

4874. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300 B4-601, B4-603, B4-605R, B4-620, B4-622, B4-622R, F4-605R, F4-622R, and C4-605R Varian F Series Airplanes Equipped with Simmonds Precision Products, Inc., Fuel Quantity Indicating System Sensors and In-Tank Harnesses Installed in Accordance with Supplemental Type Certificate (STC) ST00092BO [Docket No.: FAA-2009-0324; Directorate Identifier 2008-NM-186-AD; Amendment 39-16039; AD 2009-21-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 13, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4875. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs, Agency for International Development, transmitting the Agency's fourth fiscal year 2009 quarterly report on unobligated and unexpended appropriated funds; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

4876. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a waiver of certain Medicare, Medicaid, and State Children's Health Insurance Program Requirements, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1320b-5 Public Law 107-188, section 143(a)(1135)(f); 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. BRADY of Pennsylvania: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 3224. A bill to authorize the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution to plan, design, and construct a vehicle maintenance building at the vehicle maintenance branch of the Smithsonian Institution located in Suitland, Maryland, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-276 Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2652. A bill to amend title 46, United States Code, to improve vessel safety, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 111-351). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. OBERSTAR: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2650. A bill to amend title 14, United States Code, to modernize the leadership of the Coast Guard, to modernize the administration of marine safety by the Coast Guard, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-352). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 3542. A bill to direct the Architect of the Capitol to fly the flag of a State over the Capitol each year on the anniversary of the date of the State's admission to the Union; with an amendment (Rept. 111-353). 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. MANZULLO:

H.R. 4189. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to accelerate the phase-in of the deduction for domestic production ac-

tivities; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MORAN of Virginia (for himself, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. HINCHHEY, and Mr. KENNEDY):

H.R. 4190. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to conduct a research program on endocrine disruption, to prevent and reduce the production of, and exposure to, chemicals that can undermine the development of children before they are born and cause lifelong impairment to their health and function, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Mr. ARCURI, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. PERRIELLO, Mr. WELCH, Mr. HARE, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. STARK, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. SARBANES):

H.R. 4191. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a tax on certain securities transactions to fund job creation and deficit reduction; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, and 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 Mr. THOMPSON of California:

H.R. 4192. A bill to designate the Stornetta Public Lands as an Outstanding Natural Area to be administered as a part of the National Landscape Conservation System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 4193. A bill to require the establishment of a Consumer Price Index for Elderly Consumers to compute cost-of-living increases for Social Security benefits under title II of the Social Security Act and to provide, in the case of elderly beneficiaries under such title, for an annual cost-of-living increase which is not less than 3 percent; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California:

H.R. 4194. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualifying law school students participating in legal clinics or externships from the application of the conflict of interest rules under section 205 of such title; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FARR (for himself, Mr. HONDA, Mr. PETRI, Mr. GARAMENDI, Ms. WATSON, and Mr. DRIEHAUS):

H.R. 4195. A bill to authorize the Peace Corps Commemorative Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H.R. 4196. A bill to create jobs through the hiring of new faculty and counselors at community colleges; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ADLER of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. HALL of New Jersey, Ms. KIL-

PATRICK of Michigan, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Ms. KOSMAS):

H.R. 4197. A bill to authorize the Gold Star Mothers National Monument Foundation to establish a national monument in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. BERKLEY (for herself, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Ms. JENKINS, Mr. WALDEN, and Ms. TITUS):

H.R. 4198. A bill to establish a program to reunite bondholders with matured unredeemed United States savings bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD (for himself, Mr. JONES, Mr. KISSELL, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. COBLE, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS):

H.R. 4199. A bill to ensure patient choice in pharmacies by regulating pharmacy benefit managers and to establish a program to improve access to prescription drugs for certain individuals; to the Committee on Energy and 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 Ms. CHU (for herself, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO):

H.R. 4200. A bill to prepare a feasibility study and implement demonstration projects to restore the San Gabriel River Watershed in California; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CUELLAR:

H.R. 4201. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the special rule for contributions of book inventory to public schools; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland (for herself, Mr. CARNAHAN, and Mr. DRIEHAUS):

H.R. 4202. A bill to establish centers of excellence for green infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Science and Technology, 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. HALL of New York:

H.R. 4203. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide veterans certain educational assistance payments through direct deposit; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. YARMUTH, and Mr. MAFFEI):

H.R. 4204. A bill to establish national centers of excellence for the treatment of depressive and bipolar disorders; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LOEBSACK (for himself, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, and Mr. KING of Iowa):

H.R. 4205. A bill to extend certain housing-related deadlines in the Heartland Disaster Tax Relief Act of 2008; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MEEK of Florida (for himself and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY):

H.R. 4206. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to provide assistance to the Government of Haiti to end within 5 years the deforestation in Haiti and restore within 30 years the extent of tropical forest cover in existence in Haiti in 1990, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 4207. A bill to authorize improvements in the operation of the government of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Natural Resources, and the Judiciary, 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. PERRIELLO:

H.R. 4208. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the limitation on the reduction in fair market value of real property used for farming, or in another trade or business, for purposes of estate taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TEAGUE (for himself and Mrs. LUMMIS):

H.R. 4209. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to suspend for an additional year the taxable income limit on percentage depletion for oil and natural gas from marginal wells; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. THOMPSON of California (for himself and Mr. WU):

H.R. 4210. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for an energy investment credit for energy storage property connected to the grid, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. THOMPSON of California (for himself and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 4211. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to treat nonrecourse small business investment company loans from the Small Business Administration as amounts at risk for purposes of determining the deduction for losses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. McKEON, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. PENCE, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. McCOTTER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. TURNER, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. INGLIS, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. FLEMING, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. MACK, Mr. BONNER, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. LINDER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. COBLE, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. CAO, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. ISSA, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GRAVES, Ms. FOXX, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. AKIN, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mr. POSEY):

H. Con. Res. 217. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the President, in negotiating any new bilateral strategic arms agreement with the Russian Federation, shall ensure the continued deterrence capability of the United States strategic arsenal and flexibility in the allocation of its components in the event that third countries may pursue the deployment of significant and technologically advanced nuclear strategic forces not covered by such a United States-Russian arms agreement; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado (for himself, Mr. PERLMUTTER, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER):

H. Res. 943. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Federal banking regulators should, with respect to well-managed community-based depository institutions, permit appropriate capital forbearance, troubled debt restructuring accounting practices, and other time-tested measures that would allow such institutions to continue to provide for the financial vitality for our Nation's small businesses and family farms; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself, Mr. WOLF, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. KIRK, Mr. FILNER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. INGLIS, Ms. WATSON, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. SHULER, Mr. MURPHY of New York, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. WATT, Mr. MAFFEI, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Ms. RICHARDSON, Ms. KILROY, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ADLER of New Jersey, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. SIRES, Mr. MCMAHON, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H. Res. 944. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on religious minorities in Iraq; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LAMBORN (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. McCOTTER, Ms. FOXX, Mr. LATTI, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. HARPER, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. LUMMIS, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. POSEY, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. COLE, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, and Mr. SENSENBRENNER):

H. Res. 945. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the conditions for the United States becoming a signatory to or negotiating any international agreement on greenhouse gas emissions under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. WATT, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. COHEN, Ms. HARMAN, Ms. WATERS, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. DEFazio, and Ms. FUDGE):

H. Res. 946. A resolution recognizing that the rate of unemployment in the United States has reached the level of a national crisis, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. LEE of California (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Ms. DEGETTE):

H. Res. 947. A resolution expressing commitment to the objectives of the Program of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia (for himself, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. RUSH, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. RANGEL):

H. Res. 948. A resolution commending the participants and organizers of the World March for Peace and Nonviolence; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. NEUGEBAUER (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. OLSON, Ms. JENKINS, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. PAUL, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. LAMBORN, Ms. GRANGER, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. HENSARLING, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. PITTS, Mr. HARPER, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. POSEY, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. MCCARTHY of California, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. AKIN, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. JONES, and Mr. GOODLATTE):

H. Res. 949. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require a two-thirds vote on a stand-alone bill to increase the statutory limit on the public debt; to the Committee on Rules.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of Rule XXII,

221. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 89 memorializing Congress to require that 2010 census forms include a question on citizenship; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY introduced a bill (H.R. 4212) for the relief of Rigoberto Padilla; 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. 17: Mr. PUTNAM.
H.R. 176: Mr. CONYERS.
H.R. 205: Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. CHAFFETZ.
H.R. 413: Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. LANCE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. CARNAHAN, and Mr. PATRICK J. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 417: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. SABLAN.
H.R. 537: Ms. BERKLEY.
H.R. 571: Mr. BLUNT.
H.R. 644: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. HODES.
H.R. 775: Mr. BURGESS and Ms. FUDGE.
H.R. 836: Mr. ANDREWS and Mr. CARSON of Indiana.
H.R. 1020: Mr. CAPUANO.
H.R. 1051: Mr. WITTMAN.
H.R. 1067: Mr. SESSIONS.
H.R. 1079: Mr. GINGREY of Georgia.
H.R. 1132: Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana, and Mr. POLIS of Colorado.