

Energy Conservation Program for Certain Industrial Equipment: Energy Conservation Standards and Test Procedures for Commercial Heating, Air-Conditioning, and Water-Heating Equipment [Docket No.: EERE-2011-BT-STD-0029] (RIN: 1904-AC47) received May 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

6458. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Residential Clothes Washers [Docket Number: EERE-2008-BT-STD-0019] (RIN: 1904-AB90) received June 13, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

6459. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Irradiation in the Production, Processing and Handling of Food [Docket No.: FDA-1999-F-0021; Formerly 1999F-2673] received May 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

6460. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Labeling and Effectiveness Testing: Sunscreen Drug Products for Over-the-Counter Human Use; Delay of Compliance Dates [Docket No.: FDA-1978-N-0018] (Formerly Docket No.: 1978N-0038) (RIN: 0910-AF43) received May 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

6461. A letter from the Deputy Director, Office of State, Local, and Tribal Affairs, Executive Office Of The President, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting reports on the National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign for Fiscal Year 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

6462. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's annual report for 2011 on Voting Practices in the United Nations, pursuant to Public Law 101-246, section 406; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6463. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the 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), and pursuant to Executive Order 13313 of July 31, 2003, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the risk of nuclear proliferation created by the accumulation of weapons-usable fissile material in the territory of the Russian Federation that was declared in Executive Order 13159 of June 21, 2000; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6464. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Export and Import of Nuclear Equipment and Material; Export of International Atomic Energy Agency Safeguards Samples [NRC-2011-0213] (RIN: 3150-AJ04) received May 22, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6465. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's determination on a petition on behalf of workers from the Sandia National Laboratories in Albuquerque, New Mexico be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6466. A letter from the Federal Liaison Officer, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Requirements for Specimens and for Affidavits or Declarations of Continued Use or Excusable Nonuse in Trademark Cases [Docket No.: PTO-T-2010-0073] (RIN: 0651-AC49) received May 22, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6467. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's determination on a petition on behalf of workers from the Clinton Engineer Works in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6468. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's determination on a petition on behalf of workers from the Brookhaven National Laboratory in Upton, New York, to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6469. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's determination on a petition on behalf of workers from the Electro Metallurgical site in Niagara Falls, New York to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6470. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's determination on a petition on behalf of workers from Hangar 481 on the premises of Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque, New Mexico to be added to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC), pursuant to the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000 (EEOICPA); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6471. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Americans With Disabilities Act Title II and Title III Regulations To Extend Compliance Date for Certain Requirements Related to Existing Pools and Spas Provided by State and Local Governments and by Public Accommodations [CRT Docket No: 123; A.G. Order No. 3332-2012] (RIN: 1190-AA69) received May 21, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6472. A letter from the Director, Executive Office Of The President, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting a report of the Use of High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas Program Funds to Combat Methamphetamine Trafficking; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6473. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Modifications to Definition of United States Property [TD 9589] (RIN: 1545-BK11) received May 11, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6474. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Applicable Federal Rates — June 2012 (Rev. Rul. 2012-15) received May 22, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6475. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service,

transmitting the Service's final rule — Allocation of Mortgage Insurance Premiums [TD 9588] (RIN: 1545-BH84) received May 11, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3668. A bill to prevent trafficking in counterfeit drugs; with an amendment (Rept. 112-537). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3100. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to expand the boundary of the San Antonio Missions National Historical Park, to conduct a study of potential land acquisitions, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-538). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 688. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2578) to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act related to a segment of the Lower Merced River in California, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-539). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. MANZULLO (for himself, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. BOSWELL, and Mr. KISSELL):

H.R. 5952. A bill to require each Federal agency to submit and obtain approval from the Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy of guidelines for ensuring and maximizing the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of scientific information relied upon by the agency; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. QUAYLE (for himself, Mr. ROSS of Florida, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. BROOKS, and Mr. LONG):

H.R. 5953. A bill to prohibit the implementation of certain policies regarding the exercise of prosecutorial discretion by the Secretary of Homeland Security; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ALTMIRE (for himself and Mr. GERLACH):

H.R. 5954. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 320 7th Street in Ellwood City, Pennsylvania, as the "Sergeant Leslie H. Sabo, Jr. Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. KAPTUR (for herself, Mr. KIND, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. HINCHBY, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. LUJAN, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LOEBSACK, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Ms. FUDGE):

H.R. 5955. A bill to amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to improve energy programs; to the Committee on

Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and Science, Space, and Technology, 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. NADLER (for himself, Mr. PETRI, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 5956. A bill to provide safe, fair, and responsible procedures and standards for resolving claims of state secrets privilege; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 5957. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Homeland Security from granting deferred action or otherwise suspending the effectiveness or enforcement of the immigration laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TURNER of New York (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. GRIMM):

H.R. 5958. A bill to name the Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge Visitor Contact Station of the Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge unit of Gateway National Recreation Area in honor of James L. Buckley; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.J. Res. 111. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the authority of Congress and the States to regulate contributions and expenditures in political campaigns and to enact public financing systems for such campaigns; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DESJARLAIS (for himself and Mr. ROE of Tennessee):

H.J. Res. 112. A joint resolution disapproving the rule submitted by the Internal Revenue Service relating to the health insurance premium tax credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. DELAUNO (for herself, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. CARDOZA, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Ms. ESHOO):

H. Res. 689. A resolution honoring Catholic sisters for their contributions to the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. MANZULLO:

H.R. 5952.

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

Commerce Clause

By Mr. QUAYLE:

H.R. 5953.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4

By Mr. ALTMIRE:

H.R. 5954.

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.

By Ms. KAPTUR:

H.R. 5955.

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

Clause 18 of section 8 of Article I & Clause I of section 8 of Article I

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 5956.

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

Article 1, Section 8, clauses 9 and 18 of the Constitution

By Mr. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 5957.

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

Article 1. Section 8. Clause 4—The Congress shall have the power to establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States;

By Mr. TURNER of New York:

H.R. 5958.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3:[2] The Congress shall have Power To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States,

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.J. Res. 111.

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

Article V of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DESJARLAIS:

H.J. Res. 112.

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

Article 1, Section 1:

All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 25: Mr. BONNER.
H.R. 139: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. HAHN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Ms. BROWN of Florida.
H.R. 140: Mrs. BLACK and Mr. MICA.
H.R. 191: Mr. MCGOVERN.
H.R. 266: Ms. CHU.
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H.R. 459: Mrs. ELLMERS and Mr. WHITFIELD.
H.R. 529: Ms. EDWARDS.
H.R. 587: Ms. CHU.
H.R. 605: Mr. KINGSTON.
H.R. 694: Mr. SIREN, Mr. HONDA, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
H.R. 718: Mr. AMODEI.
H.R. 733: Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Ms. BONAMICI.
H.R. 791: Ms. CHU.
H.R. 812: Mr. COHEN.
H.R. 816: Mr. THORNBERRY.
H.R. 835: Ms. SEWELL.
H.R. 860: Ms. VELAZQUEZ.
H.R. 905: Mr. PRICE of Georgia.
H.R. 1170: Mr. JONES.
H.R. 1236: Mr. REED, Ms. HANABUSA, and Mrs. ELLMERS.
H.R. 1265: Mr. MACK.
H.R. 1327: Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, and Mr. COSTA.
H.R. 1344: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
H.R. 1385: Mr. CHABOT.
H.R. 1409: Mr. PALAZZO.
H.R. 1513: Ms. SEWELL and Mr. KEATING.
H.R. 1653: Mr. HANNA.
H.R. 1704: Mr. GRIMM.
H.R. 1746: Mr. MICHAUD and Ms. KAPTUR.
H.R. 1755: Mr. BONNER, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. AKIN, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. COHEN.
H.R. 1802: Mr. ANDREWS.
H.R. 1878: Ms. LEE of California.
H.R. 1910: Mr. TURNER of Ohio.
H.R. 1916: Mrs. LOWEY and Ms. EDWARDS.
H.R. 1936: Mr. KISSELL.
H.R. 1956: Mr. ADERHOLT.
H.R. 2010: Mr. KINGSTON.
H.R. 2030: Mr. LUJAN, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. ISRAEL.
H.R. 2104: Mr. BACA and Mr. KING of New York.
H.R. 2123: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.
H.R. 2151: Mr. CONYERS.
H.R. 2194: Mrs. DAVIS of California.
H.R. 2267: Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. BARTLETT, and Mr. ROONEY.
H.R. 2327: Mr. ROSS of Florida.
H.R. 2499: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. ROSS of Arkansas, and Ms. KAPTUR.
H.R. 2514: Mr. MICA and Mr. HARRIS.
H.R. 2634: Mr. COHEN.
H.R. 2671: Mr. WELCH.
H.R. 2866: Ms. SEWELL and Mr. DIAZ-BALART.
H.R. 3145: Mr. CAPUANO.
H.R. 3187: Mr. GUTHRIE.
H.R. 3307: Mr. LATOURETTE.
H.R. 3458: Mr. ROSS of Florida.
H.R. 3481: Mr. NUNNELEE.
H.R. 3485: Ms. BASS of California and Mr. CARNAHAN.
H.R. 3506: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
H.R. 3510: Mr. CROWLEY and Mr. PAULSEN.
H.R. 3596: Mr. CICILLINE.
H.R. 3612: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. GERLACH.
H.R. 3618: Mr. DOGGETT.
H.R. 3627: Mr. KELLY and Ms. EDWARDS.
H.R. 3656: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa.
H.R. 3668: Mr. LUJAN and Mr. CROWLEY.
H.R. 3798: Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SEWELL, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. REYES, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. KEATING.
H.R. 3849: Mr. KISSELL, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, and Mr. MARINO.
H.R. 3860: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Ms. RICHARDSON.
H.R. 3895: Mrs. EMERSON.
H.R. 3905: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan.
H.R. 4052: Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. LIPINSKI.
H.R. 4070: Mr. HULTGREN and Ms. HOCHUL.
H.R. 4104: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. WOLF, Mr. YODER, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. WOODALL, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. MARINO, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. HIGGINS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. MCNERNEY, Ms. CHU, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. KEATING, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. PETRI, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. CLAY, Ms. HANABUSA, Mrs. NOEM, Mr. NUNES, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. PENCE, Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. WALSH of Illinois, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. HERGER, Mr. LANCE, Mr. JONES, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. ROSS of Florida, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TERRY, Mr. CLARKE of Michigan, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. HOCHUL, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GUINTA, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. CALVERT,