

DDTC 12-139; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1779. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Political-Military Affairs, Department of State, transmitting an addendum to a certification, transmittal number: DDTC 12-155; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1780. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Political-Military Affairs, Department of State, transmitting an addendum to a certification, transmittal number: DDTC 12-167; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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1782. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Political-Military Affairs, Department of State, transmitting an addendum to a certification, transmittal number: DDTC 12-157; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1783. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a letter regarding actions under the Iran Sanctions Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1784. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to section 655 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1785. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Report on Compliance with the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1786. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a determination under section 102(a)(2) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1787. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a possible unauthorized transfer of defense articles pursuant to Section 3 of the Arms Export Control Act (AECA); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1788. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a designation pursuant to Section 219 of the Immigration and Nationality Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1789. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting justification for determination made by the Secretary of Defense under 22 U.S.C. 5963 as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1790. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to paragraph (5)(D) of the Senate's May 1997 Resolution of the Conventional Armed Forces in Europe; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1791. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a waiver under section 7046(C)(1)(B) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1792. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting waiver of requirement to certify conditions under Section 203 of the Enhanced Partnership with Pakistan Act of 2009; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1793. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State,

transmitting notification of a possible unauthorized transfer of U.S.-origin defense articles pursuant to Section 3 of the Arms Export Control Act (AECA); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1794. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Condition (10)(C) Annual Report on Compliance with the Chemical Weapons Convention; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1795. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting report on the Secretary of State's decision to designate an entity and its aliases as a "foreign terrorist organization", pursuant to Section 219 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as amended (8 U.S.C. 1189); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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1800. A letter from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Central Intelligence Agency, transmitting a congressional notification; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

1801. A letter from the Director of National Intelligence, transmitting on the impact of sequestration on the National Intelligence Program; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

1802. A letter from the Boards of Trustees, Federal Hospital Insurance and Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Funds, transmitting the 2013 Annual Report Of The Boards Of Trustees Of The Federal Hospital Insurance And Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Funds, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 401(c)(2), 1395i(b)(2), and 1395t(b)(2); (H. Doc. No. 113-34); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce, and ordered to be printed.

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:

Mr. MCKEON: Committee on Armed Services. Supplemental report on H.R. 1960, A bill

to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strength for such fiscal year, and for other purposes (Rept. 113-102, Pt. 2).

Mr. NUGENT: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 256. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1960) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2014 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1256) to direct the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission to jointly adopt rules setting forth the application to cross-border swaps transactions of certain provisions relating to swaps that were enacted as part of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (Rept. 113-104). 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 Mrs. CAPPS:

H.R. 2308. A bill to direct the Secretary of Education to establish a program to provide grants for cardiopulmonary resuscitation and automated external defibrillator training in public elementary and secondary schools; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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 Ms. LOFGREN (for herself, Mr.

FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. AMODEI, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. BARTON, Ms. BASS, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. BOUTSTANY, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CARTER, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COFFMAN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. COSTA, Mr. COTTON, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. DENT, Mr. DOYLE, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. ENYART, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. FLORES, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GARDNER, Mr. GARRETT, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. GRJALVA, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HALL, Mr. HANNA, Mr. HARPER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HECK of Nevada, Mr. HOLDING, Mr. HOLT, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. ISSA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. JENKINS, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JONES, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. KLINE, Mr. LABRADOR, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LANCE, Mr. LATTA, Mr. LONG, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MARINO, Mr. MATHESON, Ms. MATSUI,

Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. OLSON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. POLIS, Mr. RADEL, Mr. REED, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. ROKITA, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. ROSS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. RUNYAN, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SALMON, Ms. LORRETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SESSIONS, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SIMPSON, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. TONKO, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. YODER, Mr. MASSIE, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. CLARKE, Mr. DESANTIS, and Mr. COLE):

H.R. 2309. A bill to restrict any State or local jurisdiction from imposing a new discriminatory tax on cell phone services, providers, or property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HANNA:

H.R. 2310. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make available for purchase Department of Veterans Affairs memorial headstones and markers for members of reserve components who performed certain training; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. GRAYSON:

H.R. 2311. A bill to protect employees from retaliation in the workplace based on actions taken to protest or try to improve working conditions; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BARR (for himself, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. YARMUTH, and Mr. MASSIE):

H.R. 2312. A bill to exempt the natural aging process in the determination of the production period for distilled spirits under section 263A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BOUSTANY (for himself, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 2313. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to issue regulations covering the practice of enrolled agents before the Internal Revenue Service; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FORTENBERRY:

H.R. 2314. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to establish a strategy to prevent the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and related materials in the Middle East and North Africa region, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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

H.R. 2315. A bill to clarify the orphan drug exception to the annual fee on branded prescription pharmaceutical manufacturers and importers; 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 Mr. GRIJALVA (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina,

Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. POLIS, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 2316. A bill to provide grants to States to ensure that all students in the middle grades are taught an academically rigorous curriculum with effective supports so that students complete the middle grades prepared for success in secondary school and postsecondary endeavors, to improve State and district policies and programs relating to the academic achievement of students in the middle grades, to develop and implement effective middle grades models for struggling students, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LANGEVIN (for himself, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. TAKANO, and Mr. SIRES):

H.R. 2317. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide grants to States to establish a comprehensive school counseling program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LATTA:

H.R. 2318. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 with respect to the applicability of the Act to Federal facilities, 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. MULLIN (for himself, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. COLE, and Mr. PEARCE):

H.R. 2319. A bill to clarify certain provisions of the Native American Veterans' Memorial Establishment Act of 1994; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 2320. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an increasingly larger earned income credit for families with more than 3 children; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 2321. A bill to extend to the Mayor of the District of Columbia the same authority over the National Guard of the District of Columbia as the Governors of the several States exercise over the National Guard of those States with respect to administration of the National Guard and its use to respond to natural disasters and other civil disturbances, while ensuring that the President retains control of the National Guard of the District of Columbia to respond to homeland defense emergencies; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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. PETERS of California (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mrs. CAPPES, Mr. POCAN, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. SINEMA, and Ms. HAHN):

H.R. 2322. A bill to minimize the economic and social costs resulting from losses of life, property, well-being, business activity, and economic growth associated with extreme weather events by ensuring that the United States is more resilient to the impacts of extreme weather events in the short- and long-term, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PITTENGER:

H.R. 2323. A bill to amend the Equal Credit Opportunity Act to repeal a small business loan data collection requirement; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 2324. A bill to repeal the Authorization for Use of Military Force; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of Washington (for himself and Mr. GIBSON):

H.R. 2325. A bill to provide for the disposition of certain persons detained in the United States pursuant to the Authorization for Use of Military Force; to the Committee on Armed Services, 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 Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi:

H.R. 2326. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of the Medgar Evers House, located in Jackson, Mississippi, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ (for herself and Mr. DIAZ-BALART):

H. Res. 254. A resolution recognizing the importance of United States leadership in addressing the challenge of global maternal and child malnutrition; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SESSIONS:

H. Res. 255. A resolution requesting the Senate to return to the House of Representatives the bill H.R. 2217; considered and agreed to.

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 Mrs. CAPPES:

H.R. 2308.

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

The Constitutional authority in which this bill rests is the power of the Congress to regulate Commerce, as enumerated by Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. LOFGREN:

H.R. 2309.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. HANNA

H.R. 2310.

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

The Constitutional authority on which this bill rests is enumerated in Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GRAYSON:

H.R. 2311.

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

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

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

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 2312.

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 8 of the