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 Wallowa, 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

fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H.R. 4349. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for contributions to a trust used to provide need-based college scholarships; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CRAVAACK (for himself and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 4350. A bill to ensure that certain flight, duty, and rest requirements apply to all-cargo air operations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. FUDGE (for herself, Ms. Norton, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Clarke of Michigan, Mr. Rangel, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. Baca, Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Kucinich, Mr. Clay, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mr. Rush, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Ms. Jackson Lee of Texas, Mr. Holt, Mr. Cleaver, Ms. Richardson, Mr. Ellison, Ms. Sewell, Mr. Carnahan, Mr. Quigley, Ms. Pingree of Maine, and Mr. Lewis of Georgia):

H.R. 4351. A bill to provide assistance and opportunity for the creation and support of sustainable agriculture activities in America's cities and to improve access to nutrition in America's cities; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. HIGGINS (for himself, Ms. HAHN, and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 4352. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to establish a transformational infrastructure competitive grant program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. MATSUI:

H.R. 4353. A bill to authorize certain civil works projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4354. A bill to extend the temporary reduction of duty on 4-Propylbenzaldehyde; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4355. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on quinaldine; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4356. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Leucoquinizarin; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4357. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on 1-Nitroanthraquinone; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4358. A bill to extend the temporary reduction of duty on 2-Methyl-5-nitrobenzenesulfonic acid; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4359. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Benzenesulfonyl chloride; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut (for himself and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 4360. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain segments of the Farmington River and Salmon Brook in the State of Connecticut as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. PETRI (for himself and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.R. 4361. A bill to promote transportationoriented development and encourage dedicated revenue sources for urban and regional rail corridor development; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ (for herself and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 4362. A bill to provide effective criminal prosecutions for certain identity thefts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H. Res. 613. A resolution supporting the Office of Science and Technology Policy interagency working group to coordinate Federal investments in neuroscience research; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. FLEMING:

H. Res. 615. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Members who vote in favor of the establishment of a public, Federal Government run health insurance option are urged to forgo their right to participate in the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (FEHBP) and agree to enroll under that public option; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. FORBES (for himself and Mr. WOLF):

H. Res. 616. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding United States relations with the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. NORTON:

H. Res. 617. A resolution recognizing the enduring cultural and historical significance of emancipation in the Nation's capital on the 150th anniversary of President Abraham Lincoln's signing of the District of Columbia Compensated Emancipation Act, which established the "first freed" on April 16, 1862; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. Con-YERS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. COBLE):

H. Res. 618. A resolution expressing support for designation of 2012-2013 as the "Year of the Korean War Veteran" and recognizing the 60th anniversary of Korean War; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

187. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 124 memorializing the Congress to enact a new federal farm bill; to the Committee on Agriculture.

188. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, relative to House Resolution No. 21 urging the Congress to posthumously promote Colonel Charles D. Young to the rank of brigadier general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

189. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Washington, relative to Senate Joint Memorial 8016 urging the Congress, President, and the Executive Branch Agencies to work together to see that the Beyond the Border Action Plan on Perimeter Security and Economic Competitiveness and the Action Plan on Regulatory Cooperation are carried out; to the Committee on Foreign Affelius

190. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 126 reaffirming the relationship between Michigan and Israel; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

191. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, rel-

ative to House Resolution No. 178 memorializing Congress to enact the Recreational Fishing and Hunting Heritage and Opportunities Act; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

192. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, relative to Senate Resolution No. 196 urging the Congress to support the contract held by private industries from Kentucky over contracts with the Federal Prison Industries; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

193. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Oregon, relative to House Joint Memorial 202 requesting to support full funding of the United States Coast Guard's operational readiness and recapitalization requirements; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

194. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Illinois, relative to House Resolution No. 717 urging the Congress to pass the Secure Travel and Counterterrorism Program Act of 2011; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Intelligence (Permanent Select).

#### 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. MICA:

H.R. 4348.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 1, Clause 3, Clause 7, and Clause 18.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H.R. 4349.

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

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. CRAVAACK:

H.R. 4350.

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

The Commerce Clause (Article I, Section 8, Clause 3) in the United States Constitution.

By Ms. FUDGE:

H.R. 4351.

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

Article I, §8, clause 3, the Commerce Clause.

By Mr. HIGGINS:

H.R. 4352.

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

The constitutional authority of this legislation lies primarily in Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. MATSUI:

H.R. 4353.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4354.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect