

I could go on, but let me just end with health.

Every year there are over 80,000 excess deaths in people of color, deaths that could and should and must be prevented. Every minority group suffers some health disparity: African Americans and American Indians and Alaskan Natives more than most. Many of these deaths and the countless disproportionate disabilities could be prevented with the continued implementation of the Affordable Care Act.

It is health injustice that Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., called the most shocking and inhumane. The countless and seemingly endless years of these tragic health iniquities and the millions of people who have suffered because of them also cry out for justice.

It is for ending these and other injustices that John Payton dedicated his life. In an article in the Civil Rights Monitor, he said:

The problems of race and inequality in our country have proven to be enduring and deep-seated in nature. But we must recognize that this is a marathon and not a race if we are to find solutions that work.

We are grateful for the leg of the marathon that he ran and the progress that he made in this race while he was with us.

To his wife, Gay; his sisters, Janette Oliver and Susan Grissom; his brother, Glen Spears; the NAACP Legal Defense Fund; and his many colleagues and friends, I join my CBC colleagues in offering our sincere condolences and those on behalf of the people of the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, equality and justice are the underpinnings of our society. By adhering to the rule of law, we as a society place tremendous trust and faith in our judicial system to do what is righteous and just. The judicial branch of government, as established by the Founding Fathers, is the necessary check on the Executive and Legislative branches. Article III of the Constitution guarantees the right to a fair trial and a jury of one's peers.

Justice is not something to be taken lightly or for granted. The integrity of our justice system is only as good as the people who participate in it.

We must continue to work to uphold the integrity of the judicial system by embedding these guiding principles into the fabric of society for future generations.

With the passing of John Payton, we lost a true civil rights pioneer and someone who fought every day to uphold the rule of law. Mr. Payton was a fierce advocate for equality and justice during a time, not so long ago, when such protections under the law were not enjoyed by all.

Mr. Payton frequently appeared before the U.S. Supreme Court, in passionate battles to win equal rights for minorities. Mr. Payton showed us that there was still much work to be done—and now, millions more Americans can enjoy greater equality and enhanced protection from discrimination as a result of his contributions, in pursuing this ideal.

Mr. Speaker, the United States is still a beacon and a moral compass for the rest of the civilized world.

Not only do the people of this country rely on us for our guidance, but so do the people around the globe. As we once again find ourselves fighting to advance social progress, we must ensure that we continue to move forward by upholding the integrity of our laws and our judicial system.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. EDWARDS (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today.

Mrs. NAPOLITANO (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today and April 17 on account of family health emergency.

Mr. SCHIFF (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today on account of work in the district.

Mr. CULBERSON (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of illness.

Mr. JONES (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of personal reasons.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 18 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, April 17, 2012, at 10 a.m. for morning-hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5522. A letter from the Chief Information Officer, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Interlibrary Loan Fee Schedule (RIN: 0518-AA04) received March 22, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5523. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — 2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, 2-ethylhexyl ester, telomere with 1-dodecanethiol, ethenylbenzene and 2-methyloxiraine polymer with oxirane monoether with 1,2-propanediol mono(2-methyl-2-propenoate), hydrogen 2-sulfobutanedioate, sodium salt, 2, 2'—(1,2-diazenediyl)bis[[2-methylpropanenitrile] initiated; Tolerance Exception [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0975; FRL-9339-9] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5524. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Acetamidiprid; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0403; FRL-9340-7] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5525. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of 7 officers to wear the authorized insignia of the grade of brigadier general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5526. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Department of Defense, transmit-

ting a proposed change to the Fiscal Year 2010 National Guard and Reserve Equipment Appropriation (NGREA) procurement; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5527. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the annual report on operations of the National Defense Stockpile (NDS) in accordance with section 11(a) of the Strategic and Critical Materials Stockpiling Act as amended (50 U.S.C. 98 et seq.) detailing NDS operations during the Period of October 2010 through September 2011; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5528. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on activities under the Secretary's personnel management demonstration project authorities for the Department of Defense Science and Technology Reinvention Laboratories; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5529. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of Rear Admiral (lower half) Sinclair M. Harris, United States Navy, to wear the authorized insignia of the grade of rear admiral; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5530. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting fiscal year 2011 Performance Report to Congress for the Animal Drug User Fee Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5531. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting fiscal year 2011 Performance Report to Congress for the Animal Generic Drug User Fee Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5532. A letter from the Correspondence and Regulations Assistant, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicaid Program; Eligibility Changes under the Affordable Care Act of 2010 [CMS-2349-F] (RIN: 0938-AQ62) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5533. A letter from the Program Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; Establishment of Exchanges and Qualified Health Plans; Exchange Standards for Employers [CMS-9989-F] (RIN: 0938-AQ67) received March 16, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5534. A letter from the Correspondence and Regulations Assistant, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; Standards Related to Reinsurance, Risk Corridors and Risk Adjustment [CMS-9975-F] (RIN: 0938-AR07) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5535. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Current Good Manufacturing Practice in Manufacturing, Processing, Packing, or Holding of Drugs; Revision of Certain Labeling Controls [Docket No.: FDA-1997-N-0518] (formerly 97N-0300) received March 27, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5536. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Oral Dosage Form New Animal Drugs; Phenylpropanolamine [Docket No.: FDA-2011-N-0003] received March 27, 2012, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5537. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report entitled "Best Practices to Enhance Coordination in the RCRA Program"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5538. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Commonwealth of Kentucky; Regional Haze State Implementation Plan [EPA-R04-OAR-2009-0783; FRL-9653-8] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5539. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; New Mexico; Construction Permit Fees [EPA-R06-OAR-2005-NM-0006; FRL-9654-2] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5540. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Determinations of Clean Data for the 2006 24-Hour Fine Particulate Standard for the Harrisburg-Lebanon-Carlisle-York, Allentown, and Lancaster Nonattainment Areas [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0818; FRL-9654-1] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5541. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Connecticut; Determination of Attainment of the One-hour Ozone Standard for the Greater Connecticut Area [EPA-R01-OAR-2010-0380; A-1-FRL-9648-5] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5542. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Secondary National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Oxides of Nitrogen and Sulfur [EPA-HQ-OAR-2007-1145; FRL-9654-4] (RIN: 2060-A072) received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5543. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Operating Permits Program; Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; Administrative Changes [EPA-R02-OAR-2012-0032; FRL-9654-8] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5544. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; New Jersey; Motor Vehicle Enhanced Inspection and Maintenance Program [EPA-R02-OAR-2011-0686; FRL-9635-5] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5545. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; State of California; Ozone; Nitrogen Dioxide; Technical Amendments [EPA-R09-OAR-2010-

0189; FRL-9649-1] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5546. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; North Dakota; Regional Haze State Implementation Plan; Federal Implementation Plan for Interstate Transport of Pollution Affecting Visibility and Regional Haze [EPA-R08-OAR-2010-0406; FRL-9648-3] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5547. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Clean Air Act Full Approval of Title V Operating Permits Program; Southern Ute Indian Tribe [EPA-R08-OAR-2011-0015; FRL-9446-8] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5548. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Priorities List, Final Rule No. 53 [EPA-HQ-SFUND-1993-0001, EPA-HQ-SFUND-2011-0064, 0068, 0646, 0648, 0649, 0650, 0651, and 0652; FRL-9647-3] (RIN: 2050-AD75) received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5549. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — OHIO: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [FRL-9646-5] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5550. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Oklahoma: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [EPA-R06-RCRA-2010-0054; FRL-9647-7] received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5551. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to Final Response to Petition From New Jersey Regarding SO₂ Emissions From the Portland Generating Station [EPA-HQ-OAR-2011-0081; FRL-9648-9] (RIN: 2060-AR42) received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5552. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Transportation Conformity Rule Restructuring Amendments [EPA-HQ-OAR-2009-0128; FRL-9637-3] (RIN: 2060-AP57) received March 14, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5553. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Aerosol Coatings — Addition of Dimethyl Carbonate, Benzotrifluoride, and Hexamethyldisiloxane to Table of Reactivity Factors [EPA-HQ-OAR-2006-0971; FRL-9644-8] (RIN: 2060-AR37) received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5554. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Nevada; Revised Format for Materials Incorporated

By Reference [NV 126-NBK; FRL 9634-9] received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5555. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designations of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Georgia; Atlanta; Determination of Attainment by Applicable Attainment Date for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone Standards [EPA-R04-OAR-2010-1036; FRL-9643-2] received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5556. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designations of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; North Carolina and South Carolina; Charlotte; Determination of Attainment by Applicable Attainment Date for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone Standards [EPA-R04-OAR-2011-0029; FRL-9643-3] received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5557. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, South Coast Air Quality Management District [EPA-R09-OAR-2011-0875; FRL-9626-6] received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5558. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Texas: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [EPA-R06-RCRA-2011-0478; FRL-9643-7] received March 6, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5559. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revocation of TSCA Section 4 Testing Requirements for Certain High Production Volume Chemical Substances [EPA-HQ-OPPT-2005-0033; FRL-9335-6] received March 16, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5560. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Polyvinyl Chloride and Copolymers Production [EPA-HQ-OAR-2002-0037; FRL-9636-2] (RIN: 2060-AN33) received March 16, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5561. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Ongoing Review of Operating Experience [LR-ISG-2011-05] received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5562. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Notice of Availability of the Model Safety Evaluation for Plant-Specific Adoption of Technical Specifications Task Force Traveler TSTF-505, Revision 1, "Provide Risk-Informed Extended Completion Times — RITSF Initiative 4B" [Project No. 753, NRC-2011-0277] received March 16, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5563. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a six-

month periodic report on the National Emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism that was declared in Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5564. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting a certification of export to China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5565. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting report on proposed obligations of funds provided for the Cooperative Threat Reduction (CRT) program; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5566. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting extension of the waiver of Section 907 of the FREEDOM Support Act, Pub. L. 107-511, with respect to assistance to the Government of Azerbaijan; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5567. A letter from the Assistant Legal Advisor for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting report prepared by the Department of State concerning international agreements other than treaties entered into by the United States to be transmitted to the Congress within the sixty-day period specified in the Case-Zablocki Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5568. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Human Rights Report for International Military Education and Training Recipients", in accordance with Section 549 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5569. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting forwarded correspondence from the Minister of Foreign Affairs for the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5570. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Arms Control and International Security, Department of State, transmitting the Senate's Resolution of Advice and Consent to the Treaty with the United Kingdom Concerning Defense Trade Cooperation (Treaty Doc. 110-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5571. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Senate's Resolution of Advice and Consent to the Treaty with the United Kingdom Concerning Defense Trade Cooperation (Treaty Doc. 110-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5572. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Treasury, transmitting As required by section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Somalia that was declared in Executive Order 13536 of April 12, 2010; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5573. A letter from the Director, Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the First Five-Year Review of the Compact of Free Association, As Amended, Between the Governments of the United States and the Republic of the Marshall Islands, pursuant to Public Law 108-188, section 104(h)(1); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5574. A letter from the Director, Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's report on the Compacts of Free Association with the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of the Marshall Islands for Fiscal Years 2009 and 2010, pursuant to Public Law 108-188, section 104(h)(1); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5575. A letter from the Director, Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's First Five-Year Review of the Compacts of Free Association between the Governments of the United States and the Federated States of Micronesia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5576. A letter from the Director of Communications and Congressional Relations, Special Inspector General For Afghanistan Reconstruction, transmitting the Special Inspector General's final rule — Requests for Testimony or the Production of Records in a Court or Other Proceedings in which the United States is not a Party (RIN: 3460-AA02) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5577. A letter from the Director of Communications and Congressional Relations, Special Inspector General For Afghanistan Reconstruction, transmitting the Special Inspector General's final rule — Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Procedures (RIN: 3460-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5578. A letter from the Auditor, Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, transmitting a report entitled, "Sufficiency Review of the Reasonableness of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority's (DC Water) Fiscal Year 2012 Revenue Estimate Totaling \$426,416,477", pursuant to D.C. Code section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5579. A letter from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's annual report for FY 2011 prepared in accordance with the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Pub. L. 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5580. A letter from the Acting Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting FY 2013 Congressional Budget Justification/FY 2011 Annual Performance Report; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5581. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 19-334, "Comprehensive Military and Overseas Voters Accommodation Amendment Act of 2012"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5582. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 19-335, "Mechanics Lein Amendment Act of 2012"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5583. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 19-336, "Green Building Compliance, Technical Corrections, and Clarification Amendment Act of 2012"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5584. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's annual report for fiscal year 2011, in accordance with Section 203(a) of the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Public Law 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5585. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's fiscal year 2011 annual report prepared in accordance with Section 203 of the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Public

Law 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5586. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, transmitting the Board's final rule — Change of Address and Electronic Submission of FOIA Requests received February 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5587. A letter from the Chief Executive Officer, NeighborWorks America, transmitting Fiscal Year 2011 Annual Program Performance Report; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5588. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's Strategic Plan for Fiscal Years 2008 through 2013; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5589. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's Fiscal Year 2011 Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5590. A letter from the District of Columbia Auditor, Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, transmitting copy of the report entitled "District of Columbia Agencies' Compliance with Small Business Enterprise Expenditure Goals for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Quarters of Fiscal Year 2011"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5591. A letter from the Director of Legislative Affairs, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2011, including the Office of Inspector General's Auditor's Report; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5592. A letter from the Member of Congress, Ronald Reagan Centennial Commission, transmitting the final report submitted by the Commission; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

5593. A letter from the Chief Administrative Officer, transmitting the quarterly report of receipts and expenditures of appropriations and other funds for the period January 1, 2012 through March 31, 2012 as compiled by the Chief Administrative Officer, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 104a Public Law 88-454; (H. Doc. No. 112-96); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

5594. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting annual report on Funding Needs for Contract Support Costs of Self-Determination awards for Fiscal Year 2010; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5595. A letter from the Chief, Branch of Listing, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Revised Endangered Status, Revised Critical Habitat Designation, and Taxonomic Revision for *Monardella linoides* ssp. *viminea* [Docket No.: FWS-R8-ES-2010-0076] (RIN: 1018-AX18) received March 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5596. A letter from the Chief, Branch of Recovery and Delisting, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Establishing a Manatee Refuge in Kings Bay, Citrus County, FL [Docket No.: FWS-R4-ES-2010-0079] (RIN: 1018-AX27) received March 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5597. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final

rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reallocation of Pollock in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No.: 111213751-2102-02] (RIN: 0648-XB038) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5598. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-2] (RIN: 0648-XB035) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5599. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Snapper-Groupers Fishery of the South Atlantic; Closure [Docket No.: 040205043-4043-01] (RIN: 0648-XA990) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5600. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Shallow-Water Species by Amendment 80 Vessels in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-XB44) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5601. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries Off West Coast States; Biennial Specifications and Management Measures; Inseason Adjustments [Docket No.: 100804324-1265-02] (RIN: 0648-BB88) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5602. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No.: 111213751-2102-02] (RIN: 0648-XB051) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5603. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Pacific Cod by Catcher Vessels Less Than 50 Feet (15.2 Meters) Length overall Using Hook-and-Line Gear in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-2] (RIN: 0648-XB062) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5604. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 620 in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-BX049) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5605. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, Na-

tional Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 630 in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-02] (RIN: 0648-BX036) received March 20, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5606. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources of the Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic; Closure [Docket No.: 001005281-0369-02] (RIN: 0648-XB031) received March 30, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5607. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher/Processors Using Hook-and-Line Gear in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 101126522-0640-2] (RIN: 0648-XB004) received March 30, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5608. A letter from the Acting Division Chief, Conservation and Policy Planning Division, Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Overflight Regulations for the Channel Islands, Monterey Bay, Gulf of the Farallones, and Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuaries [Docket No.: 0908041219-1413-02] (RIN: 0648-AX79) received March 7, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

5609. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting a copy of the Report of the Judicial Conference of the United States for the September 2011 session; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5610. A letter from the Delegated the Authority of the Staff Director, Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting notification that the Commission recently appointed members to the District of Columbia Advisory Committee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5611. A letter from the Delegated the Authority of the Staff Director, Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting notification that the Commission recently appointed members to the Nevada Advisory Committee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5612. A letter from the Clerk, Court of Appeals, transmitting the judicial opinion of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit for *Sterk, et al. v. Redbox*, No. 12-8002; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5613. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a follow up letter on a pending case; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5614. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Federal Aviation Administration's Capital Investment Plan (CIP) for fiscal years 2013-2017, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. app. 2203(b)(1); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5615. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; 24th Annual North American International Auto Show, Detroit River, Detroit, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1157] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5616. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; Potomac and Anacostia Rivers, Washington, DC [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1165] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5617. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Moving Security Zone around escorted vessels on the Lower Mississippi River between mile marker 90.0 above head of passes to mile marker 110.0 above head of passes [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1063] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5618. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulation; HITS Triathlon; Corpus Christi Bayfront, Corpus Christi, TX [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0785] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5619. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; M/V Del Monte Live-Fire Gun Exercise, James River, Isle of Wight, Virginia [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0010] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5620. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Mississippi River, Mile Marker 230 to Mile Marker 234, in the vicinity of Baton Rouge, LA [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0841] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5621. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Ice Rescue Exercise; Green Bay, Dyckesville, Wisconsin [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1161] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5622. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, Mile Marker 35.2 to Mile marker 35.5, Larose, Lafourche Parish, LA [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1128] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5623. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway, Vicinity of Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, NC [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1166] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5624. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Anchorage Regulations; Newport, RI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0443] (RIN: 1625-AA01) received March 19, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5625. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's report for fiscal

year 2011 on foreign aviation authorities to which the Administrator provided services in the preceding fiscal year; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5626. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc (RR) RB211-Trent 800 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0755; Directorate Identifier 2010-NE-12-AD; Amendment 39-16956; AD 2012-04-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5627. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Various Transport Category Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0956; Directorate Identifier 2010-NM-018-AD; Amendment 39-16951; AD 74-08-09 R3] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5628. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Lycoming Engines Reciprocating Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0533; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-16-AD; Amendment 39-16948; AD 2012-03-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5629. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Turbomeca S.A. Turbohaft Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2009-0889; Directorate Identifier 2009-NE-35-AD; Amendment 39-16953; AD 2012-03-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5630. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0725; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-065-AD; Amendment 39-16943; AD 2012-03-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5631. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2006-25001; Directorate Identifier 2006-NM-079-AD; Amendment 39-16937; AD 2012-02-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5632. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-1092; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-111-AD; Amendment 39-16946; AD 2012-03-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5633. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0571; Directorate Identifier 2010-NM-263-AD; Amendment 39-16950; AD 2012-03-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5634. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness

Directives; Fokker Services B.V. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-1067; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-034-AD; Amendment 39-16944; AD 2012-03-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5635. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; DASSAULT AVIATION Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-1166; Directorate Identifier 2010-NM-169-AD; Amendment 39-16941; AD 2012-02-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5636. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-1227; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-100-AD; Amendment 39-16957; AD 2012-04-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5637. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0994; Directorate Identifier 2010-NM-143-AD; Amendment 39-16949; AD 2012-03-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5638. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; 328 Support Services GmbH (Type Certificate Previously Held by AvCraft Aerospace GmbH; Fairchild Dornier GmbH; Dornier Luftfahrt GmbH) Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0912; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-035-AD; Amendment 39-16962; AD 2012-04-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5639. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc (RR) RB211-535 Series Turbofan Engine [Docket No.: FAA-2009-0994; Directorate Identifier 2009-NE-39-AD; Amendment 39-16934; AD 2012-02-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5640. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Lycoming Engines Reciprocating Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0691; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-26-AD; Amendment 39-16909; AD 71-13-01R1] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5641. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Thielert Aircraft Engines GmbH Reciprocating Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0956; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-23-AD; Amendment 39-16928; AD 2012-02-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5642. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Superior Air Parts, Lycoming Engines (Formerly Textron Lycoming), and Continental Motors, Inc., Fuel-Injected Reciprocating Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0547; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-13-AD;

Amendment 39-16947; AD 2012-03-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5643. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; General Electric Company Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0068; Directorate Identifier 2010-NE-05-AD; Amendment 39-16930; AD 2012-02-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5644. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Honeywell International, Inc. TPE331-10 and TPE331-11 Series Turboprop Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0789; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-04-AD; Amendment 39-16929; AD 2012-02-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5645. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0037; Directorate Identifier 2012-NM-003-AD; Amendment 39-16935; AD 2012-02-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5646. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; CFM International, S.A. Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0946; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-02-AD; Amendment 39-16926; AD 2012-02-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5647. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0004; Directorate Identifier 2012-NE-01-AD; Amendment 39-16927; AD 2012-02-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5648. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0112; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-055-AD; Amendment 39-16952; AD 2012-03-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 12, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5649. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30828; Amdt. No. 3466] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5650. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30829; Amdt. No. 3467] received March 28, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5651. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's "Major" final rule — Claims for Patent and Copyright Infringement (RIN: 2700-

AD63) received March 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

5652. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Human Exploration and Operations Mission Directorate, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Revision to the Tracking and Data Relay Satellite System (TDRSS) rates for non-U.S. Government customers [Notice (12-009)] (RIN: 2700-AD72) received March 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

5653. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's quarterly report to Congress on the Status of Significant Unresolved Issues with the Department of Energy's Design and Construction Projects (dated March 7, 2012); jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Appropriations.

5654. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's Twenty-Second Annual Report to Congress on health and safety activities; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Energy and Commerce.

5655. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report to Congress on the Implementation of the Medicare Self-Referral Disclosure Protocol; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5656. A letter from the Chairman, Medicare Payment Advisory Commission, transmitting the Commission's March 2012 Report to the Congress: Medicare Payment Policy; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5657. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting a piece of draft legislation; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and the Judiciary.

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:

[Pursuant to the order of the House on March 30, 2012 the following report was filed on April 10, 2012]

Mr. CAMP: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 9. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a deduction for domestic business income of qualified small businesses; with an amendment (Rept. 112-425). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

[Pursuant to the order of the House on March 30, 2012 the following report was filed on April 13, 2012]

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 4089. A bill to protect and enhance opportunities for recreational hunting, fishing and shooting; with an amendment (Rept. 112-426, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

[Submitted April 16, 2012]

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 205. A bill to amend the Act titled "An Act to authorize the leasing of restricted Indian lands for public, religious, educational, recreational, residential, business, and other purposes requiring the grant of long-term leases", approved August 9, 1955, to provide for Indian tribes to enter into certain leases without prior express approval from the Secretary of the In-

terior; with amendments (Rept. 112-427). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. S. 292. An act to resolve the claims of the Bering Straits Native Corporation and the State of Alaska to land adjacent to Salmon Lake in the State of Alaska and to provide for the conveyance to the Bering Straits Native Corporation of certain other public land in partial satisfaction of the land entitlement of the Corporation under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (Rept. 112-428). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. S. 897. An act to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to clarify that uncertified States and Indian tribes have the authority to use certain payments for certain noncoal reclamation projects and acid mine remediation program (Rept. 112-429). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1545. A bill to establish the Waco Mammoth National Monument in the State of Texas, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-430). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2915. A bill to repeal the Western Area Power Administration borrowing authority, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-431). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. S. 271. An act to require the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into a property conveyance with the city of Wallawa, Oregon, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-432). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. S. 404. An act to modify a land grant patent issued by the Secretary of the Interior (Rept. 112-433). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. S. 684. An act to provide for the conveyance of certain parcels of land to the town of Alta, Utah (Rept. 112-434). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 491. A bill to modify the boundaries of Cibola National Forest in the State of New Mexico, to transfer certain Bureau of Land Management land for inclusion in the national forest, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-435). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1038. A bill to authorize the conveyance of two small parcels of land within the boundaries of the Coconino National Forest containing private improvements that were developed based upon the reliance of the landowners in an erroneous survey conducted in May 1960; with an amendment (Rept. 112-436). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2050. A bill to authorize the continued use of certain water diversions located on National Forest System land in the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness and the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness in the State of Idaho, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-437). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2060. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to adjust the Crooked River boundary, to provide water certainty for the City of Prineville, Oregon, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-438). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2157. A bill to facilitate a land exchange involving certain National Forest System lands in the Inyo National Forest, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-439). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2938. A bill to prohibit certain gaming activities on certain Indian lands in Arizona; with an amendment (Rept. 112-440). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2947. A bill to provide for the release of the reversionary interest held by the United States in certain land conveyed by the United States in 1950 for the establishment of an airport in Cook County, Minnesota (Rept. 112-441). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3263. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to allow the storage and conveyance of nonproject water at the Norman project in Oklahoma, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-442). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. UPTON: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 3310. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to consolidate the reporting obligations of the Federal Communications Commission in order to improve congressional oversight and reduce reporting burdens; with an amendment (Rept. 112-443). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Rules. House Resolutions 614. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4089) to protect and enhance opportunities for recreational hunting, fishing and shooting, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-444). Referred to the House Calendar.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEES

[The following action occurred on April 13, 2012]

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committees on Agriculture and Energy and Commerce discharged from further consideration. H.R. 4089 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

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. MICA (for himself, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. TERRY):

H.R. 4348. A bill to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund pending enactment of a multiyear law reauthorizing such programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Natural Resources, Science, Space, and Technology, and Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as