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 Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 2872. A bill to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to improve the New Markets Venture Capital Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 2873. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit to employers for the retention of certain individuals hired before 2013; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HULTGREN:

H.R. 2874. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration, to award grants on a competitive basis to public and private entities to provide qualified sexual risk avoidance education to youth and their parents; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H. Con. Res. 75. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that Libya's frozen assets be utilized to pay for NATO's military campaign; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MACK:

H. Con. Res. 76. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that Secretary of the Treasury Timothy Geithner no longer holds the confidence of Congress or of the people of the United States; to the Committee on Financial Services, 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 Mr. WALSH of Illinois:

H. Res. 394. A resolution supporting Israel's right to annex Judea and Samaria in the event that the Palestinian Authority continues to press for unilateral recognition of Palestinian statehood at the United Nations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. FOXX:

H. Res. 395. A resolution electing a certain Member to a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to. considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MANZULLO (for himself and Mr. RYAN of Ohio):

H. Res. 396. A resolution encouraging energy efficient and environment-friendly building and facility programs to incorporate the use of mechanical insulation as part of their standards and ratings system; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## 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. GRIMM:

H.R. 2865.

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

Article IV. Section 3. Clause 2

By Mr. MANZULLO:

H.R. 2866.

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 and Clause I of the United States Constitution.

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; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States:

To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes

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. WOLF:

H.R. 2867.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DOLD:

H.R. 2868.

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

Article 1, Section 8, clause 1, which provides Congress the power to lay and collect taxes. This legislation provides for a temporary payroll tax reduction.

By Ms. FUDGE:

H.R. 2869.

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; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 2870.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause I

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 2871.

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

Article 1, Section 8: Congress shall have the power to regulate commerce among the states, and provide for the general welfare.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.B. 2872

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power \*\*\* To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 2873.

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. HULTGREN:

H.R. 2874.

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

Clause 3 of Section 8, Article 1 of the Constitution.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 121: Mr. Luetkemeyer.

H.R. 399: Mr. HANNA.

H.R. 420: Mrs. CAPITO and Mr. SCHOCK.

H.R. 458: Ms. Woolsey.

H.R. 539: Mr. HOLT. H.R. 615: Mrs. ELLMERS.

H.R. 640: Mr. NEAL.

H.R. 642: Mr. SULLIVAN.

H.R. 665: Mr. YODER. H.R. 687: Mr. LOEBSACK.

H.R. 692: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 721: Mr. CARTER.

H.R. 735: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. BLACK, and Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina.

H.R. 750: Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. WOODALL, Ms. JENKINS, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 765: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 860: Mrs. Blackburn, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. Meehan, Ms. Schakowsky, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Gerlach, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Price of Georgia, Mr. Renacci, Mr. Platts, Mr. Benishek, Mr. Holt, Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California, Mr. Kinzinger of Illinois, and Mr. Baca.

H.R. 878: Mr. Sessions.

H.R. 881: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 891: Mr. Peterson, Mr. Higgins, Mrs. Maloney, Mr. Terry, Mr. Capuano, and Mr. Renacci.

H.R. 909: Mr. PENCE.

H.R. 912: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 925: Mr. Conyers.

H.R. 965: Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California.

H.R. 973: Mr. PALAZZO.

H.R. 992: Mrs. Napolitano.

H.R. 1025: Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 1111: Mr. HARRIS.

H.R. 1117: Mr. MICHAUD. H.R. 1134: Mr. WOODALL.

H.R. 1138: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 1154: Mr. LUJÁN and Mr. HULTGREN.

H.R. 1159: Mr. PLATTS.

 $\rm H.R.~1161;~Mr.~REYES,~Mr.~Jones,~Mr.~Tonko,~and~Ms.~Jenkins.$ 

H.R. 1167: Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Fincher, Mr. Duncan of South Carolina, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Womack, Ms. Jenkins, Mr. Marchant, Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas, and Mr. Graves of Georgia.

H.R. 1172: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 1182: Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. WOMACK, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 1186: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 1195: Mr. PLATTS. H.R. 1195: Mr. PETERSON, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 1206: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 1208: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 1219: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ OF California, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. PETERSON, and Ms. BASS of California.

H.R. 1240: Mr. Holt.

H.R. 1244: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas and Mr. AKIN.

H.R. 1279: Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.

H.R. 1288: Mr. LANGEVIN.

 $\rm H.R.$  1328: Ms. Woolsey.

H.R. 1331: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 1340: Mr. Long.

H.R. 1351: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. WATT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BARROW, and Mr. MATHESON.

H.R. 1370: Mrs. Roby.

H.R. 1464: Mr. Welch, Mr. McCotter, Mr. Cummings, Ms. Berkley, Mr. Connolly of Virginia, Mr. Garrett, and Mrs. Roby.

H.R. 1465: Ms. Woolsey.

H.R. 1515: Mr. Holt.

H.R. 1558: Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 1591: Mr. DENT.

H.R. 1684: Mrs. Napolitano.

H.R. 1697: Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. HARTZLER, and Mr. CASSIDY.

H.R. 1700: Mr. DENHAM.

H.R. 1738: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. BLU-MENAUER, and Mr. POE of Texas.

H.R. 1754: Ms. Speier.

H.R. 1755: Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. SCALISE, and Mr. LONG.

H.R. 1756: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts and Mr. Neal.

H.R. 1780: Mr. Blumenauer.

H.R. 1781: Ms. Hanabusa and Mrs. Napolitano.

H.R. 1834: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

 $H.R.\ 1955;\ Mr.\ BRADY$  of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1971: Mr. PETERSON and Mr. HINCHEY. H.R. 1980: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr.

H.R. 1980: Mr. Brady of Pennsylvania, Mr. ROHRABACHER, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1987: Mr. Schiff.

H.R. 2012: Mr. CARDOZA

H.R. 2042: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. REICHERT, and Mr. MEEKS.

H.R. 2051: Mr. GERLACH.

H.R. 2069: Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 2085: Mr. CICILLINE and Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 2097: Mr. BARTLETT and Mr. BARROW.

H.R. 2130: Mr. Ellison.

H.R. 2144: Mr. GRIJALVA

H.R. 2188: Mr. HALL.

H.R. 2190: Mr. RANGEL and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 2206: Mr. McCotter.

H.R. 2207: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. EDWARDS, and Mr. CARNAHAN.

H.R. 2248: Mr. Ellison.

H.R. 2249: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 2250: Mr. Gosar, Mr. Smith of Nebraska, Mr. Pompeo, and Mr. Roskam.

H.R. 2271: Mr. WITTMAN.

H.R. 2304: Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee.

H.R. 2316: Mr. Towns.

H.R. 2328: Mr. Kucinich, Ms. Schakowsky, and Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California.

H.R. 2357: Mr. KLINE.

H.R. 2362: Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 2387: Mrs. Maloney.

H.R. 2429: Mr. Poe of Texas.

H.R. 2444: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 2497: Mr. Walsh of Illinois, Mr. Luetkemeyer, and Mr. Roskam.

H.R. 2499: Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California.

H.R. 2514: Mr. Pompeo, Ms. Jenkins, Mr. Gosar, Mr. Walsh of Illinois, Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas, Mr. Graves of Georgia, Mr. Luetkemeyer, and Mr. Flores.

H.R. 2528: Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas.

H.R. 2529: Mr. GUTHRIE.

 $\rm H.R.~2541;~Mrs.~Emerson,~Ms.~Sewell,~and~Mr.~Ribble.$ 

H.R. 2547: Mr. MARKEY and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 2559: Mr. Loebsack.

H.R. 2594: Mr. RIBBLE.

H.R. 2595: Mr. TONKO, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. RYAN Of Ohio, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. RENACCI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. HOLT, Mr. PETERSON, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2632: Mr. SMITH of Texas.

 $\rm H.R.~2674;~Mr.~Peterson,~Ms.~Castor~of~Florida,~and~Mr.~LaTourette.$ 

H.R. 2681: Mr. McKinley, Mr. Posey, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. Gosar.

H.R. 2689: Ms. SPEIER, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 2695: Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 2696: Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 2698: Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 2699: Mr. RIVERA, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 2712: Mr. Posey.

 $\rm H.R.~2763;~Ms.~Schakowsky,~Mr.~Rangel,$  and Mr. Grijalva.

H.R. 2772: Mr. Lobiondo.

H.R. 2796: Mr. Burgess, Mr. Walsh of Illinois, Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Mr. Crenshaw, Mr. Rivera, Mr. Southerland, Mr. Stearns, Mr. Webster, Mrs. Adams, Mr. Schock, and Mr. Boustany.

H.R. 2823: Mr. McDermott.

H.R. 2828: Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 2834: Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. Cole, and Mr. Huizenga of Michigan.

H.R. 2835: Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Ms. SUTTON.

H.R. 2836: Mr. Gonzalez, Ms. Jackson Lee of Texas, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. McGovern, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Doyle, and Ms. Sutton.

H.R. 2837: Mr. GONZALEZ, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. DOYLE, and Ms. SUTTON.

H.R. 2852: Mr. Poe of Texas.

H.R. 2853: Mr. Young of Indiana and Ms. Woolsey.

H.R. 2856: Ms. HAYWORTH and Mr. HANNA.

H.J. Res. 28: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. GUTIER-REZ, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STARK, Ms. WATERS, and Ms. NORTON.

H.J. Res. 77: Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. SCHILLING, and Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California.

H. Con. Res. 72: Mrs. Napolitano, Ms. Slaughter, Mr. Ellison, Mr. Kildee, Mrs. Maloney, Mr. Serrano, and Mr. Defazio.

H. Res. 25: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia and Mr. Royce.

H. Res. 111: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Ms. Woolsey, Mr. Luján, and Mrs. Lummis.

H. Res. 134: Mr. HEINRICH.

H. Res. 137: Mr. RAHALL and Mr. BARROW.

H. Res. 177: Mr. TIBERI.

H. Res. 239: Mr. Griffin of Arkansas.

H. Res. 262: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

 $H.\ Res.\ 295;\ Mr.\ McCaul$  and Mr. Griffin of Arkansas.

H. Res. 306: Mr. HEINRICH.

H. Res. 374: Mr. SMITH of Washington.