

By Mr. SCHOCK (for himself and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 2082. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the work opportunity credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. THOMPSON of Mississippi:

H.R. 2083. A bill to authorize the acquisition of core battlefield land at Champion Hill, Port Gibson, and Raymond for addition to Vicksburg National Military Park; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. ROONEY (for himself, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. ROSS of Florida, Mr. COLE, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. WEST, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. ISSA, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. WESTMORELAND):

H. Con. Res. 57. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the President is in violation of the War Powers Resolution regarding the use of United States Armed Forces in Libya, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. LEE of California (for herself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. MOORE, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. RANGEL, and Ms. RICHARDSON):

H. Res. 289. A resolution recognizing the significance of National Caribbean-American Heritage Month; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H. Res. 290. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that it is imperative that the United States creates a clear vision and goal to be the world leader in innovation, science, technology, engineering, and math to ensure the continued strength, growth, and vitality of this Nation; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. LAMBORN:

H. Res. 291. A resolution urging the expedient relocation of the United States Embassy in Israel to Jerusalem; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

43. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, relative to Joint Resolution H.P. 1034 urging the Congress and the Secretary of Education to continue to rely on formula allocations that recognize the obligation to educate all our children regardless of where they live; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

44. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of North Dakota, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4016 recognizing the importance of public awareness of the multiple sclerosis and proclaiming the week of March 14-20, 2011, "MS Awareness Week"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

45. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of West Virginia, relative to Senate Resolution No. 40 recognizing the many contributions of the thousands of volunteers and paid staff at pregnancy care centers in West Virginia and across the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

46. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, relative to House Resolution 6025 supporting continued jurisdiction of the states to conserve and properly regulate oil and gas production; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

47. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of New Mexico, relative to House Memorial 46 requesting the federal government to take steps to ensure the rights of property owners in New Mexico and neighboring states are protected; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

48. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, relative to House Resolution 270 expressing serious concern about the scope, justification, and substance of the OSMRE's stream protection rule; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

49. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Tennessee, relative to House Resolution 60 opposing any reduction of funding for the National Fish Hatchery Operations that would result in the closing of the Erwin National Fish Hatchery; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

50. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 3048 urging the Congress to call a convention for the sole purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

51. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9 urging the Congress to enact the Unemployment Insurance Solvency Act of 2011; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

52. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 264 commending the United States military and other involved United States intelligence and strategic agencies for their service in this near decade-long manhunt for Osama bin Laden; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Intelligence (Permanent Select).

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H.R. 2065.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8. The Congress shall have the Power . . . To define and punish Piracies and Felonies committed on the high Seas, and offenses against the Law of Nations;

By Mr. ROSS of Florida:

H.R. 2066.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. BILIRAKIS:

H.R. 2067.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, clause 1 of the United States Constitution, which grants Congress

the power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

By Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois:

H.R. 2068.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

According to clause 7 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution, Congress has the authority to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;

By Mr. DIAZ-BALART:

H.R. 2069.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio:

H.R. 2070.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Article I, Section 1, clause 18 and pursuant to Article I, section 8, clause 18 and of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. REICHERT:

H.R. 2071.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

"The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically clause 1 (relating to providing for the general welfare of the United States) and clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress), and Article IV, section 3, clause 2 (relating to the power of Congress to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States)."

By Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California:

H.R. 2072.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 (relating to the general welfare of the United States); and Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 (relating to the power to regulate interstate commerce).

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 2073.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. BUERKLE:

H.R. 2074.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 2075.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under the following provisions of the United States Constitution:

Article I, Section 1;
Article I, Section 8, Clause 1;
Article I, Section 8, Clause 3; and
Article I, Section 8, Clause 18.

By Mr. GOWDY:

H.R. 2076.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3, of the Constitution

By Mr. PRICE of Georgia:

H.R. 2077.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The repeal of this provision is consistent with the powers that are reserved to the States and to the people as expressed in Amendment X to the United States Constitution.

By Mr. LOEBSACK:

H.R. 2078.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, clause 1; and Article I, section 8, clause 3.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 2079.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 2080.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This act is justified by sixteenth amendment which, by granting Congress the power to lay and collect taxes allows Congress to provide tax relief to Americans forced to leave their homes because of a natural disaster.

By Mr. RENACCI:

H.R. 2081.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution, which grants Congress the power to regulate Commerce amongst the several states.

By Mr. SCHOCK:

H.R. 2082.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress as stated in Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi:

H.R. 2083.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 2 Section 3 of Article IV of the Constitution: The Congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or any other particular State.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 21: Mr. REICHERT.
 H.R. 25: Mr. GRAVES of Missouri.
 H.R. 31: Mr. CANSECO.
 H.R. 85: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska and Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey.
 H.R. 91: Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia.
 H.R. 153: Mr. BENISHEK.
 H.R. 177: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.
 H.R. 190: Mr. LEVIN.
 H.R. 198: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.
 H.R. 303: Mr. KISSELL.
 H.R. 320: Mr. KISSELL.
 H.R. 365: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 409: Mr. KISSELL.
 H.R. 436: Mr. FORTENBERRY.
 H.R. 451: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SMITH of Washington, and Mr. DEFAZIO.
 H.R. 520: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mrs. CAPPS.
 H.R. 605: Mr. WEST, Mr. FLEMING, Ms. HAYWORTH, and Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia.
 H.R. 640: Mr. COHEN, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, and Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 642: Mr. DENT.
 H.R. 706: Mr. HINCHEY.
 H.R. 709: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
 H.R. 721: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Ms. RICHARDSON.
 H.R. 733: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. BURGESS, and Mr. HONDA.
 H.R. 735: Mr. FLAKE.
 H.R. 740: Mr. OWENS.
 H.R. 757: Mr. HIMES.
 H.R. 808: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 883: Mr. ISRAEL.
 H.R. 886: Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. SHULER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. WOLF.
 H.R. 894: Mr. SMITH of Washington and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.
 H.R. 900: Ms. RICHARDSON.
 H.R. 904: Mr. RUNYAN.
 H.R. 973: Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado.
 H.R. 992: Mr. GARAMENDI.
 H.R. 1006: Mr. DEUTCH and Mrs. SCHMIDT.
 H.R. 1028: Mr. BLUMENAUER.
 H.R. 1044: Mr. GOWDY, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. DESJARLAIS.
 H.R. 1057: Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. FUDGE, and Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
 H.R. 1058: Mr. FARENTHOLD.
 H.R. 1063: Ms. SPEIER, Mr. BOSWELL, and Mr. LANGEVIN.
 H.R. 1084: Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. RAHALL.
 H.R. 1121: Mr. ROSS of Florida.
 H.R. 1149: Mr. HANABUSA.
 H.R. 1172: Ms. FUDGE.
 H.R. 1174: Mr. GRIMM, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, and Mr. COURTNEY.
 H.R. 1193: Mr. CICILLINE.
 H.R. 1206: Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. LATTA, and Mr. CANSECO.
 H.R. 1218: Mr. GUTHRIE and Mr. REED.
 H.R. 1227: Mr. CANSECO.
 H.R. 1236: Mr. REICHERT, Mr. WU, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. MCDERMOTT.
 H.R. 1259: Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. QUAYLE, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, and Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan.
 H.R. 1269: Mr. MCGOVERN and Mr. PETERSON.
 H.R. 1277: Mr. ALTMIRE.
 H.R. 1284: Mr. SABLAN, Mr. DEUTCH, and Mr. GARAMENDI.
 H.R. 1311: Ms. FUDGE.
 H.R. 1327: Mr. CASSIDY.
 H.R. 1328: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.
 H.R. 1331: Mr. BROUN of Georgia.
 H.R. 1351: Ms. ESHOO, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. HANABUSA, and Mr. INSLEE.
 H.R. 1379: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.
 H.R. 1426: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa.
 H.R. 1488: Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.
 H.R. 1498: Ms. ESHOO, Mr. MCNERNEY, and Mr. UPTON.
 H.R. 1501: Mr. LABRADOR.
 H.R. 1505: Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. JENKINS, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. FLEMING, and Mrs. ELLMERS.
 H.R. 1506: Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H.R. 1514: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.
 H.R. 1515: Mr. QUIGLEY.
 H.R. 1533: Ms. PINGREE of Maine and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 1545: Mr. HALL.
 H.R. 1547: Mr. CICILLINE.
 H.R. 1558: Mr. FLORES.
 H.R. 1574: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 1585: Mr. GUINTA and Mr. WESTMORELAND.
 H.R. 1592: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.
 H.R. 1625: Mr. KLINE.
 H.R. 1629: Mr. WALBERG.

H.R. 1633: Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. LABRADOR, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. NUNNELEE, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan, and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.
 H.R. 1639: Mr. DIAZ-BALART and Mr. YODER.
 H.R. 1666: Mr. PERLMUTTER.
 H.R. 1672: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. KING of New York.
 H.R. 1683: Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 1687: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia and Mr. COLE.
 H.R. 1694: Mrs. LOWEY.
 H.R. 1706: Mr. DEFAZIO.
 H.R. 1723: Mr. FARENTHOLD and Mr. COLE.
 H.R. 1724: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FTLNER, and Ms. BERKLEY.
 H.R. 1734: Mr. LANDRY and Mr. MEEHAN.
 H.R. 1735: Mr. PASTOR of Arizona, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. YARMUTH.
 H.R. 1744: Mr. LANDRY, Mr. CANSECO, and Mr. SCHWEIKERT.
 H.R. 1748: Mr. OLVER.
 H.R. 1756: Mrs. MALONEY and Mr. SERRANO.
 H.R. 1775: Mr. BROOKS, Mr. KISSELL, and Mr. LABRADOR.
 H.R. 1791: Mr. SOUTHERLAND.
 H.R. 1796: Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WU, and Mr. KUCINICH.
 H.R. 1799: Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mrs. MALONEY.
 H.R. 1803: Ms. RICHARDSON and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
 H.R. 1815: Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. CHANDLER, and Ms. SPEIER.
 H.R. 1848: Mr. BENISHEK, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. RIVERA, and Mr. LANDRY.
 H.R. 1852: Mr. TERRY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. NEAL, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Ms. MOORE.
 H.R. 1856: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California and Mr. FORTENBERRY.
 H.R. 1861: Mr. MCKINLEY.
 H.R. 1872: Mr. ROSS of Florida, Mr. LATTA, and Mr. SCHOCK.
 H.R. 1873: Mr. INSLEE.
 H.R. 1878: Mr. KUCINICH.
 H.R. 1932: Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. MARCHANT.
 H.R. 1938: Ms. JENKINS and Mr. HUELSKAMP.
 H.R. 1941: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. FARR, and Mr. GARAMENDI.
 H.R. 1946: Mr. PAUL.
 H.R. 1964: Mr. SCHOCK.
 H.R. 1970: Mr. HINCHEY and Ms. BROWN of Florida.
 H.R. 1976: Ms. JENKINS, Mr. HURT, Mr. CULBERSON, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. PAUL, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mrs. ELLMERS, Mr. CANSECO, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. WESTMORELAND.
 H.R. 1980: Mr. LAMBORN.
 H.R. 1987: Ms. SPEIER and Mr. DEUTCH.
 H.R. 1997: Mr. ROSS of Florida.
 H.R. 2000: Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 2008: Mr. LABRADOR.
 H.R. 2010: Mr. MARCHANT and Mr. LATTA.
 H.R. 2023: Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 2026: Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H.R. 2033: Mr. HOLT.
 H.R. 2040: Mr. MARCHANT.
 H.R. 2061: Ms. NORTON, Mr. WITTMAN, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. WOLF, Mr. OWENS, Mr. REYES, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. GRIJALVA.