801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

790. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; New Mexico; New Source Review (NSR) Preconstruction Permitting Program; Clarification of EPA's Approval of the Sunland Park Section 110(a)(1) Maintenance Plan for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone Standard [EPA-R06-OAR-2005-NM-0006; FRL-9788-8] received March 8, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

791. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — New York: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions [EPA-R02-RCRA-2013-0144; FRL-9693-2] received March 8, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

792. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; Idaho [EPA-R10-OAR-2011-0640, FRL-9791-2] received March 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

793. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Indiana; Consent Decree Requirements [EPA-R05-OAR-2012-0650; FRL-9789-9] received March 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

794. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency; final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Ohio; Cleveland-Akron-Lorai and Columbus 1997 8-Hour Ozone Maintenance Plan Revisions to Approved Motor Vehicle Emissions Budgets [EPA-R05-OAR-2012-0884; EPA-R05-OAR-2012-0970; FRL-9790-2] received March 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

795. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Georgia; Control Techniques Guidelines and Reasonably Available Control Technology [EPA-R04-OAR-2012-0448; FRL-9791-1] received March 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

796. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revision to Ambient Nitrogen Dioxide Monitoring Requirements [EPA-HQ-OAR-2012-0486; FRL-9789-2] (RIN: 2060-AR59) received March 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

797. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report on "Overseas Surplus Property" for disposal within fiscal years 2013 through 2014; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

798. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Report on Workforce Planning for Foreign Service Personnel; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

799. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting authorizing the implementation of certain sanctions set forth in the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

800. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting authorizing the implementation of certain sanctions set forth in the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

801. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's determination and certification under Section 490(b)(1)(A) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 relating to the top five exporting and importing countries of pseudoephedrine and ephedrine; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

802. 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), a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Somalia that was declared in Executive Order 13536 of April 12, 2010; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

803. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the semiannual report detailing payments made to Cuba as a result of the provision of telecommunications services pursuant to Department of the Treasury specific licenses as required by section 1705(e)(6) of the Cuban Democracy Act of 1992, as amended by Section 102(g) of the Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity (LIBERTAD) Act of 1996, 22 U.S.C. 6004(e)(6), and pursuant to Executive Order 13313 of July 31, 2003; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

804. A letter from the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting ninth and final lessons learned report entitled "Learning from Iraq"; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

805. A letter from the Director, Office of Economic Impact and Diversity, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's annual report on the No FEAR Act for Fiscal Year 2012; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

806. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting a report on compliance within the time limitations established for deciding habeas corpus death penalty petitions under Title I of the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

807. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the annual report of the Office of Justice Programs' Bureau of Justice Assistance for Fiscal Year 2011, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 3712(b); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

808. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Small Business Size Standards: Information (RIN: 3245-AG26) received March 11, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

809. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Small Business Size Standards: Administrative and Support, Waste Management and Remediation Services (RIN: 3245-AG27) received March 11, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

810. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Compensation, Retirement Programs, and Related Benefits; Effective Dates (RIN: 3052-AC41) received March 11, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Small Business and Science, Space, and Technology.

811. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a report concerning the operations and status of the Government Securities Investment fund (G-Fund) of the Federal Employees Retirement System during the debt issuance suspension period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 83481(1); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Oversight and Government Reform.

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. JONES:

H.R. 1275. A bill to guarantee the right of individuals to receive Social Security benefits under title II of the Social Security Act in full with an accurate annual cost-of-living adjustment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself, Mr. Brooks of Alabama, Mrs. Capito, Mr. Coble, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Cum-MINGS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. Enyart, Mr. Griffith of Virginia, Mr. Grijalva, Mr. Harper, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. Johnson of Ohio, Mr. Jones, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. McHenry, Mr. McKinley, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. OWENS, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, SLAUGHTER, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. Turner, Mr. Vis-CLOSKY, Mr. WELCH, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 1276. A bill to amend title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930 to clarify that countervailing duties may be imposed to address subsidies relating to a fundamentally undervalued currency of any foreign country; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PEARCE (for himself, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. JORDAN):

H.R. 1277. A bill to amend title III of the Social Security Act to require States to implement a drug testing program for applicants for and recipients of unemployment compensation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA (for himself, Mr. Cole, Ms. McCollum, Ms. Norton, Mr. Grijalva, Ms. Bass, Ms. Moore, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Honda, and Mrs. Christensen):

H.R. 1278. A bill to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 regarding the disparagement of Native American persons or peoples through marks that use the term "redskin", and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA (for himself and Ms. Ros-Lehtinen):

H.R. 1279. A bill to authorize the Secretary of State to issue up to 10,500 E-3 visas per year to nationals of the Republic of Korea (South); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OLSON:

H.R. 1280. A bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to increase the penalties imposed for intimidating, threatening, or coercing any person from engaging in voter registration activities or for

procuring, submitting, or casting false voter registration applications or ballots, to require election officials to transmit voter registration cards and absentee ballots to voters in elections for Federal office through the use of the automated tagging and tracing services provided by the United States Postal Service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD (for herself and Mr. SIMPSON):

H.R. 1281. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize programs under part A of title XI of such Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER (for herself, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WILSON of Florida, and Mr. CICILLINE):

H.R. 1282. A bill to reduce housing-related health hazards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 1283. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide for grants to small business development centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Ms. BROWNLEY of California (for herself and Mr. MICHAUD):

H.R. 1284. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for coverage under the beneficiary travel program of the Department of Veterans Affairs of certain disabled veterans for travel for certain special disabilities rehabilitation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

By Mr. BUCHANAN (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. MICA, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. ROONEY, Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. COOPER, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. KEATING, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. RAHALL, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. Desjarlais, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. ISSA, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. POSEY, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. MARINO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. Westmoreland, Mr. Stivers, Mr. Benishek, Mr. Crenshaw, Mr. Ross. Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. TIPTON, Mr. SHUSTER, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. Rodney Davis of Illinois, and Mr. Schock):

H.R. 1285. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to make any substance containing hydrocodone a schedule II drug; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Ms. Pelosi, Mr. Schiff, Mr. Gene Green of Texas, Mr. Nadler, Ms. Lee of California, Ms. Moore, Mr. Markey, Mr. Rush, Ms. Norton, Ms. Slaugh-TER, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. Capuano, Mr. Cárdenas, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr.PALLONE, Mr.Moran, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mrs. Carolyn B. Maloney of New York, Ms. Bonamici, Mr. Ryan Ohio, Mr. GRIJALVA, MCDERMOTT, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. CON-YERS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. HONDA, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Ms. CHU,

Mr. Tonko, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. Meng, Ms. Tsongas, Mr. Ben Ray LUJÁN of New Mexico, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. Clay, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Payne, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. Johnson of Georgia, Mr. Ellison, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Polis, Mr. Deutch, Mrs. Napolitano, Mr. Sherman, Mr. Van Hollen, Ms. ESTY, Ms. McCollum, Mr. Cleaver, McGovern, Ms. Linda SÁNCHEZ of California, Mr. HIMES, Mrs. Capps, Mr. Peters of Michigan, Mr. POCAN, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. HAHN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. COHEN, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. HOLT, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois. Mr. Courtney. Mr. Keating. Mr. Jeffries, Ms. Speier, Mr. Blu-MENAUER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. Roybal-Allard, Mr. Huffman, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. Lofgren, Mr. Takano, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. MATSUI, and Ms. TITUS):

H.R. 1286. A bill to allow Americans to earn paid sick time so that they can address their own health needs and the health needs of their families; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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. FINCHER (for himself, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Crawford, Mr. Peterson, Mr. Bucshon, Mr. Bishop of Georgia, and Mr. Cole):

H.R. 1287. A bill to ensure high standards for Federal agency use of scientific information; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD (for himself, Mr. Courtney, Mr. Jones, Mr. Meadows, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Pittenger, Mr. Holding, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. PIN-GREE of Maine, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. Schiff, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. LATTA, Mr. Ross, Ms. Hahn, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. Loebsack, Mr. McHenry, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. McCollum, Mrs. Carolyn B. New MALONEY of York, Wasserman Schultz, Mr. Barrow of Georgia, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Keating, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. King of New York, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Defazio, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. WEST-MORELAND):

H.R. 1288. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to accept additional documentation when considering the application for veterans status of an individual who performed service as a coastwise merchant seaman during World War II, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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. FOSTER (for himself, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. MASSIE, Mr. VAN HOL-LEN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LOEBSACK, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. PETERS of Michigan, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SCHA-KOWSKY, and Ms. SHEA-PORTER):

H.R. 1289. A bill to provide a Federal charter to the Fab Foundation for the National Fab Lab Network, a national network of local digital fabrication facilities providing community access to advanced manufacturing tools for learning skills, developing inventions, creating businesses, and producing personalized products; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia (for himself, Mr. Owens, Mr. Jones, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. Young of Alaska, Mr. Franks of Arizona, Mr. Westmore-Land, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Ross, Mr. Poe of Texas, Mr. Crawford, Mr. Harper, Mr. Rigell, Mr. Nunnelle, Mr. Kinzinger of Illinois, Mr. Posey, Mr. Graves of Missouri, Mr. Griffin of Arkansas, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Roe of Tennessee, Ms. Jenkins, Mr. Barton, Mr. Conaway, Mr. Womack, Mr. Cassidy, Mr. Rogers of Alabama, Mr. Latta, Mr. Hurt, Mr. Johnson of Ohio, and Mr. Miller of Florida):

H.R. 1290. A bill to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to more comprehensively address the interstate transportation of firearms or ammunition; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KIND (for himself and Mr. GER-LACH):

H.R. 1291. A bill to reauthorize the Neotropical Migratory Bird Conservation Act; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. KING of Iowa (for himself, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. Jones, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. BURGESS, and Mr. BARLETTA):

H.R. 1292. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that wages paid to unauthorized aliens may not be deducted from gross income, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and 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. KING of New York (for himself, Mr. Polis, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Meeks, Mr. Bachus, Mr. Grimm, and Mr. Wolf):

H.R. 1293. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish and provide a checkoff for a Breast and Prostate Cancer Research Fund, and for other purposes; 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. LABRADOR (for himself, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. McCLINTOCK, Mr. PEARCE, and Mr. YOUNG of Alastra).

H.R. 1294. A bill to establish a program that will generate dependable economic activity for counties and local governments containing National Forest System land through a management-focused approach, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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. MAFFEI (for himself and Mr. Polis):

H.R. 1295. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on medical devices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. Costa, Mr. Denham, and Mr. ROHRABACHER):

H.R. 1296. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify a maintenance exemption regarding the removal of sediment, debris, and vegetation from certain structures; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

By Mr. OWENS (for himself, Mr. COURTNEY, and Mr. HANNA):

H.R. 1297. A bill to amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to expand eligibility for Farm Service Agency loans; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. OWENS (for himself and Mr. HANNA):

H.R. 1298. A bill to amend the Export Apple Act to permit the export of apples to Canada in bulk bins without certification by the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. PEARCE:

H.R. 1299. A bill to provide for the transfer of certain public land currently administered by the Bureau of Land Management to the administrative jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Army for inclusion in White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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

> By Mr. RUNYAN (for himself and Mr. SABLAN):

H.R. 1300. A bill to amend the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956 to reauthorize the volunteer programs and community partnerships for the benefit of national wildlife refuges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. SCHWARTZ (for herself, Mr. COHEN, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, KEATING, and Ms. JACKSON LEE):

H.R. 1301. A bill making supplemental appropriations for the National Institutes of Health for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, 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. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia:

H.R. 1302. A bill to prohibit foreign military financing to Egypt; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. STIVERS (for himself, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. CASSIDY, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. TIBERI):

H.R. 1303. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to provide flexibility to school food authorities in meeting certain nutritional requirements for the school lunch and breakfast programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. WALBERG:

H.R. 1304. A bill to permit the chief executive of a State to create an exemption from certain requirements of Federal environmental laws for producers of agricultural commodities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. WENSTRUP:

H.R. 1305. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide clarification regarding eligibility for services under the Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1306. A bill to provide for the partial settlement of certain claims under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1307. A bill to amend the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993 to require the Bureau of Land Management to provide a claimant of a small miner waiver from claim maintenance fees with a period of 60 days after written receipt of 1 or more defects is provided to the claimant by registered mail to cure the 1 or more defects or pay the claim maintenance fee, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. WAXMAN (for himself, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. HONDA, Mr. MICA, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. Bentivolio, Mr. Con-NOLLY, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of Ms. New York, Mr. Sherman, CLARKE, and Ms. EDWARDS):

H. Res. 130. A resolution recognizing the cultural and historical significance Nowruz and acknowledging the Cyrus Cylinder as a symbol of respect for human rights and religious tolerance; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII.

4. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to House Resolution No. 6 urging the Congress and the President to restate that the congressional intent of the federal Controlled Substances Act is not to prohibit the production of industrial hemp: jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Energy and Commerce.

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. JONES:

H.R. 1275.

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

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

By Mr. LEVIN:

H.R. 1276.

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

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress to lay and collect duties and to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, as enumerated in Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. PEARCE:

H.R. 1277.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA: H.R. 1278.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 8-The Congress shall have Power To promote the Progress of Science and useful Arts, by securing for limited Times to Authors and Inventors the exclusive Right to their respective Writings and Discoveries.

By Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA:

H.R. 1279.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

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

By Mr. OLSON:

H.R. 1280.

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

Article I, Section 4, Clause I-The times, places, and manner of holding elections for senators and representatives, shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof; but the Congress may at any time by law make or alter such regulations, except as to the places of choosing senators.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7-The Congress shall have power to establish Post Offices and post roads.

By $\bar{M}s$. ROYBAL-ALLARD:

H.R. 1281.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Ms. SLAUGHTER:

H.R. 1282.

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

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I and

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

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 1283.

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

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

By Ms. BROWNLEY of California:

H.R. 1284.

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

Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. BUCHANAN: H.R. 1285.

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

The power to enact this legislation is granted in Article 1, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 1286.

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

Civil Rights Enforcement

Fourteenth Amendment, Section 5

Section 1: All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

Section 5: The Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

By Mr. FINCHER:

H.R. 1287.

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