By Mr. SCHWEIKERT (for himself, Mr. RIBBLE, and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona):

H.R. 2676. A bill to lower health premiums and increase choice for small businesses; 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 con-

By Mr. RANGEL:

H. Res. 376. A resolution calling for the repatriation of POW/MIAs and abductees from the Korean War; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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. WELCH:

H.R. 2663.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18, which gives Congress the power 'To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing powers.

By Mrs. NAPOLITANO:

H.R. 2664.

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

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States grants Congress the authority to enact this bill.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 2665.

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 (Clause 14), which grants Congress the power to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces.'

By Mr. PASCRELL:

H.R. 2666

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 and Article I, Section 10, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 2667.

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

Article I, section 8, clause 4 of the Constitution.

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 2668.

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

Article 1, Section I and Section 8.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 2669.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BROOKS:

H.R. 2670

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

Article I, Section 8. "The Congress shall have the power . . . to establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization . . ."

By Mr. CARTER:

H.R. 2671.

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 Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

By Mr. GERLACH:

H.R. 2672.

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

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 2673.

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

Article 1. Section 8

By Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS:

H.B. 2674

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

The bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, clause 3 to regulate Commerce among the several States.

By Mr. RIBBLE:

H.R. 2675.

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. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 2676.

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

Art. 1, §8, Clause 3 of the Constitution: "To regulate commerce among foreign nations and the several states."

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 85: Mr. COHEN and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 104: Mr. ISSA and Mr. BUCSHON.

H.R. 136: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 157: Mr. HECK.

H.R. 365: Mr. REICHERT.

H.R. 436: Mr. GOWDY and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 452: Mr. STEARNS and Mr. LATOU-RETTE.

H.R. 530: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 563: Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 593: Mrs. Blackburn, Mr. Jones, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. NUNNELEE, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.

H.R. 645: Mr. Johnson of Ohio.

H.R. 721: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 748: Mr. DEFAZIO.

H.R. 763: Mr. KISSELL.

H.R. 772: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts.

H.R. 831: Mrs. Christensen.

H.R. 860: Mr. Meeks, Mr. Hultgren, Mr. SCHRADER, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa.

H.R. 878: Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 942: Mr. Graves of Missouri.

H.R. 1063: Mr. HOLDEN.

H.R. 1172: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 1179: Mrs. HARTZLER and Mr. HARRIS. H.R. 1219: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 1283: Mr. Young of Indiana.

H.R. 1381: Mr. Pastor of Arizona.

H.R. 1464: Mr. CARTER.

H.R. 1546: Ms. Tsongas, Mr. Luján, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. McCaul. H.R. 1574: Mr. QUIGLEY and Ms. ZOE LOF-GREN of California.

H.R. 1588: Mrs. BLACK.

H.R. 1639: Mr. MCHENRY.

H.R. 1703: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 1736: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. Cassidy.

H.R. 1744: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 1780: Mr. CAPUANO. H.R. 1803: Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 1834: Mr. Boren, Ms. Eshoo, and Mr. HECK

H.R. 1852: Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. CHABOT, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. GALLEGLY. H.R. 1925: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 1936: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 1955: Mr. STIVERS.

H.R. 2012: Ms. CHU. H.R. 2023: Ms. FOXX and Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 2033: Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 2108: Mr. Ross of Arkansas.

H.R. 2123: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 2163: Mr. HEINRICH.

H.R. 2164: Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. Young of Florida, and Mr. King of New York. H.R. 2235: Mr. Polis, Mr. Rangel, Mr. Gri-JALVA, and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 2249: Mrs. Capito. H.R. 2257: Mr. Posey, Mr. Pitts, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. MULVANEY

H.R. 2271: Ms. Bordallo.

H.R. 2327: Mr. McCotter

H.R. 2381: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

H.R. 2402: Mr. HALL.

H.R. 2429: Mr. Lankford.

 $\rm H.R.$ 2492: Mr. Meehan, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Hin-CHEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. MCDERMOTT

H.R. 2505: Mr. BUTTERFIELD and Mr. RYAN

of Ohio. H.R. 2529: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 2530: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. McGOVERN, Ms. HAYWORTH, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr.

Braley of Iowa. H.R. 2541: Mr. Thompson of Mississippi

H.R. 2544: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mr. VAN HOLLEN. H.R. 2559: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 2580: Mrs. McCarthy of New York and Mrs. Lowey.

H.R. 2592: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2594: Mr. HARRIS and Mr. LOBIONDO. H.R. 2600: Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. Johnson of Georgia, Mr. Latta, Mr. Ber-MAN. Mr. Towns, Mr. Rahall, and Mr. Grif-FIN of Arkansas.

H.R. 2607: Ms. CHU. H.R. 2644: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. Moore, Mr. Schiff, Mr. Stark, Mr. Luján, Ms. Hanabusa, Ms. Berkley, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. CARDOZA, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. MAT-SUI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. COSTA, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 2653: Ms. Tsongas, Mr. Rooney, Mr. BARROW, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mrs. BLACK, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 2659: Mr. OLVER and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.

H.J. Res. 69: Mr. LUJÁN, and Mr. CARNAHAN.

H. Res. 19: Mr. HINCHEY. H. Res. 21: Mr. HINCHEY.

H. Res. 295: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr.

LANCE, and Mr. ALEXANDER. H. Res. 342: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Ms. SE-

WELL, and Mr. RAHALL. H. Res. 361: Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CLAY, CHRISTENSEN, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. Thompson of Mississippi.

H. Res. 364: Mr. Austin Scott of Georgia, Mr. Ross of Florida, Mr. Davis of Kentucky, Mr. Whitfield, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Runyan, Mr. Thornberry, Mr. Reichert, Mr. Sul-LIVAN, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. Harper, Mr. Carter, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. KLINE, Mr. MAN-

ZULLO, and Mr. GUTHRIE. H. Res. 369: Mr. Conaway.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. POSEY

AMENDMENT No. 73: At the end of the bill (before the short title) add the following: SEC. ____. None of the funds made available

SEC. ___. None of the funds made available by this Act may be used by the Department of the Interior for any new oil or gas drilling above the Outer Continental Shelf within 25-miles of the State of Florida.

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. LABRADOR

AMENDMENT No. 74: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following: SEC. ____. None of the funds made available by this Act may be used to develop or implement a comprehensive conservation plan under the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 668dd et seq.) for the Lake Lowell Unit of the Deer Flat National Wildlife Refuge.

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. CARTER

AMENDMENT No. 75: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

. None of the funds made available by this Act may be used to implement, administer, or enforce a State emissions reduction obligation in the final rule entitled "Federal Implementation Plans to Reduce Interstate Transport of Fine Particulate Matter and Ozone in 27 States; Correction of SIP Approvals for 22 States" (popularly referred to as the "Cross-State Air Pollution Rule") signed by the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency on July 6. 2011, for a State for which the Administrator did not propose a State emissions budget in the proposed rule entitled "Federal Implementation Plans To Reduce Interstate Transport of Fine Particulate Matter and Ozone" published in the Federal Register on August 2, 2010 (75 Fed. Reg. 45210 et seq.).

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. FLEMING

AMENDMENT No. 76: Page 65, line 19, after the dollar amount, insert "(reduced by \$48,206,000)".

Page 158, line 25, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$48.206.000)".

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. LANDRY

AMENDMENT No. 77: At the end of the bill, before the short title, insert the following:

FUNDING LIMITATION RELATED TO REGULATION OF OFFSHORE SERVICE CONTRACTORS

SEC. ___. None of the funds made available under this Act may be used to regulate, under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act (43 U.S.C. 1331 et seq.), any person that is not a lessee under that Act.

H.R. 2584

OFFERED BY MR. NEUGEBAUER

AMENDMENT No. 78: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

SEC. ____. None of the funds made available by this Act may be used to add the lesser prairie chicken to the list of threatened species or endangered species published under section 4(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1533(c)).