

put the student loan business back in the private sector so the Federal Government can be the referee and monitor the lending institutions and the borrowers, and be the referee. That's what we're supposed to be.

As far as the IRS scandal, Mr. Speaker, I hope and pray some consciences are being bothered and hounded in the IRS and over Benghazi and over the AP scandal—the abuse of process there, the abuse of process in going after conservative reporters—that consciences will begin to be bothered and they won't be cleared until they come forward and say: I'm a whistleblower; I have got to get the truth off my chest. Let the chips fall where they may. That's what I hope and pray for.

With that, Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today and for the balance of the week on account of medical reasons.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of illness in the family.

Mr. CLYBURN (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today.

Mr. HINOJOSA (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for May 14 on account of attending a funeral of a young soldier from his district who was killed in Afghanistan.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The Speaker announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 982—To prohibit the Corps of Engineers from taking certain actions to establish a restricted area prohibiting public access to waters downstream of a dam, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GOHMERT. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 9 o'clock and 11 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, May 23, 2013, at 9 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

1578. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting notification of several violations of the Antideficiency Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b) and 1351; to the Committee on Appropriations.

1579. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's Annual Report for FY 2012 regarding the training, and its associated ex-

penses, of U.S. Special Operations Forces (SOF) with friendly foreign forces for the period ending September 30, 2012, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2011; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1580. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Keith M. Huber, United States Army, and his advancement on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1581. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule — Federal Housing Administration (FHA): Section 232 Healthcare Facility Insurance Program-Strengthening Accountability and Regulatory Revisions Update Final Rule Amendment — Revision of Date of Applicability [Docket No.: FR-5465-F-03] (RIN: 2502-AJ05) received May 14, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1582. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule — William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program [Docket ID: ED-2012-OPE-0006] (RIN: 1840-AD13) received May 15, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

1583. A letter from the Acting Chief Policy Officer, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Paying Benefits received May 17, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

1584. 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 Animal Feed and Pet Food; Electron Beam and X-Ray Sources for Irradiation of Poultry Feed and Poultry Feed Ingredients [Docket No.: FDA-2012-F-0178] received May 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1585. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Safety Evaluation by the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation BWR Vessel and Internals Project BWRVIP-241, Probabilistic Fracture Mechanics Evaluation for the Boiling Water Reactor Nozzle-To-Vessel Shell Welds and Nozzle Blend Radii received May 13, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1586. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Treasury, transmitting as required by section 401(c) of the National Emergency 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 the situation in or in relation to the Democratic Republic of the Congo that was declared in Executive Order 13413 of October 27, 2006; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1587. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Treasury, transmitting as required by section 401(c) of the National Emergency 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 Sudan that was declared in Executive Order 13067 of November 3, 1997; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1588. A letter from the Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States,

transmitting the Conference's Performance and Accountability Report for fiscal year 2012; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1589. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Regulatory Affairs & Collaborative Action, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Residential, Business, and Wind and Solar Resource Leases on Indian Land (RIN: 1076-AE73) received May 14, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1590. A letter from the Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher/Processors Using Hook-and-line Gear in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 120918468-3111-02] (RIN: 0648-XC633) received May 14, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1591. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic [Docket No.: 120403251-3290-01] (RIN: 0648-BB70) received May 14, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1592. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations; Third Annual Space Coast Super Boat Grand Prix, Atlantic Ocean; Cocoa Beach, FL [Docket No.: USCG-2013-0071] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received May 1, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1593. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Organization and Delegation of Duties [Docket No.: NHTSA-2013-0048] (RIN: 2127-AL44) received May 2, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1594. A letter from the Acting Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting Naval Petroleum Reserves Annual Report of Operations for Fiscal Year 2012; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Energy and Commerce.

1595. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification to Congress regarding the Incidental Capture of Sea Turtles in Commercial Shrimping Operations, pursuant to Public Law 101-162, section 609(b); jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Appropriations.

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:

Ms. FOXX: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 232. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1911) to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish interest rates for new loans made on or after July 1, 2013, and for other purposes (Rept. 113-89). 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. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 2083. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to require criminal background checks for school employees; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. DELANEY (for himself, Mr. BARR, Mr. BERA, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. COLE, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. GABBARD, Mr. GARCIA, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KIND, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. MESSER, Mr. MORAN, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. PETERS of California, Mr. PITTINGER, Mr. POLIS, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. YOHIO):

H.R. 2084. A bill to establish the American Infrastructure Fund, to provide bond guarantees and make loans to States, local governments, and non-profit infrastructure providers for investments in certain infrastructure projects, and to provide equity investments in such projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. ROSKAM (for himself, Mr. NEAL, Mr. LANCE, Mr. KIND, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. PAULSEN, and Mr. TIBERI):

H.R. 2085. A bill to create incentive for innovative diagnostics by improving the process for determining Medicare payment rates for new tests; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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 Ms. TITUS (for herself, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. O'ROURKE, Mr. BARBER, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. LOEBSACK, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. MICHAUD, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BEN RAY LUJAN of New Mexico, Mr. KILMER, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. COSTA, and Ms. SHEA-POR-TER):

H.R. 2086. A bill to direct the Secretary to make interim payments of disability compensation benefits for certain claims for such compensation prior to the adjudication of such claims, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. BLACK:

H.R. 2087. A bill to prohibit Federal funds for the establishment or operation of patient navigator programs under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MICHAUD (for himself, Mr. MCINTYRE, Ms. KUSTER, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. HECK of Nevada, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. BISHOP of New York, and Mr. KILMER):

H.R. 2088. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a pilot program to establish claims adjudication centers of excellence; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. ROBY (for herself and Mr. ROKITA):

H.R. 2089. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to prohibit Federal mandates, direction, or control, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia (for himself, Mr. MCCAUL, and Mr. PETERS of California):

H.R. 2090. A bill to amend chapter V of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to permit provisional approval of fast track products; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. BACHMANN:

H.R. 2091. A bill to amend title 36, United States Code, to require that the POW/MIA flag be displayed on all days that the flag of the United States is displayed on certain Federal property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana (for herself, Mrs. WALORSKI, Mr. MESSER, and Ms. JENKINS):

H.R. 2092. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide that retirement credit for service as a Member of Congress be denied in the case of a former Member convicted of a felony, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on 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. MURPHY of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. LATTA, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. LONG, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. HALL, Mr. COLE, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. OLSON, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. ROKITA, and Mr. NUGENT):

H.R. 2093. A bill to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act relating to lead-based paint renovation and remodeling activities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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

H.R. 2094. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to increase the preference given, in awarding certain asthma-related grants, to certain States (those allowing trained school personnel to administer epinephrine and meeting other related requirements); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BISHOP of Utah:

H.R. 2095. A bill to prohibit an increase in the lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management until a centralized database of all lands identified as suitable for disposal by Resource Management Plans for lands under the administrative jurisdiction of the Bureau is easily accessible to the public on a website of the Bureau; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. GRAYSON:

H.R. 2096. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act to require that employers provide a minimum of 1 week of paid annual leave to employees; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CALVERT:

H.R. 2097. A bill to amend the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 to authorize assignment to States of Federal agency environmental review responsibilities, and for

other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan (for himself, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. JONES, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, and Mr. BENISHEK):

H.R. 2098. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete for its contracts minimizing its unfair competition with private sector firms and their non-inmate workers and empowering Federal agencies to get the best value for taxpayers' dollars, to provide a five-year period during which Federal Prison Industries adjusts to obtaining inmate work opportunities through other than its mandatory source status, to enhance inmate access to remedial and vocational opportunities and other rehabilitative opportunities to better prepare inmates for a successful return to society, to authorize alternative inmate work opportunities in support of non-profit organizations and other public service programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BROOKS of Alabama:

H.R. 2099. A bill to provide for an accounting of total United States contributions to the United Nations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. DEFazio:

H.R. 2100. A bill to restrict conflicts of interest on the boards of directors of Federal reserve banks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. DEUTCH (for himself, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MORAN, Mr. NOLAN, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. POLIS, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. MURPHY of Florida):

H.R. 2101. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to eating disorders, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Oversight and Government Reform, 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 Ms. ESTY (for herself, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. COURTNEY, and Mr. HIMES):

H.R. 2102. A bill to provide financial assistance for school construction after a violent or traumatic crisis; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN:

H.R. 2103. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to designate New Jersey Task Force 1 as part of the National Urban Search and Rescue System; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN:

H.R. 2104. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, and the Social Security Act to limit the misuse of Social Security numbers, to establish criminal penalties for such misuse, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. KILMER (for himself and Mr. BRIDENSTINE):

H.R. 2105. A bill to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010 to extend the pilot program for the temporary exchange of information technology personnel; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KIND (for himself and Mr. SENBRENNER):

H.R. 2106. A bill to authorize and request the President to award the Medal of Honor posthumously to First Lieutenant Alonzo H. Cushing for acts of valor during the Civil War; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. LEE of California (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. NOLAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Ms. MCCOLLUM):

H.R. 2107. A bill to prohibit monetary payments by the Federal Government to employees, officers, and elected officials of foreign countries for purposes of bribery, coercion, or any activity that is illegal or undermines the rule of law or corrupts a public officer or the office such officer represents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), and in addition to the Committee on 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. LEWIS:

H.R. 2108. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide information to foster youth on their potential eligibility for Federal student aid; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 2109. A bill to amend title XX of the Social Security Act to provide grants to support job creation initiatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 2110. A bill to reauthorize the Assets for Independence Act, to provide for the approval of applications to operate new demonstration programs and to renew existing programs, to enhance program flexibility, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 2111. A bill to eliminate the requirement that, to be eligible for foster care maintenance payments, a child would have been eligible for aid under the former program of Aid to Families with Dependent Children at the time of removal from the home; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York (for himself, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MAFFEI, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. HANNA, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Ms. MENG, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. TONKO, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. GIBSON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 2112. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 787 State Route 17M in Monroe, New York, as the "National Clandestine Service of the Central Intelligence Agency NCS Officer Gregg David Wenzel Memorial Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. MARINO (for himself and Mr. POSEY):

H.R. 2113. A bill to end the practice of including more than one subject in a single bill by requiring that each bill enacted by Congress be limited to only one subject, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MARINO (for himself and Mr. PIERLUISI):

H.R. 2114. A bill to provide the Department of Justice with additional tools to target extraterritorial drug trafficking activity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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 Mrs. MILLER of Michigan (for herself and Mr. ROKITA):

H.R. 2115. A bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to require an individual who applies for a motor vehicle driver's license in a new State to indicate whether the new State is to serve as the individual's residence for purposes of registering to vote in elections for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. NEAL (for himself, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. KIND, and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 2116. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make improvements in the earned income tax credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEAL:

H.R. 2117. A bill to simplify and enhance qualified retirement plans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Armed Services, Oversight and Government Reform, and 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. PASCRELL (for himself and Mr. ROONEY):

H.R. 2118. A bill to reduce sports-related concussions in youth, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RUIZ:

H.R. 2119. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the opportunity for veterans to use video conferencing for hearings before the Board of Veterans' Appeals; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 2120. A bill to allow mandatory nighttime curfews at certain airports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself and Mr. KIND):

H.R. 2121. A bill to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act to require annual disclosure of crop insurance premium subsidies in the public interest; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BACHUS (for himself and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.J. Res. 47. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving Congress power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MARINO:

H.J. Res. 48. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the number of consecutive terms that a Member of Congress may serve; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H. Con. Res. 38. Concurrent resolution recognizing and celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Virgin Islands becoming a part of the United States; to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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.

By Mrs. BACHMANN (for herself, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DESANTIS, Mr. ENYART, Mr. HALL, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. PETERSON, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. KLINE, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, and Mr. PETERS of Michigan):

H. Res. 231. A resolution establishing a Select Committee on POW and MIA Affairs; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. CROWLEY (for himself, Mr. NEAL, and Mr. KING of New York):

H. Res. 233. A resolution honoring the Good Friday Agreement (the Belfast Agreement), on the 15th anniversary of its ratification, as the framework for lasting peace in Northern Ireland; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

31. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to House Resolution No. 149 requesting that the Congress support legislation requiring the Department of Agriculture and the Food and Drug Administration to come up with a nation-wide system for monitoring, labeling, and enforcing the labeling of all whole and processed genetically engineered foods; to the Committee on Agriculture.

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. GEORGE MILLER of California:

H.R. 2083.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

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

By Mr. DELANEY:

H.R. 2084.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. ROSKAM:

H.R. 2085.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 states The Congress shall have Power To provide . . . for the . . . general Welfare of the United States.

By Ms. TITUS:

H.R. 2086.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Amendment XVI, of the United States Constitution