

military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2013, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-705). Ordered to be printed.

## 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. ANDREWS:

H.R. 6675. A bill to direct the Secretary of Commerce to establish a program under which preloaded debit cards are made available for the purchase of certain goods and services; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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. MARKEY:

H.R. 6676. A bill to amend the FAA Modernization and Reform Act of 2012 to provide guidance and limitations regarding the integration of unmanned aircraft systems into United States airspace, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on 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. ELLISON (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia):

H.R. 6677. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to replace the mortgage interest deduction with a nonrefundable credit for indebtedness secured by a residence, to provide affordable housing to extremely low-income families, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. HOLT:

H.R. 6678. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage research at community colleges and other institutions of higher education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. ISRAEL:

H.R. 6679. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to increase criminal penalties for the sale or trade of prescription drugs knowingly caused to be adulterated or misbranded, to modify requirements for maintaining records of the chain-of-custody of prescription drugs, to establish recall authority regarding drugs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RUSH:

H.R. 6680. A bill to provide for the implementation of a system of licensing for purchasers of certain firearms and for a record of sale system for those firearms, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. REED (for himself, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. TURNER of New York, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. OWENS, Ms. BUECKLE, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. KING of New York,

Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. HAYWORTH, Mr. HANNA, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. TONKO, Ms. HOCHUL, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. BILIRAKIS):

H.R. 6681. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 815 County Road 23 in Tyrone, New York, as the "Specialist Christopher Scott Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. REED (for himself and Mr. DOGGETT):

H.R. 6682. A bill to establish consistent requirements for the electronic content and format of data used in the administration of certain human services programs under the Social Security Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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. DENHAM:

H.J. Res. 122. A joint resolution establishing the date for the counting of the electoral votes for President and Vice President cast by the electors in December 2012; considered and passed.

By Mr. KUCINICH:

H. Res. 835. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should adopt a target of 350 parts per million of atmospheric carbon dioxide by which to evaluate domestic and international climate change policies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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.

## 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. ANDREWS:

H.R. 6675.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 6676.

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

Article 1, Section 8.

By Mr. ELLISON:

H.R. 6677.

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 7, Clause 1 and Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. HOLT:

H.R. 6678.

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

Article I of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 6679.

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

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

By Mr. RUSH:

H.R. 6680.

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

Article 1 Section 8 Clause III of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. REED:

H.R. 6681.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. REED:

H.R. 6682.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, to "provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States."

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 308: Mr. CARNEY, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. HOYER, Ms. BONAMICI, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. CARNAHAN.

H.R. 1265: Mr. BROOKS.

H.R. 1426: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1509: Ms. SCHWARTZ.

H.R. 1513: Mr. BUTTERFIELD and Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 1546: Mr. BARBER.

H.R. 1781: Ms. ESHOO and Mr. DOLD.

H.R. 1964: Mr. YOUNG of Indiana.

H.R. 2052: Mr. HIGGINS.

H.R. 2775: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. HAHN, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 2931: Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 3102: Mr. HIMES, Mr. SCHIFF, and Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 3364: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 3381: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.

H.R. 3619: Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 3661: Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 3839: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 4077: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 4180: Mr. WALBERG.

H.R. 5942: Mr. BACHUS, Ms. SEWELL, and Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 6173: Mrs. BACHMANN.

H.R. 6446: Mr. DENHAM, Mr. YODER, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. KIND, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 6470: Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 6475: Ms. CLARKE of New York.

H.R. 6480: Mr. RIBBLE.

H.R. 6490: Mr. RUSH, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. TURNER of Ohio.

H.R. 6527: Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

H.R. 6616: Mr. SCHOCK.

H.R. 6654: Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. MCKEON, and Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 6658: Mr. PETERSON.

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H. Con. Res. 145: Mrs. ELLMERS.

H. Res. 98: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H. Res. 823: Mr. RANGEL.

H. Res. 824: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H. Res. 831: Mr. COSTA, Mr. COHEN, and Mr. CONYERS.

H. Res. 834: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SIREN, Mr. BROOKS, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr.

ROSKAM, Mr. DENT, Mr. LANCE, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. MARINO, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. CARTER, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. WESTMORELAND.

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:

OFFERED BY MR. CAMP

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on Ways and Means in H.R. 6655, the Protect our Kids Act of 2012, do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI