York, as the "Geraldine Ferraro Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mrs. MATSUI (for herself, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD):

H.R. 7287. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a Wellness Trust; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MATSUI:

H.R. 7288. A bill to allow flood insurance coverage under the national flood insurance program for new structures designed to protect public safety that are located in special flood hazard zones, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 7289. A bill to provide grants to promote financial literacy; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. MICHAUD:

H.R. 7290. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the credit for renewable electricity production to include electricity produced from biomass for on-site use; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 7291. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to develop and construct a facility on the campus of Saint Elizabeths Hospital in the District of Columbia to serve as the headquarters for the United States Coast Guard; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER:

H.R. 7292. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income compensation received by employees consisting of qualified distributions of employer stock; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SESTAK:

H.R. 7293. A bill to suspend for 2008 and 2009 the required minimum distribution requirements with respect to certain defined contribution plans to the extent the interest of an individual in such plans does not exceed

\$300,000; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SMITH of Washington:

H.R. 7294. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to expand the authorized concurrent receipt of disability severance pay from the Department of Defense and compensation for the same disability under any law administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs to cover all veterans who have a combat-related disability, as defined under section 1413a of such title; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. FOXX (for herself, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. POE, Mr. ISSA, Mr. LATTA, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. CONAWAY, and Mr. MCCAUL of Texas):

H.J. Res. 101. A joint resolution relating to the disapproval of obligations under the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. LEE (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. STARK, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. CARSON, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. CASTOR, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. WATSON, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. RUSH, and Ms. MATSUI):

H. Res. 1529. A resolution acknowledging the 40th anniversary of the election of Shirley Anita St. Hill Chisholm, the first African-American woman in Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. ROYCE (for himself, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H. Res. 1530. A resolution calling on the State Department to list the Socialist Republic of Vietnam as a "Country of Particular Concern" with respect to religious freedom; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

374. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of Pennsylvania, relative to Senate Resolution No. 406 establishing "Hydrocephalus Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

375. Also, a memorial of the Senate of Pennsylvania, relative to Senate Resolution No. 375 dealing with natural gas markets; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

376. Also, a memorial of the Senate of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 17 relating to the ecumenical patriarchate; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

377. Also, a memorial of the Senate of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 222, memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to help revitalize the economy in states with exceptionally high rates of unemployment by the