H.R. 3131. A bill to direct the Secretary of State to submit a report on whether any support organization that participated in the planning or execution of the recent Gaza flotilla attempt should be designated as a foreign terrorist organization and any actions taken by the Department of State to express gratitude to the government of Greece for preventing the Gaza flotilla from setting sail in contravention of Israel's legal blockade of Gaza, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Ms. CHU:

H.R. 3132. A bill to extend the authorization period for certain uses of funds from the San Gabriel Basin Restoration Fund: to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mrs. DAVIS of California:

H.R. 3133. A bill to amend titles 28 and 10. United States Code, to allow for certiorari review of certain cases denied relief or review by the United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces: to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. KIL-DEE, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. Jackson of Illinois. Ms. Lee of California, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Ms. MOORE):

H.R. 3134. A bill to amend the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 to include providing diapers and diapering supplies among the activities for which funds may be employed to improve the quality of and access to child care; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. Huelskamp, Mr. Paul, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. JONES, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. Yoder, Mr. Amash, Mr. BROOKS, Mr. FLORES, Mrs. BLACK-BURN, Mr. PITTS, Mr. COLE, Mr. , Mr. COL
BARTLETT,
SCHWEIKERT, Mr. MANZIUTA
GOSAR. Mr. Po-MANZULLO, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. ROSS of Florida, Ms. JEN-KINS, and Mr. BERG):

H.R. 3135. A bill to amend the provisions of title 40, United States Code, commonly known as the Davis-Bacon Act, to raise the threshold dollar amount of contracts subject to the prevailing wage requirements of such provisions; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 3136. A bill to provide for rates of pay for Members of Congress to be adjusted as a function of changes in Government spending: to the Committee on House Administration. and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. GARRETT:

H.R. 3137. A bill to permit small business concerns operating in the United States to elect to be exempt from certain Federal rules and regulations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California (for herself, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. CARNA-HAN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. DINGELL, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. LATOU-RETTE, Ms. MOORE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. NADLER, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. WELCH, and Eddie Bernice Johnson Ms. Texas):

H.R. 3138. A bill to amend the National Institute of Standards and Technology Act to specify a cost sharing requirement and to provide for a report to Congress; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 3139. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the creation of disaster protection funds in the District of Columbia by property and casualty insurance companies for the payment of policyholders' claims arising from natural catastrophic events; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself and Mr. MEEHAN):

H.R. 3140. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to prioritize the assignment of officers and analysts to certain State and urban area fusion centers to enhance the security of mass transit systems; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. WELCH (for himself and Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky):

3141. A bill to amend the Public H.R. Health Service Act to revise the amount of minimum allotments under the Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3142. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives for the donation of wild game meat: to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. McGOVERN:

H.J. Res. 80. A joint resolution limiting the issuance of a letter of offer with respect to a certain proposed sale of defense articles and defense services to the Kingdom of Bahrain: to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. CLARKE of New York (for herself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. Towns, and Mrs. Christensen):

H. Res. 426. A resolution recognizing the impact of Mr. Hulbert James on politics, urban development, and New York City, and paying tribute to Mr. James for his lifetime of public service; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HUNTER (for himself and Mr. RUPPERSBERGER):

H. Res. 427. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of Red Ribbon Week; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

> By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. Towns, Mr. Pierluisi, Mr. Serrano, Mr. Meeks. Mr. Moran. Ms. Clarke of New York, Mr. CROWLEY, and Mr. GRIMM):

H. Res. 428. A resolution recognizing the importance of acknowledging the contributions of Dominican-Americans to the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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 Ms. VELAZQUEZ:

H.R. 3114.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States . . . "

By Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado:

H.R. 3115.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 and Article I, Section 9. Clause 7

By Mr. KING of New York:

H.R. 3116.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to lav 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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

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

By Mr. WITTMAN:

H.R. 3117.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. FARENTHOLD:

H.R. 3118.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California: H.R. 3119.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4 of the Constitution.

By Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California: H.R. 3120.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4 of the Constitution.

By Mr. BARROW:

H.R. 3121.

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

Art. I. Sec. 9, Cl. 7 (no spending "but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law'')

By Mr. HANNA:

H.R. 3122.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitu-

By Mr. TIBERI:

H.R. 3123.

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

This bill makes changes to existing law relating to Article 1, Section 7 which provides that "All bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives."

By Mr. CLAY:

H.R. 3124.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States grants the Congress the power to enact this law.

By Mr. $\bar{\text{C}}\text{AMPBELL}$:

H.R. 3125.

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

Clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California:

H.R. 3126.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1, 3, 18 of the U.S. Constitution; Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. POSEY:

H.R. 3127.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. GRIMM: H.R. 3128.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. BACA:

H.R. 3129.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mrs. BACHMANN:

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

As human beings capable of exhibiting detectible heartbeats through the most modern medical technology, the unborn are granted the right to due process under Section 1 of the 14th Amendment of the United States Constitution which explicitly states, "no state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

By Mr. BILIRAKIS:

H.R. 3131.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 10 of the Constitution of the United States and Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States

By Ms. CHU:

H.R. 3132.

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

Clause 1, Section 8, Article 1 of the Constitution.

By Mrs. DAVIS of California:

H.R. 3133.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 3134.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina: H.B. 3135.

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

Because this legislation adjusts the formula the federal government uses to spend money on federal contracts, it is authorized by the Constitution under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1, which grants Congress its spending power.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 3136.

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

Article I, Sec. 6 and Amendment XXVII

By Mr. GARRETT:

H.R. 3137.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California: H.R. 3138.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3, and 18.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 3139.

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

clause 17 of section 8 of article \boldsymbol{I} of the Constitution.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 3140.

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

The Constitution including Article I, Section 8

By Mr. WELCH:

H.R. 3141.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18, the power to make 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.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3142.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

By Mr. McGOVERN:

H.J. Res. 80.

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

U.S. Constitution, Article I, Section 8, authorizes the Congress:

1) "to provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States," and

2) "to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers."

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 23: Mr. SIRES, Mr. RANGEL, and Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 49: Mr. NUNES and Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 57: Mr. Cassidy and Ms. Hayworth.

H.R. 58: Mr. McClintock.

H.R. 115: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{H.R.}}$ 265: Mr. Jackson of Illinois and Mr. Farr.

H.R. 266: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 267: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 324: Ms. RICHARDSON.

H.R. 329: Mr. BACA.

H.R. 360: Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 361: Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina.

 $\rm H.R.~420:~Mr.~Pompeo,~Mrs.~Bachmann,~and~Mr.~McClintock.$

H.R. 494: Mr. Jackson of Illinois.

H.R. 607: Ms. NORTON.

 $\rm H.R.$ 674: Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas, Mr. Gallegly, Mrs. Capps, and Mr. Berg.

H.R. 676: Ms. NORTON and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 719: Mr. PIERLUISI.

H.R. 721: Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado.

H.R. 750: Mr. Schweikert.

H.R. 805: Mr. Ross of Arkansas.

H.R. 807: Ms. McCollum and Mr. Peterson.

 $\rm H.R.~812;~Ms.~Roybal\mbox{-}Allard,~Mr.~Latham,~and~Mr.~Ellison.$

H.R. 822: Mr. Hastings of Washington.

H.R. 835: Mr. Jackson of Illinois and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 886: Mr. Jones, Mr. Culberson, Mr. Calvert, Mr. Southerland, Mr. Meehan, Mr. Schilling, Mr. Ribble, Mr. Young of Indiana, Mr. Turner of New York, and Mr. Stivers.

H.R. 892: Ms. Jenkins.

H.R. 991: Mr. FLEISCHMANN.

 $\rm H.R.$ 1041: Ms. Wilson of Florida.

H.R. 1084: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 1116: Mr. Larsen of Washington.

H.R. 1161: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 1179: Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California and Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 1193: Mr. MEEKS and Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 1236: Ms. McCollum, Mr. Larsen of Washington, Mr. Clay, and Mr. Moran.

H.R. 1265: Mr. Schilling and Mr. Nunes.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{H.R.}}$ 1288: Mrs. Maloney, Mr. Stark, and Ms. Woolsey.

 $H.R.\ 1327;\ Mr.\ McKinley,\ Mr.\ Engel,\ and\ Mr.\ Stark.$

H.R. 1332: Mr. Murphy of Connecticut, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. Royce, Mr. Manzullo, and Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 1340: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 1348: Ms. RICHARDSON.

 $\rm H.R.$ 1351: Mr. Johnson of Ohio and Mr. Reed.

H.R. 1370: Mr. ROGERS of Alabama and Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 1443: Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 1457: Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 1509: Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 1541: Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. POSEY, and Mr. SCALISE.

H.R. 1546: Mr. NUNNELEE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. HAHN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CHANDLER, and Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 1558: Mr. WOMACK and Mrs. HARTZLER.

H.R. 1578: Mr. OWENS.

 $\rm H.R.~1585;~Mr.~Franks~of~Arizona,~Mr.~Ribble,~and~Mr.~Southerland.$

H.R. 1609: Mr. Brooks and Mr. Shimkus.

H.R. 1616: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.

H.R. 1639: Mr. Bass of New Hampshire, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Olson, Mr. Young of Alaska, and Mr. Hultgren.

H.R. 1675: Mr. ROSKAM and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 1676: Ms. Speier and Mr. Markey.

H.R. 1723: Mr. Ross of Florida.

H.R. 1737: Mr. Nunnelee and Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas.

H.R. 1744: Mr. MACK.

H.R. 1769: Mr. MARCHANT.

H.R. 1776: Ms. HIRONO.

H.R. 1781: Ms. EDWARDS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. YARMUTH.

H.R. 1815: Mr. TURNER of Ohio.

H.R. 1815: Mr. Turner of Ohio. H.R. 1862: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr.

McGovern, and Mr. Jackson of Illinois.

H.R. 1904: Mr. LUETKEMEYER. H.R. 1953: Mr. HINCHEY

H.R. 1968: Ms. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 1996: Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 2016: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 2020: Mr. LATHAM and Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 2033: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2040: Ms. JENKINS.

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H.R. 2059: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Mrs. BachMANN, Mr. Murphy of Pennsylvania, Mrs.
McMorris Rodgers, and Ms. Buerkle.

H.R. 2085: Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. PASTOR of Arizona, and Ms. HAHN.

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H.R. 2195: Mr. REHBERG.

H.R. 2207: Mr. OLVER.

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of Indiana. H.R. 2236: Ms. SUTTON.

H.D. 9990, Mr. CALLEGIA

H.R. 2239: Mr. GALLEGLY. H.R. 2245: Mr. Ross of Florida and Mr.

Young of Florida.

H.R. 2247: Mr. Larsen of Washington. H.R. 2272: Mr. RAHALL.

 $\rm H.R.$ 2297: Mr. Calvert.

H.R. 2299: Mr. SCHILLING. H.R. 2304: Mr. BARROW.

H.R. 2357: Mr. CAPUANO. H.R. 2362: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 2369: Mr. Tierney, Mr. Sullivan, Ms. Granger, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. Gardner, Mr. Whitfield, and Mrs. Roby.

H.R. 2376: Mr. DOLD, Mr. REED, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BASS of New