

Report for 2008; to the Committee on Financial Services.

2682. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the President's bimonthly report on progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus question covering the period April 1, 2009 through May 31, 2009, pursuant to Section 620C(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and in accordance with Section 1(a)(6) of Executive Order 13313; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2683. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification that effective May 24, 2009, the 15% Danger Pay Allowance for USG personnel serving in Banja Luka and Other, Bosnia-Herzegovina, has been eliminated based on improved conditions, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 5928; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2684. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2685. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed technical assistance agreement to include the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles to Russia, Sweden, Hong Kong and Kazakhstan (Transmittal No. DDTC 038-09); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2686. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to Section 3 of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, detailing a possible unauthorized end-use of U.S. defense articles by the Government of Egypt; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2687. A letter from the Architect of the Capitol, transmitting the Semiannual Report for the period October 1, 2008 through March 31, 2009 prepared by the Office of Inspector General of the AOC; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2688. A letter from the Chief Human Capital Officer, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2689. A letter from the Acting Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting response to the report to Congress from the Office of the Inspector General of the Corporation; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2690. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Trade Agreements — Costa Rica and Peru (DFARS Case 2008-D046) (RIN: 0750-AG31) received July 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2691. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Labor Relations Authority, transmitting the Authority's fiscal year 2008 annual report prepared in accordance with Section 203 of the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Public Law 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2692. A letter from the Senior Associate General Counsel, Office of the Director of National Intelligence, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2693. A letter from the General Counsel, Selective Service System, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2694. A letter from the Office of the Inspector General, transmitting copy of the final report on the Architect of the Capitol (AOC) Network Penetration Test (Report No. 09-AOC-13); to the Committee on House Administration.

2695. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting a report on applications for delayed-notice search warrants and extensions during fiscal year 2008, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3103a(d); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2696. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a petition filed on behalf of workers from Standard Oil Development Company, Linden, New Jersey, to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to 42 C.F.R. pt. 83; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2697. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a petition filed on behalf of workers from Santa Susana Field Laboratory-Area IV, to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to 42 C.F.R. pt. 83; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2698. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1839-DR for the State of Tennessee, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2699. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1837-DR for the State of Mississippi, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2700. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1838-DR for the State of West Virginia, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2701. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Memorandum of justification for the President's waiver of the restrictions on the provision of funds to the Palestinian Authority, pursuant to Public Law 111-8, section 7040(d); jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

2702. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1833-DR for the State of Georgia, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; jointly to the Committees on Homeland Security, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Appropriations.

2703. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1836-DR for the State of Alabama, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; jointly to the Committees on Homeland Security, Appropriations, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

2704. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1834-DR for the State of Arkansas, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539;

jointly to the Committees on Homeland Security, Appropriations, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

2705. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's report on the Preliminary Damage Assessment information on FEMA-1835-DR for the State of Alabama, pursuant to Public Law 110-329, section 539; jointly to the Committees on Homeland Security, Appropriations, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

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. 1196. A bill to authorize the Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives to carry out a series of demonstration projects to promote the use of innovative technologies in reducing energy consumption and promoting energy efficiency and cost savings in the House of Representatives (Rept. 111-210). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 1604. A bill to amend the Help America Vote Act of 2002 to allow all eligible voters to vote by mail in Federal elections; with an amendment (Rept. 111-211). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCGOVERN. Committee on Rules. House Resolution 653. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 1018) to amend the Wild Free-Roaming Horses and Burros Act to improve the management and long-term health of wild free-roaming horses and burros, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-212). Referred to the House Calendar.

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. HODES:

H.R. 3230. A bill to establish within the National Science Foundation the Innovation Inspiration school grant program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science and Technology.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself,

Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. PENCE, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BUYER, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. HENSARLING, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. WOLF, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. KIRK, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. TERRY, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. NUNES, Mr. MCHENRY, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. LAMBORN, and Mr. BROUN of Georgia);

H.R. 3231. A bill to refund United States taxpayer dollars expended on the Durban Review Conference, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. KILROY (for herself, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SUTTON, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. BOCCIERI, Ms. SPEIER, and Mr. GRAYSON):

H.R. 3232. A bill to amend the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 to require

certain warrants held by the Secretary of the Treasury to be sold at public auction upon the repayment of the associated assistance provided under the Troubled Asset Relief Program; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. LUMMIS (for herself and Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona):

H.R. 3233. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 to limit the annual cost of appropriation earmarks and to make them more predictable, equitable, and transparent; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 3234. A bill to establish a demonstration project to train unemployed workers for employment as health care professionals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. SCHAUER:

H.R. 3235. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for the use of ethanol in tetra ethyl ortho silicate (TEOS) production; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina:

H.R. 3236. A bill to require the Secretary of Homeland Security to complete at least 700 miles of reinforced fencing along the Southwest border by December 31, 2010, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 3237. A bill to enact certain laws relating to National and Commercial Space Programs as title 51, United States Code, "National and Commercial Space Programs"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H.R. 3238. A bill to increase access to adult education to provide for economic growth; to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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 Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona (for herself and Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California):

H.R. 3239. A bill to require the Secretary of Homeland Security, in consultation with the Secretary of State, to submit a report on the effects of the Merida Initiative on the border security of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. WOLF, Mr. INGLIS, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, and Mr. FORTENBERRY):

H.R. 3240. A bill to ensure compliance with the 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction by countries with which the United States enjoys reciprocal obligations, to establish procedures for the prompt return of children ab-

ducted to other countries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Financial Services, the Judiciary, and 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. MALONEY:

H.R. 3241. A bill to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to provide vouchers for the purchase of educational books for infants and children participating in the special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children under that Act; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mrs. MALONEY (for herself, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, and Ms. BALDWIN):

H.R. 3242. A bill to improve the health of women through the establishment of Offices of Women's Health within the Department of Health and Human Services; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SARBANES (for himself and Mr. GALLEGLEY):

H.R. 3243. A bill to amend section 5542 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that any hours worked by Federal firefighters under a qualified trade-of-time arrangement shall be excluded for purposes of determinations relating to overtime pay; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 3244. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to establish the transfer of any nuclear weapon, device, material, or technology to terrorists as a crime against humanity; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. SCOTT of Virginia (for himself, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. WATERS, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NADLER of New York, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. WEINER, Mr. COHEN, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. PAUL, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. QUIGLEY):

H.R. 3245. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act regarding penalties for cocaine offenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. LARSON of Connecticut:

H. Res. 651. A resolution electing a Member to a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. DICKS, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. McDERMOTT, and Mr. REHBERG):

H. Res. 652. A resolution recognizing the 150th anniversary of the Pig War crisis; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Mr. HOYER, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. ISSA, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. McMAHON, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. MEEKS of

New York, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CLYBURN, Ms. WATSON, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. TANNER, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. MEEK of Florida, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H. Res. 654. A resolution honoring the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Mediterranean Partners for Cooperation and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LUJAN (for himself, Mr. TEAGUE, and Mr. HEINRICH):

H. Res. 655. A resolution recognizing the historical significance of the city of Santa Fe; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. WITTMAN:

H. Res. 656. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of "National Inflammatory Skin Disease Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

116. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Montana, relative to Senate Joint Resolution 15 EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DECISION BY THE UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE TO DELIST THE GRAY WOLF AND URGING THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE, AND PARKS TO DEFEND THE DECISION TO DELIST THE GRAY WOLF AGAINST ANY LEGAL CHALLENGE; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 13: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.
 H.R. 39: Mr. OLVER and Mr. BLUMENAUER.
 H.R. 48: Mr. MCCOTTER.
 H.R. 147: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.
 H.R. 197: Mr. BURGESS and Mr. GRIFFITH.
 H.R. 442: Mr. SULLIVAN and Mr. BLUNT.
 H.R. 444: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. SALAZAR.
 H.R. 564: Mr. HONDA and Ms. ESHOO.
 H.R. 610: Mr. GRAYSON.
 H.R. 682: Mr. THOMPSON of California.
 H.R. 690: Mr. PASCARELL.
 H.R. 836: Mr. PAULSEN, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, and Mr. LEWIS of California.
 H.R. 855: Mr. WALZ, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. GRAYSON.
 H.R. 1020: Mr. CLEAVER.
 H.R. 1034: Mr. LEE of New York and Mr. JONES.
 H.R. 1058: Mr. GERLACH.
 H.R. 1067: Mr. BONNER.
 H.R. 1074: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SULLIVAN, and Mr. AUSTRIA.
 H.R. 1101: Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 1103: Mr. GRAYSON.
 H.R. 1132: Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. CHANDLER, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. BOCCIERI, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. LATTI, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, and Mr. BISHOP of Utah.
 H.R. 1158: Ms. MATSUI.
 H.R. 1250: Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. KIRK, Mr. DRIEHAUS, Mr. PAUL, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. DAVIS of Alabama.
 H.R. 1255: Mr. McCAUL.
 H.R. 1351: Mr. LARSEN of Washington and Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS.
 H.R. 1441: Mr. CLEAVER and Mr. PASTOR of Arizona.
 H.R. 1458: Mr. MAFFEI and Mr. SCALISE.