outcomes. Superintendent Fisher has tirelessly served as a leader in our community for the past 40 years.

Thank you, Dan, for being such a tireless advocate for our kids. Thank you for being a friend to me and also my family. I wish you the very best in retirement.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. CICILLINE (at the request of Ms. Pelosi) for today on account of illness.

Mr. CRAWFORD (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of a family emergency.

Mr. Sensenbrenner (at the request of Mr. Cantor) for today on account of illness.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 3 o'clock and 28 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, February 6, 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:

197. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Epoxy Polymer; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2012-0615; FRL-9369-7] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

198. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Labeling of Pesticide Products and Devices for Export; Clarification of Requirements [EPA-HQ-OPP-2009-0607; FRL-9360-8] (RIN: 2070-AJ59) received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

199. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Missouri; Control of Sulfur Emissions from Stationary Boilers [EPA-R07-OAR-2012-0763; FRL-9772-6] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

200. A letter from the Program Manager, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, transmitting the Centers' final rule — Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus Remaining Service-Life Indicator Performance Requirements [Docket No.: CDC-2012-0009; NIOSH-285] (RIN: 0920-AA38) received January 24, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

201. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Energy Conservation Program: Test Procedures for Microwave Ovens [Docket No.: EERE-2008-BT-TP-0011] (RIN: 1904-AB78) re-

ceived January 22, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

202. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval, Disapproval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; State of Utah; Regional Haze Rule Requirements for Mandatory Class I Areas under 40 CFR 51.309; Correction [EPA-R08-OAR-2011-0114; FRL-9771-9] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

203. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Placer County Air Pollution Control District [EPA-R09-OAR-2012-0849; FRL-9760-4] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

204. 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; Massachusetts and New Hampshire; Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program [EPA-R01-OAR-2009-0433; EPA-R01-OAR-2012-0149; A-1-FRL-9754-6] received January 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

205. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Alabama; Redesignation of the Birmingham 1997 Annual Fine Particulate Matter Nonattainment Area to Attainment [EPA-R04-OAR-2011-0316; FRL-9771-1] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

206. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency; final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Alabama; Redesignation of the Birmingham 2006 24-Hour Fine Particulate Matter Nonattainment Area to Attainment [EPA-R04-OAR-2011-0043; FRL-9771-2] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

207. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, South Coast Air Quality Management District [EPA-R09-OAR-2012-0611; FRL-9755-9] received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

208. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; Revision to Increase Public Availability of the Administrative Record File [EPA-HQ-SFUND-2012-0738; FRL-9772-9] (RIN: 2050-AG73) received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

209. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engines; New Source Performance Standards for Stationary Internal Combustion Engines [EPA-HQ-OAR-2008-0708; FRL-9756-4] (RIN: 2060-

AQ58) received January 18, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

210. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Fiscal Year (FY) 2012 Financial Report of the U.S. Government; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

211. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Federal Election Commission, transmitting in accordance with Section 647(b) of Title VI of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, FY 2004, Pub. L. 108-199, the Commission's Report to Congress on FY 2012 Competitive Sourcing Efforts; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

212. A letter from the Administrator, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting a notification that funding under Title V, subsection 503(b)(3) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, has exceeded \$5 million for the cost of response and recovery efforts for FEMA-3356-EM in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

213. A letter from the General Counsel, National Mediation Board, transmitting the Board's final rule — Representation Procedures and Rulemaking Authority [Docket No.: C-7034] (RIN: 3140-ZA01) received January 24, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

214. A letter from the Branch Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule

— Extension of Guidance in Notice 2011-14 and Rev. Proc. 2011-55 for Participants in the HFA Hardest Hit Fund, the Emergency Homeowners' Loan Program, and Substantially Similar State Programs [Notice 2013-7] received January 22, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

215. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 2013 Cost-of-Living Adjustments to Certain Tax Items (Rev. Proc. 2013-15) received January 22, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

216. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Application of Retroactive Increase in Excludible Transit Benefits [Notice 2013-8] received January 22, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. HUIZENGA of Michigan (for himself, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mrs. ROBY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. FRANKS Of Arizona, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. JONES, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. LATTA, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. KELLY, and Mr. BOUSTANY):

H.R. 493. A bill to prohibit funds appropriated for the Department of Homeland Security from being used to pay for an abortion, and for other purposes; 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 Mr. GERLACH (for himself, Mr. NEAL, Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. BLU-MENAUER, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. MCHENRY):

H.R. 494. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a reduced rate of excise tax on beer produced domestically by certain qualifying producers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

H.R. 495. A bill to make the Internal Revenue Service Free File Program permanent; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CAMP:

H.R. 496. A bill to require amounts remaining in Members' representational allowances at the end of a fiscal year to be used for deficit reduction or to reduce the Federal debt, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. BARLETTA (for himself and Mr. Schneider):

H.R. 497. A bill to allow that certain Federal job training and career education programs give priority to programs that lead to recognized postsecondary credentials; 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 Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD (for herself, Mr. WOLF, and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 498. A bill to provide for programs and activities with respect to the prevention of underage drinking; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. POLIS (for himself, Mr. Blu-MENAUER, Mr. COHEN, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. HONDA, Mr. MORAN, and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 499. A bill to decriminalize marijuana at the Federal level, to leave to the States a power to regulate marijuana that is similar to the power they have to regulate alcohol, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Ways and Means, Natural Resources, and Agriculture, 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. GRAYSON:

H.R. 500. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an option for any citizen or permanent resident of the United States to buy into Medicare; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Mr. Polis, and Mr. Cohen):

H.R. 501. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the taxation of marijuana, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 502. A bill to create an electronic employment eligibility verification system to ensure that all workers in the United States are legally able to work, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, 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. ROE of Tennessee (for himself, Mr. Duncan of Tennessee, Mr. Young of Alaska, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Jones, Mr. COOK, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. HALL, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. WHITFIELD, and Mr. MEADOWS):

H.R. 503. A bill to authorize the National Desert Storm Memorial Association to establish the National Desert Storm and Desert Shield Memorial as a commemorative work in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CULBERSON (for himself, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. McKIN-LEY, and Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 504. A bill to save at least \$10,000,000,000 by consolidating some duplicative and overlapping Government programs; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, 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, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. NADLER, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. CHU, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CLAY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GRAYSON, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 505. A bill to repeal sequester while achieving balance in deficit reduction between revenue and cuts, and between non-defense cuts and defense cuts, to invest in job creation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, Oversight and Government Reform, Armed Services, Education and the Workforce, Transportation and Infrastructure, and 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. COHEN (for himself, Mr. Poe of Texas, Mr. Costa, Ms. Bordallo, and Mr. Deutch):

H.R. 506. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to strengthen enforcement of spousal court-ordered property distributions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRIJALVA:

H.R. 507. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain land inholdings owned by the United States to the Pascua Yaqui Tribe of Arizona, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. GRIMM (for himself, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. ROSS, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. DUFFY, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 508. A bill to extend the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program for five years; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HARPER (for himself and Mrs. McMorris Rodgers):

H.R. 509. A bill to amend the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to authorize grants for the transition of youths with significant disabilities to adulthood, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HARPER (for himself and Mrs. McMorris Rodgers):

H.R. 510. A bill to amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to make improvements to the individualized education program under that Act and facilitate the transition of children with disabilities to adulthood, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HARPER (for himself and Mrs. McMorris Rodgers):

H.R. 511. A bill to amend the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act of 2000 to provide assistance to States for development and implementation of an individual transition plan for each individual with a developmental disability in the State who is making the transition from the secondary school system into adulthood, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SABLAN (for himself, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 512. A bill to encourage students from American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, and the United States Virgin Islands to become civically engaged through local and Federal government fellowships; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. HARRIS (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. HANNA):

H.R. 513. A bill to establish the Harriet Tubman National Historical Park in Auburn, New York, and the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad National Historical Park in Caroline, Dorchester, and Talbot Counties, Maryland, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H.R. 514. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to designate overpayments of income tax for disaster relief; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. ISRAEL (for himself, Mr. GRI-JALVA, Mr. HONDA, Ms. NORTON, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 515. A bill to amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to provide leave because of the death of a son or daughter; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, and House Administration, 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:

H.R.~516. A bill to extend the payroll tax reduction; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. GRIJALVA):

GRIJALVA):
H.R. 517. A bill to provide that 4 of the 12 weeks of parental leave made available to a Federal employee shall be paid leave, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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 (for himself, Mrs. Napolitano, Mr. Ben Ray Luján of New Mexico, Mr. Grijalva, Mr. Sablan, Mr. Holt, Ms. Hanabusa, Ms. Chu, Ms. Slaughter, Mr. Hinojosa, and Mr. Rangel):

H.R. 518. A bill to amend the Reclamation States Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1991 for the purposes of extending the Reclamation States Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1991 through 2018, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources. By Mr. NADLER (for himself, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Dent, Mr. Polis, Mr. Cicilline, Mr. Sean Patrick Maloney of New York, Mr. Pocan, Ms. Sinema, Mr. Takano, Mr. Conyers, Ms. Lofgren, Ms. Pelosi, Mr. Hoyer, Mr. Honda, Mr. Van Hollen, and Mr. Garcia):

H.R. 519. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote family unity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. CLAY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FARR, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. MOORE, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. HUFFMAN, and Mr. GRLIALVA).

H.R. 520. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of alternatives for commemorating and interpreting the role of the Buffalo Soldiers in the early years of the National Parks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. BECERRA:

H. Res. 52. A resolution electing Members to a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS:

H. Res. 53. A resolution electing Members to a standing committee of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mrs. ROBY, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. Peters of Michigan, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Camp, Mr. Clay, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. Castor of Florida, Ms. Clarke, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Rangel, Ms. Sewell of Alabama, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. Wilson of Florida, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. EDWARDS, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. CHU, Mr. Danny K. Davis of Illinois, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. McCol-LUM, Ms. MOORE, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. EDDIE BER-NICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RUSH, Mr. WATT, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. VELA, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. RUIZ, and Mr. BONNER):

H. Res. 54. A resolution observing the 100th birthday of civil rights icon Rosa Parks and commemorating her legacy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. WILSON of Florida (for herself, Mr. CLEAVER, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. RUSH, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. RICHMOND, Ms. CHU, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois):

H. Res. 55. A resolution honoring the life of Trayvon Martin, urging the repeal of Stand Your Ground laws, and calling on the United States Government to address the crisis of racial profiling; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

$\begin{array}{c} \text{CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY} \\ \text{STATEMENT} \end{array}$

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. HUIZENGA of Michigan:

H.R. 493.

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

lation pursuant to the following:
The Spending Clause in Article I, Section

By Mr. GERLACH:

8. Clause 1 of the Constitution.

H.R. 494.

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

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. ROSKAM:

H.R. 495.

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, which states "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes," and Article I, Section 7, which states "All Bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives."

By Mr. CAMP:

H.R. 496.

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

Clause 7 of section 9 of article 1 of the Con-

By Mr. BARLETTA:

H.R. 497.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3, and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD:

H.R. 498.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. POLIS:

H.R. 499.

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

Article I, section 8, clause 1 (relating to the general welfare of the United States); and Article I, section 8, clause 3 (relating to the power to regulate interstate commerce).

By Mr. GRAYSON:

H.R. 500.

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. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 501.

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

The Constitution of the United States provides clear authority for Congress to pass tax legislation. Article I of the Constitution, in detailing Congressional authority, provides that "Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes . . ." (Section 8, Clause 1). This legislation is introduced pursuant to that grant of authority.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 502.

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

Article 1, Section 8:

To establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States:

By Mr. ROE of Tennessee:

H.R. 503.

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 as stated in Article 1, Section 8, Clause 17 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CULBERSON:

H.R. 504.

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

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 which states in part: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law; and a regular Statement and Account of the Receipts and Expenditures of all public Money shall be published from time to time."

By Mr. ELLISON:

H.R. 505.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1, 3, 12, 13, 14, and 18

By Mr. COHEN:

H.R. 506.

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

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

By Mr. GRIJALVA:

H.R. 507.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GRIMM:

H.R. 508.

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. HARPER:

H.R. 509.

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

Article I, §8, clause 1

By Mr. HARPER:

H.R. 510.

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

Article I, §8, clause 1

By Mr. HARPER:

H.R. 511.

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

Article I, §8, clause 1

By Mr. SABLAN:

H.R. 512.

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

Under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution, Congress has the power to collect taxes and expend funds to provide for the general welfare of the United States. Congress may also make laws that are necessary and proper for carrying into execution their powers enumerated under Article I.

By Mr. HARRIS:

H.R. 513.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution, relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress. Also this legislation can be enacted under the authority granted in Article 4, Section 3, Clause 2, relating to the power of Congress to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

I.B. 514

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the Constitution of the United States, including but not limited to Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1 and 3.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 515.

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