

5193. A letter from the Special Inspector General For Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR) January 2012 Quarterly Report and Semiannual Report; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

5194. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting fourth quarterly report of FY 2011 on the Uniformed Services Employment and Re-employment Rights Act; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Veterans' Affairs.

5195. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Report to Congress: Under the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011 Section 501(b)(2) Concerning the Presidential Permit Application of the Proposed Keystone XL Pipeline; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Foreign Affairs, Energy and Commerce, and Natural Resources.

#### 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. BACHUS: Committee on Financial Services. Supplemental report on H.R. 3606. A bill to increase American job creation and economic growth by improving access to the public capital markets for emerging growth companies (Rept. 112-406, Pt. 2). Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 572. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3606) to increase American job creation and economic growth by improving access to the public capital markets for emerging growth companies (Rept. 112-409). 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. BACA:

H.R. 4144. A bill to amend the State Small Business Credit Initiative Act of 2010 to allow participating States to provide program funds to community development housing organizations for development of affordable housing; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 4145. A bill to reform the program for rental assistance under section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself, Mr. PAULSEN, and Mr. WALZ of Minnesota):

H.R. 4146. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Army to take actions to manage the threat of Asian carp traveling up the Mississippi River in the State of Minnesota, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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. MORAN:

H.R. 4147. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide States an op-

tion to cover a children's program of all-inclusive coordinated care (ChiPACC) under the Medicaid Program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PETRI:

H.R. 4148. A bill to establish the Fox-Wisconsin Heritage Parkway National Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SOUTHERLAND:

H.R. 4149. A bill to amend title XVI of the Social Security Act to clarify that the value of certain funeral and burial arrangements are not to be considered available resources under the supplemental security income program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H. Res. 571. A resolution expressing the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable Donald M. Payne, a Representative from the State of New Jersey; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. WOOLSEY (for herself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. MOORE, Mr. OLVER, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. FARR, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. HINGHEY, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. REYES, Mr. KIND, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. CARNAHAN, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SIREN, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY):

H. Res. 573. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Women's History Month; 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 Mr. BACA:

H.R. 4144.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 4145.

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

The U.S. Constitution, Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 and The U.S. Constitution, Article I, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have power to provide for the general Welfare of the United States [and] 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. ELLISON:

H.R. 4146.

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

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 14 of the United States Constitution.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MORAN:

H.R. 4147.

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

This legislation, which amends the Social Security Act, title XIX relating to the Med-

icaid program is authorized by Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1, which grants Congress authority regarding Defence [sic] and general Welfare of the United States; and Clause 3 regarding the regulation of commerce among the states.

By Mr. PETRI:

H.R. 4148.

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

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

By Mr. SOUTHERLAND:

H.R. 4149.

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

The Social Security Act has been upheld under the power to tax and spending under Article I Section 8, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 31: Mr. MCCOTTER.

H.R. 32: Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. KISSELL, and Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 157: Mr. LUETKEMEYER and Mr. AMODEL.

H.R. 192: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 303: Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. BERG, and Mr. AMODEL.

H.R. 333: Ms. HOCHUL and Ms. CHU.

H.R. 431: Mrs. LUMMIS.

H.R. 450: Mr. JONES, Mr. BENISHEK, and Mr. WALSH of Illinois.

H.R. 452: Mr. ADERHOLT and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 469: Ms. NORTON and Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 578: Mr. BUCHANAN.

H.R. 854: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 870: Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

H.R. 925: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 972: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 1176: Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 1179: Ms. GRANGER.

H.R. 1190: Mr. PIERLUISI.

H.R. 1206: Mr. RIGELL, Mrs. BLACK, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 1236: Mr. COURTNEY.

H.R. 1265: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. WEBSTER, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER.

H.R. 1267: Mr. SCHRADER.

H.R. 1288: Ms. HAHN, Mr. BACA, Mr. HONDA, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BOSWELL, and Mr. LATTA.

H.R. 1443: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 1488: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 1505: Mr. GUTHRIE.

H.R. 1509: Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.

H.R. 1614: Mr. ALEXANDER.

H.R. 1639: Mr. BARTLETT.

H.R. 1681: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan and Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 1697: Mr. TIBERI, Mr. GIBBS, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. FARENTHOLD, and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 1704: Ms. HAHN and Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 1718: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1738: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1742: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 1746: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.

H.R. 1760: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1802: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 1903: Ms. CLARKE of New York and Mr. SIREN.

H.R. 1922: Mr. ROSS of Florida.

H.R. 1956: Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 1964: Mr. DUFFY.

H.R. 1971: Mr. KISSELL.

H.R. 2003: Mr. FILNER.  
 H.R. 2016: Mr. DOYLE, Ms. RICHARDSON, and Mr. CARNAHAN.  
 H. R. 2106: Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Ms. WILSON of Florida, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.  
 H.R. 2108: Mr. FORTENBERRY and Mr. SCHRADER.  
 H.R. 2139: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. HARPER.  
 H.R. 2152: Mr. CAPUANO.  
 H.R. 2159: Ms. SPEIER and Mr. CHANDLER.  
 H.R. 2179: Mr. BILIRAKIS and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.  
 H.R. 2194: Ms. RICHARDSON.  
 H.R. 2245: Mr. BROOKS and Mr. ACKERMAN.  
 H.R. 2288: Mr. MCCOTTER.  
 H.R. 2324: Mr. REYES, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. HIRONO, and Mrs. LOWEY.  
 H.R. 2412: Mr. DOYLE.  
 H.R. 2485: Mr. RIBBLE.  
 H.R. 2492: Mr. LATHAM.  
 H.R. 2502: Mr. PIERLUISI.  
 H.R. 2557: Mr. THOMPSON of California and Mr. ACKERMAN.  
 H.R. 2655: Mr. HEINRICH and Mr. TURNER of Ohio.  
 H.R. 2695: Mr. DOGGETT and Mr. MORAN.  
 H.R. 2696: Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. MORAN.  
 H.R. 2738: Mr. KEATING.  
 H.R. 2805: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan.  
 H.R. 2834: Mr. HUNTER.  
 H.R. 2900: Mr. MANZULLO.  
 H.R. 2960: Mr. BENISHEK.  
 H.R. 3001: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. WEST, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. WOLF.  
 H.R. 3059: Mr. CUMMINGS and Ms. HAHN.  
 H.R. 3151: Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. RICHARDSON, and Mr. CONYERS.  
 H.R. 3164: Mr. SCHIFF and Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California.  
 H.R. 3238: Mr. TIERNEY.  
 H.R. 3269: Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.  
 H.R. 3283: Mr. CLAY.  
 H.R. 3288: Mr. AMODEI.  
 H.R. 3313: Mr. ELLISON.  
 H.R. 3337: Mr. FORBES.  
 H.R. 3359: Mr. GRIJALVA.  
 H.R. 3364: Mr. ALTMIRE.  
 H.R. 3368: Mr. TONKO.  
 H.R. 3423: Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. NEAL, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. NUNNELEE, and Mrs. CAPPS.  
 H.R. 3462: Mr. ELLISON.  
 H.R. 3485: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. COURTNEY, and Mr. SCHIFF.  
 H.R. 3490: Ms. HIRONO.

H.R. 3510: Mr. COHEN, Mr. FARR, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. REED, and Mr. KLINE.  
 H.R. 3553: Mr. BLUMENAUER and Mr. BERMAN.  
 H.R. 3568: Mr. HINOJOSA.  
 H.R. 3594: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.  
 H.R. 3596: Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. RICHARDSON, and Ms. HIRONO.  
 H.R. 3612: Mr. THORNBERRY.  
 H.R. 3635: Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. HONDA.  
 H.R. 3643: Mr. HEINRICH.  
 H.R. 3662: Mr. AMODEI, Mr. CANSECO, Mr. FARENTHOLD, and Mr. NUNNELEE.  
 H.R. 3667: Mr. BONNER.  
 H.R. 3697: Mr. BUCSHON.  
 H.R. 3737: Mr. RIBBLE.  
 H.R. 3767: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio and Mr. PETERS.  
 H.R. 3783: Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. KELLY, Mr. MANZULLO, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. RIVERA, and Mr. SHERMAN.  
 H.R. 3789: Ms. BONAMICI.  
 H.R. 3798: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.  
 H.R. 3811: Mr. BARLETTA.  
 H.R. 3814: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.  
 H.R. 3826: Ms. BERKLEY and Ms. SCHA-KOWSKY.  
 H.R. 3849: Mr. LANKFORD.  
 H.R. 3850: Mr. TIPTON and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.  
 H.R. 3851: Mr. SCHILLING, Mrs. ELLMERS, and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.  
 H.R. 3859: Mr. LATHAM.  
 H.R. 3863: Ms. BALDWIN.  
 H.R. 3877: Mr. KLINE.  
 H.R. 3893: Mr. SCHILLING, Mr. TIPTON, and Mrs. ELLMERS.  
 H.R. 3895: Mr. WALSH of Illinois.  
 H.R. 3974: Ms. BALDWIN.  
 H.R. 3980: Mr. SCHILLING.  
 H.R. 3984: Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. WAXMAN.  
 H.R. 3987: Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. SCHILLING, Mr. HANNA, Mr. WEST, and Mr. CHABOT.  
 H.R. 4010: Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, and Mr. CROWLEY.  
 H.R. 4018: Mr. MARINO.  
 H.R. 4032: Mr. MORAN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, and Mr. KISSELL.  
 H.R. 4036: Mr. LANKFORD.  
 H.R. 4040: Mr. TERRY.  
 H.R. 4070: Mr. ROSS of Florida and Mr. WEST.  
 H.R. 4081: Mr. SCHILLING.  
 H.R. 4105: Mrs. NOEM and Mr. WELCH.  
 H.R. 4121: Ms. CLARKE of New York.  
 H.R. 4123: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 4132: Mr. BILBRAY.  
 H.R. 4141: Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. RUSH, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. SIREN, and Ms. WILSON of Florida.  
 H.J. Res. 47: Mr. SARBANES.  
 H.J. Res. 88: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.  
 H.J. Res. 103: Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina.  
 H.J. Res. 104: Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. FLORES, and Mr. PENCE.  
 H. Con. Res. 87: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.  
 H. Con. Res. 101: Mr. TIPTON.  
 H. Res. 16: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN and Mr. MCGOVERN.  
 H. Res. 20: Mr. QUIGLEY.  
 H. Res. 474: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. MCINTYRE.  
 H. Res. 478: Ms. SLAUGHTER.  
 H. Res. 568: Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. LANCE, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. HOLT, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. WALBERG, Mrs. ROBY, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. SHULER, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. WEST, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CRAVAACK, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mrs. ADAMS, Mr. CRITZ, Mr. ALTMIRE, Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. RIVERA, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. COBLE, Mr. CAMP, Mr. SIREN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. MICA, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. NUGENT, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.

#### CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits were submitted as follows:

The amendment to be offered by Representative FINCHER, or a designee, to H.R. 3606, the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act, does not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

#### DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 3610: Mr. CLAY.  
 H.R. 3611: Mr. CLAY.