

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

creation of a Recovery State Renaissance Zone Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. GUTIERREZ introduced a bill (H.R. 7295) for the relief of Francisca Lino; 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. 154: Mr. ROTHMAN.  
H.R. 279: Mrs. MYRICK.  
H.R. 468: Mr. CROWLEY.  
H.R. 661: Mr. ADERHOLT and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.  
H.R. 741: Mr. WESTMORELAND.  
H.R. 891: Mr. ADERHOLT.  
H.R. 962: Mr. ROTHMAN.  
H.R. 1280: Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. TAUSCHER.  
H.R. 1524: Ms. GIFFORDS.  
H.R. 1606: Mr. COHEN.  
H.R. 1801: Mr. KIRK.  
H.R. 1921: Mr. MEEKS of New York.  
H.R. 2052: Mr. LEVIN.  
H.R. 2390: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.  
H.R. 2495: Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 2567: Mr. ROGERS of Alabama.  
H.R. 3001: Mr. FATTAH.  
H.R. 3212: Mr. HARE and Mr. COHEN.  
H.R. 3234: Mrs. BIGGERT.  
H.R. 3294: Mr. FATTAH.  
H.R. 3334: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. HIGGINS.  
H.R. 3404: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.  
H.R. 3457: Mrs. GILLIBRAND.  
H.R. 3652: Mr. CUMMINGS.  
H.R. 3750: Mr. MOORE of Kansas.  
H.R. 3753: Mr. WAMP.  
H.R. 3834: Mr. ROTHMAN.  
H.R. 3995: Mr. CULBERSON.  
H.R. 4048: Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota.  
H.R. 4450: Mr. CARNEY.  
H.R. 5028: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.  
H.R. 5191: Mr. MCCAUL of Texas.  
H.R. 5447: Mr. CUMMINGS.  
H.R. 5573: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. HALL of New York.

H.R. 5615: Mr. HOLDEN.  
H.R. 5674: Mr. HINCHEY.  
H.R. 5698: Mr. ELLSWORTH and Mr. FATTAH.  
H.R. 5734: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.  
H.R. 5762: Mrs. TAUSCHER.  
H.R. 5793: Ms. RICHARDSON and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.  
H.R. 5802: Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland.  
H.R. 5823: Ms. WOOLSEY.  
H.R. 5838: Mr. BISHOP of New York.  
H.R. 5936: Mr. BOOZMAN.  
H.R. 5979: Mr. COHEN.  
H.R. 6151: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.  
H.R. 6201: Mr. MOORE of Kansas.  
H.R. 6228: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin.  
H.R. 6259: Mr. ROTHMAN.  
H.R. 6453: Mr. ALEXANDER.  
H.R. 6462: Mr. HINCHEY.  
H.R. 6549: Mr. GALLEGLY and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.  
H.R. 6567: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. SARBANES, and Mr. PLATTS.  
H.R. 6598: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. FATTAH.  
H.R. 6815: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. KUCINICH.  
H.R. 6885: Mr. PUTNAM.  
H.R. 6930: Mr. CRENSHAW and Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 6939: Mr. COHEN and Mr. KAGEN.  
H.R. 6949: Mr. ROTHMAN.  
H.R. 6955: Mr. CULBERSON.  
H.R. 7063: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.  
H.R. 7114: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mr. EMANUEL.  
H.R. 7164: Mr. MEEKS of New York.  
H.R. 7187: Mr. UPTON, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. DELAHUNT.  
H.R. 7189: Mrs. BONO MACK.  
H.R. 7219: Mr. WEXLER.  
H.R. 7241: Ms. MATSUI, Mr. ROTHMAN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. BERMAN.  
H.R. 7252: Mr. AKIN.  
H. Con. Res. 81: Mr. KENNEDY.  
H. Con. Res. 342: Mr. COURTNEY.  
H. Con. Res. 424: Mrs. DAVIS of California.  
H. Con. Res. 434: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. WAMP, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. HINCHEY.  
H. Res. 679: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. WOLF, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.  
H. Res. 1171: Mr. BOREN.  
H. Res. 1328: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. WEXLER, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H. Res. 1397: Mr. HINCHEY.

H. Res. 1404: Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. COLE of Oklahoma, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. CARTER, and Mr. AL GREEN of Texas.

H. Res. 1405: Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. WATSON, Mr. POE, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. MACK, Mr. WU, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, and Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky.

H. Res. 1458: Mr. BECERRA, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. CARDOZA, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H. Res. 1462: Mr. LYNCH and Mr. STARK.

### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

335. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the San Francisco Labor Council, relative to a resolution opposing any taxpayer-financed blank check bailout of the financial system; to the Committee on Financial Services.

336. Also, a petition of the San Francisco Labor Council, relative to a resolution opposing any taxpayer-financed blank check bailout of the financial system; to the Committee on Financial Services.

337. Also, a petition of the California State Lands Commission, relative to a resolution requesting that Congress continue to enact, and the President reinstitute, the moratorium on oil and gas leasing within protected offshore areas; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

338. Also, a petition of the Chemung County Legislature, relative to Resolution No. 08-448 supporting changes to the federal highway trust fund to insure its long-term solvency; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

339. Also, a petition of the California State Lands Commission, relative to a resolution supporting the enactment of the Ocean Conservation, Education, and National Strategy for the 21st Century Act (HR 21) and the National Oceans Protection Act of 2008 (S3314); jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Science and Technology.