

By Mr. BOUSTANY (for himself and Mr. PRICE of Georgia):

H.R. 6176. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to permit hospitals to make incentive payments to physicians to promote quality and efficiency; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Judiciary, 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. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 6177. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the deduction for start-up expenditures for business for 2012 and 2013; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CHABOT (for himself, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. MCCAUL, and Mr. CRENSHAW):

H.R. 6178. A bill to direct the President to establish an interagency mechanism to coordinate United States development programs and private sector investment activities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. DOGGETT (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. STARK, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. NEAL, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. GARAMENDI, and Mr. KIND):

H.R. 6179. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend for 1 year the American Opportunity Tax Credit and the disregard of tax refunds for purposes of Federal, and federally-assisted, programs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

H.R. 6180. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to prevent the alternative minimum tax from effectively repealing the Federal tax exemption for interest on State and local private activity bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEAL (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. STARK, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mr. CROWLEY):

H.R. 6181. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain improvements in the child tax credit and the earned income tax credit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

H.J. Res. 115. A joint resolution supporting the establishment of a Presidential Youth Council; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. PERLMUTTER (for himself, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. POLIS, Mr. TIPTON, and Mr. GARDNER):

H. Con. Res. 134. Concurrent resolution condemning, in the strongest possible terms, the heinous atrocities that occurred in Aurora, Colorado; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H. Res. 739. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6083) to provide for the reform and continuation of agricul-

tural and other programs of the Department of Agriculture through fiscal year 2017, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

256. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Colorado, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 12-003 memorializing the Congress to amend 26 U.S.C. sec. 6033; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. CAMP:

H.R. 8.

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

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution and Amendment XVI of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Washington:

H.R. 6168.

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

Article IV, section 3, clause 2

By Mr. DREIER:

H.R. 6169.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, section 5, clause 2 (relating to the power of each House of Congress to determine the rules of its proceedings).

By Mr. CUMMINGS:

H.R. 6170.

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 Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States."

And Article I, Section 8, Clause 14: "To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces."

By Mr. ROONEY:

H.R. 6171.

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

Article 1, section 8. The Congress shall have the power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts, and excises, to pay debts and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States.

By Mr. MCKINLEY:

H.R. 6172.

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

According to Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution: The Congress shall have power to enact this legislation 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. NEUGEBAUER:

H.R. 6173.

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

Article 1, Section 8: The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States;

By Mr. CARTER:

H.R. 6174.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution

The Congress shall have Power *** To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 6175.

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

Under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 and Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 of the Constitution.

By Mr. BOUSTANY:

H.R. 6176.

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

Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution.

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution.

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution.

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 6177.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 6178.

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

Article 4, Section 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 6179.

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

Article One, Section 8 and the 16th Amendment of the Constitution.

By Mr. NEAL:

H.R. 6180.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I and the 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. NEAL:

H.R. 6181.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I and the 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H.J. Res. 115.

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

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.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 127: Mr. CHABOT and Mr. MCCAUL.

H.R. 303: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 308: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 458: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 591: Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. SHERMAN, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 733: Mr. RICHMOND.

H.R. 831: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 860: Mrs. BACHMANN and Mrs. BIGGERT.

H.R. 905: Mr. THORNBERRY and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 1032: Mr. GOHMERT, Mrs. SCHMIDT, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 1206: Mr. MACK.

H.R. 1259: Mr. LANCE.

H.R. 1265: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 1283: Mr. FINCHER.

H.R. 1284: Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 1344: Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 1370: Mr. CRENSHAW.

H.R. 1426: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 1543: Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 1546: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. BOUSTANY, and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 1621: Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. SABLAN.

H.R. 1639: Mr. LOESACK.

H.R. 1653: Mr. BACHUS and Mr. FLEMING.

H.R. 1700: Mr. HECK.

H.R. 1802: Mr. POSEY.

H.R. 1860: Mr. BOUSTANY and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1955: Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 1980: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 2077: Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mr. CANSECO, Mr. RIGELL, and Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2104: Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 2139: Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BARLETTA, and Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 2342: Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 2364: Ms. SPEIER.

H.R. 2479: Mr. GERLACH and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2524: Mr. ANDREWS and Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 2600: Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. GOWDY.

H.R. 2649: Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 2655: Mr. HANNA and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 2721: Mr. PIERLUISI.

H.R. 2772: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 2773: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 2798: Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 2800: Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 2954: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2997: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 3000: Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 3057: Mr. SCHILLING.

H.R. 3087: Mr. LOESACK.

H.R. 3158: Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. PETERSON, and Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 3179: Mr. BROUN of Georgia.

H.R. 3252: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 3307: Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 3324: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 3356: Mr. DENHAM and Mr. REED.

H.R. 3395: Mr. OLSON.

H.R. 3409: Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3423: Mr. GIBSON and Mr. GRAVES of Missouri.

H.R. 3496: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 3497: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 3612: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut and Mr. PALAZZO.

H.R. 3658: Mr. REHBERG.

H.R. 3661: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. CARNAHAN, and Mr. HIMES.

H.R. 3666: Mr. GARAMENDI and Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 3704: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3729: Mr. KIND.

H.R. 3798: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3805: Mr. FINCHER.

H.R. 3849: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 4066: Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 4070: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.

H.R. 4124: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa.

H.R. 4157: Mrs. LUMMIS.

H.R. 4158: Mr. CRAVAACK.

H.R. 4202: Ms. LEE of California.

H.R. 4342: Mr. ROGERS of Alabama and Mrs. BIGGERT.

H.R. 4345: Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 4373: Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 4405: Mr. MORAN, Mrs. SCHMIDT, and Mr. NUNES.

H.R. 4467: Ms. RICHARDSON and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 4965: Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky and Mr. ROSS of Florida.

H.R. 5542: Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Ms. EDWARDS.

H.R. 5707: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 5729: Ms. HIRONO.

H.R. 5741: Mr. LUETKEMEYER.

H.R. 5746: Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, and Mr. PRICE of Georgia.

H.R. 5796: Mr. HULTGREN.

H.R. 5817: Mr. GOSAR, Mr. JONES, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. SHERMAN, and Mr. MEEKS.

H.R. 5864: Ms. KAPTUR and Mr. CLARKE of Michigan.

H.R. 5905: Mr. HOLT, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 5909: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. RICHARDSON, and Mr. TOWNS.

H.R. 5925: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 5942: Ms. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 5969: Mr. FLAKE.

H.R. 5970: Mr. FLAKE.

H.R. 6000: Mr. LANKFORD.

H.R. 6009: Mr. PENCE.

H.R. 6012: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 6025: Mr. CANSECO and Mr. WESTMORELAND.

H.R. 6033: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 6046: Mr. HONDA, Mr. MCDERMOTT, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 6087: Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 6088: Mr. WESTMORELAND.

H.R. 6097: Mr. PALAZZO, Ms. JENKINS, and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.

H.R. 6101: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 6112: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 6128: Ms. CHU, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. BACA.

H.R. 6131: Mr. BASS of New Hampshire and Mr. DINGELL.

H.R. 6134: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 6138: Mr. SIRE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mrs. MALONEY.

H.R. 6139: Mr. RENACCI.

H.R. 6140: Mr. ISSA, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. BACHUS, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BROUN of Georgia.

H.R. 6148: Mr. GARDNER.

H.R. 6167: Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana.

H. Con. Res. 129: Mr. WELCH and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H. Con. Res. 131: Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H. Res. 298: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H. Res. 484: Mr. BERMAN.

H. Res. 613: Mr. CARNAHAN.

H. Res. 618: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.

H. Res. 652: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H. Res. 694: Mr. CLAY.

H. Res. 704: Mr. STARK and Mr. WAXMAN.

H. Res. 713: Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. MOORE, Mr. WELCH, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DINGELL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits were submitted as follows:

The amendment to be offered by Representative HASTINGS of Washington, or a designee, to H.R. 6082, the congressional replacement of President Obama's energy-restricting and job-limiting offshore drilling plan, does not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9(d), 9(e), or 9(f) of rule XXI.