

nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or of any particular State.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

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

The abandoned mine land fund is a tax on coal produced, in part, on federal lands. Both the tax, and its distribution were created pursuant to the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, presumably with the Constitutional authority to tax, raise revenue, and spend that revenue under Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. This legislation seeks to repeal a section of that bill dealing with the distribution of AML funds. While the Constitution gives no explicit authority to repeal, it can be inferred that what Congress has the Constitutional authority to create, it can also repeal.

By Mr. BENISHEK:

H.R. 6114.

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

Article IV, Section 3, clause 2

"The Congress shall have Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States;"

By Ms. BUERKLE:

H.R. 6115.

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

Section 8, clause 1 ("The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises . . ."), and the 16th Amendment.

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 6116.

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

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

By Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 6117.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4.

By Mr. GRIMM:

H.R. 6118.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. HONDA:

H.R. 6119.

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

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

By Mr. HONDA:

H.R. 6120.

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

section 8 of article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 6121.

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

Clause 7, section 8, of article I to establish Post Offices and Post Roads, in combination with clause 18, section 8, article I to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this

Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California:

H.R. 6122.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 8 and Article I, Section 8,

Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Ms. MATSUI:

H.R. 6123.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 6124.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution and clause 18 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. RENACCI:

H.R. 6125.

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

Amendment X is cited as delegating to the states or to the people all "powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution."

Additionally, Article I, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have Power to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 6126.

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

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution (Clause 4), which grants Congress the power to establish a Uniform rule of Naturalization throughout the United States.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 192: Mr. PASTOR of Arizona and Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 303: Mr. STIVERS.

H.R. 409: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 498: Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas.

H.R. 719: Ms. HAYWORTH, Mr. ROHRBACHER, and Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 735: Mr. BENISHEK.

H.R. 831: Ms. MOORE and Mr. WITTMAN.

H.R. 835: Mr. LOEBSACK.

H.R. 891: Mr. RICHMOND.

H.R. 972: Mrs. BACHMANN.

H.R. 1006: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 1044: Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 1050: Mr. HANNA.

H.R. 1111: Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina.

H.R. 1167: Mr. CASSIDY.

H.R. 1283: Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. AKIN, and Mr. STIVERS.

H.R. 1464: Mr. ROSKAM.

H.R. 1475: Mr. MARINO.

H.R. 1648: Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 1672: Mr. LOEBSACK and Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1675: Ms. HAYWORTH and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 1681: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 1775: Mr. MARINO and Ms. JENKINS.

H.R. 1903: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 2040: Mrs. ADAMS.

H.R. 2108: Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. GUTHRIE, and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 2139: Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 2239: Mr. KIND.

H.R. 2469: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 2497: Mrs. CAPITO.

H.R. 2514: Mr. CASSIDY.

H.R. 2547: Mr. SIRES.

H.R. 2563: Mr. TOWNS, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 2780: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 3067: Mr. FORBES, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, and Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.R. 3125: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 3395: Mrs. ROBY and Mrs. ELLMERS.

H.R. 3399: Mr. REED.

H.R. 3496: Mr. WALZ of Minnesota and Mr. PASTOR of Arizona.

H.R. 3510: Mr. BARLETTA.

H.R. 3526: Mr. SIRES.

H.R. 3528: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 3553: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 3627: Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan and Ms. RICHARDSON.

H.R. 3661: Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. WALBERG, and Ms. BUERKLE.

H.R. 3886: Mrs. CAPPS and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 3974: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 4010: Mr. CARNEY and Ms. HIRONO.

H.R. 4057: Mr. MCKINLEY.

H.R. 4066: Mr. LOEBSACK.

H.R. 4103: Mr. MCGOVERN and Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 4124: Mr. DINGELL.

H.R. 4215: Mr. LATHAM and Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 4242: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 4373: Mrs. MALONEY.

H.R. 4378: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NADLER, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 4385: Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. HURT, Mr. BROOKS, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. COLE, and Mr. BUCSHON.

H.R. 5542: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 5647: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. ISRAEL, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Ms. EDWARDS.

H.R. 5741: Mr. SCHIFF and Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.

H.R. 5796: Mr. BERMAN, Ms. HAYWORTH, Mr. REYES, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 5846: Mr. NUGENT and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 5909: Ms. NORTON and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 5910: Mr. BONNER.

H.R. 5911: Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 5953: Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.R. 5969: Mr. BARROW, Mr. HUNTER, and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 5970: Mr. BARROW, Mr. HUNTER, and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 5977: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 5978: Mr. PASTOR of Arizona and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 6004: Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 6025: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 6027: Ms. BASS of California.

H.R. 6033: Mr. BACA.

H.R. 6063: Mr. AMODEI, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. AUSTRIA, and Mr. CARNAHAN.

H.R. 6075: Mr. GIBBS.

H.R. 6087: Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 6092: Mr. GALLEGLY and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 6097: Mr. TIBERI and Mr. WALBERG.

H.J. Res. 110: Mr. REHBERG.

H. Con. Res. 107: Mr. PAUL.

H. Con. Res. 109: Mr. STARK, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MORAN, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. PITTS.

H. Res. 262: Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H. Res. 573: Mr. CLAY.

H. Res. 613: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.  
H. Res. 623: Mrs. NOEM and Mr. PITTS.  
H. Res. 704: Mr. BLUMENAUER and Ms. RICHARDSON.  
H. Res. 713: Mr. SIRES, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM  
PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 835: Mr. CRAWFORD.

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AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 5856

OFFERED BY: MR. MULVANEY

AMENDMENT NO. 1: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:  
SEC. \_\_\_\_\_. (a) Appropriations made in this Act are hereby reduced in the amount of \$1,072,581,000.

(b) The reduction in subsection (a) shall not apply to amounts made available for—

- (1) accounts in title I;
- (2) “Other Department of Defense Programs—Defense Health Program”; and
- (3) accounts in title IX.