

By Mr. STIVERS (for himself, Mr. SCHILLING, and Mrs. DAVIS of California):

H.R. 4341. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to establish a working group to review TRICARE policy with respect to providing health care to children and determine how to improve such policy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. WHITFIELD (for himself, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, and Ms. SEWELL):

H.R. 4342. A bill to provide for funding for construction and major rehabilitation for projects located on inland and intracoastal waterways of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. WOLF:

H.R. 4343. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the President, the Vice President, Members of Congress, and other officers of the executive branch from lobbying on behalf of foreign governments or instrumentalities for 10 years after leaving office; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRANKS of Arizona (for himself, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. GOMMERT, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. PITTS, Mr. WALSH of Illinois, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. FLORES):

H.J. Res. 107. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to parental rights; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. BUERKLE (for herself, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. YODER, Mr. GOMMERT, Mr. WEST, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. NEAL, Mr. RUSH, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. KLINE, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. TURNER of New York, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. LANCE, Mr. HANNA, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. RUNYAN, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PENCE, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. POSEY, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. FLORES, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. STUTZMAN, Mr. CANSECO, Mr. PITTS, Mr. WALSH of Illinois, Mr. MANZULLO, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. KELLY, Mrs. ADAMS, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. MACK, and Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia):

H. Con. Res. 115. Concurrent resolution recognizing the 64th anniversary of the independence of the State of Israel; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. BIGGERT:

H. Res. 602. A resolution encouraging people in the United States to recognize March 2, 2012, as Read Across America Day; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mrs. BIGGERT (for herself and Mrs. DAVIS of California):

H. Res. 603. A resolution expressing support for designation of October 2, 2012, as World MRSA Day; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ISSA:

H. Res. 604. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President exercised the recess appointment power despite the fact that neither the House of Representatives nor the Senate have been adjourned for a period in excess of three days during the Second Session of the 112th Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD (for herself, Ms. LEE of California, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. MORAN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. FARR, Mr. BACA, Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FILNER, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, and Ms. DELAURO):

H. Res. 605. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Public Health Week; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. AUSTRIA (for himself, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. LATTA, and Mr. MCCAUL):

H. Res. 606. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the notice signed by the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency Lisa Jackson on March 27, 2012, entitled 'Standards of Performance for Greenhouse Gas Emissions for New Stationary Sources: Electric Utility Generating Units'; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself, Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. DICKS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. SMITH of Washington, and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington):

H. Res. 607. A resolution congratulating Western Washington University on winning its first Division II NCAA National Basketball Title in the school's 110-year history; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. RAHALL (for himself and Mr. BOUSTANY):

H. Res. 608. A resolution honoring the life and work of Arab-American writer Ameen Rihani and celebrating the 100th anniversary of the publication of the first Arab-American novel, 'The Book of Khalid', by Ameen Rihani; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER (for himself and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California):

H. Res. 609. A resolution Expressing support for the people of Tibet; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. TURNER of New York):

H. Res. 610. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President and the Secretary of State should continue to press Russian authorities for a full and complete accounting regarding the fate of Raoul Wallenberg; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself and Mr. BOREN):

H. Res. 611. A resolution promoting global energy supply security through increased cooperation among the United States, Turkey, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Iraq, and Georgia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representa-

tives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

H.R. 4295.

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

Article I, Section 8.

By Mrs. HARTZLER:

H.R. 4296.

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

Article I: Section 8: Clause 3 The United States Congress shall have power

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

By Mrs. FOX:

H.R. 4297.

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. MCKINLEY:

H.R. 4298.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have Power 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. MCNERNEY:

H.R. 4299.

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

Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MCNERNEY:

H.R. 4300.

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

Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina:

H.R. 4301.

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

Congress has the power to enact legislation pertaining to the rules and regulations for property owned by the United States pursuant to Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 of the Constitution.

Authority for additional functions of this legislation having to do with tax credits are found within Article I, Section 7; and Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. Authority to stay misapplied regulations from the executive Branch stems from Article I, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington:

H.R. 4302.

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

As described in Article 1, Section 1 "all legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress."

By Mr. MCCAUL:

H.R. 4303.

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

Article 1, section 8

By Mr. ROONEY:

H.R. 4304.

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 of the United States Constitution which gives Congress the power "to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several states, and within the Indian Tribes."

Additionally, this legislation enforces Amendments IV, V, VII, IX, and X of the Constitution.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 4305.

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

The U.S. Constitution, 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;

By Mr. FITZPATRICK:

H.R. 4306.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. LANKFORD:

H.R. 4307.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 and 3 and implied powers to not act in these areas.

By Mr. CLARKE of Michigan:

H.R. 4308.

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.

By Mr. REICHERT:

H.R. 4309.

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 1, 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. McKEON:

H.R. 4310.

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 "to provide for the common Defence", "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy" and "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces" as enumerated in Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. JONES:

H.R. 4311.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York:

H.R. 4312.

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 Constitution.

By Mr. BOSWELL:

H.R. 4313.

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

The Necessary and Proper Clause. Article I, Section 8, Clause 18.

By Mrs. CAPPS:

H.R. 4314.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. CARNAHAN:

H.R. 4315.

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

Article I, Section 1. "All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress

of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and a House of Representatives."

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 4316.

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

"Article IV, section 3 of the Constitution of the United States grant Congress the authority to make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States."

By Mr. DEUTCH:

H.R. 4317.

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

Under Article I, Section 8, clause 3, Congress has the power to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. ELLISON:

H.R. 4318.

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

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

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

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

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 4319.

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

Article 1, Section 1 of the Constitution. Congress has the power to enact this legislation, as well, under Article 1, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3 and 18.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H.R. 4320.

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

By Mr. GERLACH:

H.R. 4321.

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

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GOHMERT:

H.R. 4322.

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

Tenth Amendment stating that "[t]he powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 providing that "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 . . ."

By Mr. HUIZENG of Michigan:

H.R. 4323.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. KIND:

H.R. 4324.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause I: "Congress shall have the power to lay and collect taxes."

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4325.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. MATHESON:

H.R. 4326.

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

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

By Mr. MICHAUD:

H.R. 4327.

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

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 foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mrs. MILLER of Michigan:

H.R. 4328.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MORAN:

H.R. 4329.

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

This legislation is authorized by Article 1, Section 8, Clause 12, 13, and 14.

By Mrs. NOEM:

H.R. 4330.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3, the Commerce Clause.

By Mrs. NOEM:

H.R. 4331.

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

Article 4, Section 3: 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 of any particular State.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H.R. 4332.

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 Mr. PAULSEN:

H.R. 4333.

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

Article I Section 8.

By Mr. PEARCE:

H.R. 4334.

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

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 of the Constitution of the United States grants Congress the power to enact this law.

By Mr. RAHALL:

H.R. 4335.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution, known as the Postal Clause or the Postal Power, empowers Congress "To establish Post Offices and post Roads". The Clause has been construed to give Congress the enumerated power to designate mail routes and construct or designate post offices, with the implied authority to carry, deliver, and regulate the mails of the United States as a whole.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution which states that the