

USCG-2013-0245] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 2, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2286. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Queen's Cup; Lake Michigan; Milwaukee, WI [Docket No.: USCG-2013-0463] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 2, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2287. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulation; Heritage Coast Offshore Grand Prix, Tawas Bay; East Tawas, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2013-0434] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received July 2, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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. MILLER of Florida. Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 602. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify the conditions under which certain persons may be treated as adjudicated mentally incompetent for certain purposes (Rept. 113-159). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GOODLATTE. Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 367. A bill to amend chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that major rules of the executive branch shall have no force or effect unless a joint resolution of approval is enacted into law; with an amendment (Rept. 113-160 Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Committee on the Budget. H.R. 1874. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to provide for macroeconomic analysis of the impact of legislation; with amendments (Rept. 113-161 Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committee on Rules and the Budget discharged from further consideration. H.R. 367 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

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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. FARENTHOLD:

H.R. 2746. A bill to prevent undue disruption of interstate commerce by limiting civil actions brought against persons whose only role with regard to a product in the stream of commerce is as a lawful seller of the product; 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 with-

in the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WALBERG (for himself and Mr. COURTNEY):

H.R. 2747. A bill to amend title 40, United States Code, to transfer certain functions from the Government Accountability Office to the Department of Labor relating to the processing of claims for the payment of workers who were not paid appropriate wages under certain provisions of such title; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. FARENTHOLD, and Mr. ROSS):

H.R. 2748. A bill to restore the financial solvency of the United States Postal Service and to ensure the efficient and affordable nationwide delivery of mail; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 2749. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make certain records available to educational institutions where veterans or persons receiving educational assistance under the laws administered by the Secretary are enrolled, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. GRAVES of Missouri (for himself, Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER, Mr. HANNA, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. MEADOWS, and Ms. MENG):

H.R. 2750. A bill to amend title 41, United States Code, to require the use of two-phase selection procedures when design-build contracts are suitable for award to small business concerns, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HANNA (for himself, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, and Ms. MENG):

H.R. 2751. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to prohibit the use of reverse auctions for design and construction services procurements; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. ALEXANDER:

H.R. 2752. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude seasonal workers from the applicable large employer determination for purposes of employer shared responsibility regarding health coverage; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. BLACK:

H.R. 2753. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve Medicare Advantage, 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. BUTTERFIELD (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. TERRY, Mr. SCALISE, and Mr. CASIDY):

H.R. 2754. A bill to amend the Hobby Protection Act to make unlawful the provision of assistance or support in violation of that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GALLEGO (for himself, Mr. VEASEY, and Mr. VELA):

H.R. 2755. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income the administratively uncontrollable overtime of Border Patrol agents; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. AL GREEN of Texas (for himself, Mr. COHEN, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HONDA, and Ms. MOORE):

H.R. 2756. A bill to require any State which, after enacting a Congressional redistricting plan after a decennial census and apportionment of Representatives, enacts a subsequent Congressional redistricting plan prior to the next decennial census and apportionment of Representatives, to obtain a declaratory judgment or preclearance in the manner provided under section 5 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 in order for the subsequent plan to take effect; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas (for herself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. NORTON, Mr. HOLT, Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD, Mr. FARR, and Ms. LEE of California):

H.R. 2757. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to remove the exclusion from medical assistance under the Medicaid Program of items and services for patients in an institution for mental diseases; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. LOFGREN:

H.R. 2758. A bill to prohibit States from carrying out more than one Congressional redistricting after a decennial census and apportionment, to require States to conduct such redistricting through independent commissions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 2759. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish a Volunteer Teacher Advisory Committee; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. PELOSI (for herself, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. SWALWELL of California, and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 2760. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the centennial of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition and the Panama Canal, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. HOLT, Mr. HUFFMAN, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

H.R. 2761. A bill to require Presidential appointment and Senate confirmation of Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court judges; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 2762. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to establish a regional transmission planning process, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER (for herself, Mr. REED, Mr. MAFFEI, and Mr. HANNA):

H.R. 2763. A bill to reauthorize appropriations for the National Women's Rights History Project Act; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. STOCKMAN (for himself, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. BONNER, and Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina):

H.R. 2764. A bill to provide that human life shall be deemed to exist from conception; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WITTMAN (for himself and Mr. ALEXANDER):

H.R. 2765. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote the economic survival of seasonal small businesses by ensuring that the wages paid to H-2B non-immigrants are fair and reasonable; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PRICE of Georgia (for himself, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. BUCHSON, Mr. BOUSTANY, and Mr. BENISHEK):

H. Res. 307. A resolution expressing support for designation of October 6, 2013, through October 10, 2013, as "American College of Surgeons Days" and recognizing the 100th anniversary of the founding of the organization; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. SARBANES):

H. Res. 308. A resolution expressing support to end the 39-year-old division of the Republic of Cyprus; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself, Ms. LEE of California, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. NORTON, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ENYART, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. RUSH, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. MEEKS, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. CLAY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. POLIS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LEWIS, Ms. HAHN, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. WATT, Mr. SMITH of Washington, and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama):

H. Res. 309. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Clinicians HIV/AIDS Testing and Awareness Day, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CHABOT (for himself, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. MESSER, Mr. HOLDING, and Mr. PERRY):

H. Res. 310. A resolution calling for more accountable foreign assistance for Cambodia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Ms. CHU):

H. Res. 311. A resolution urging the President and Congress to take actions to fill vacancies on the Election Assistance Commission; to the Committee on House Administration.

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. FARENTHOLD:

H.R. 2746.

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

Article 1 § 8

By Mr. WALBERG:

H.R. 2747.

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

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 2748.

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

Art. I, Sec. 8

To establish Post Offices and post Roads.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington:

H.R. 2749.

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

As described in Article 1, Section 1 "all legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress."

By Mr. GRAVES of Missouri:

H.R. 2750.

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, which provides Congress with the ability to enact legislation necessary and proper to effectuate its purposes in taxing and spending.

By Mr. HANNA:

H.R. 2751.

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, which provides Congress with the ability to enact legislation necessary and proper to effectuate its purposes in taxing and spending.

By Mr. ALEXANDER:

H.R. 2752.

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

Article 1 Section 8, which states that Congress had authority "To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Depart or Officer thereof."

By Mrs. BLACK:

H.R. 2753.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution; whereby the Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD:

H.R. 2754.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3—The United States Congress shall have power to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. GALLEGO:

H.R. 2755.

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

THE U.S. CONSTITUTION ARTICLE I, SECTION 8:

POWERS OF CONGRESS CLAUSE 18

The Congress shall have power . . . To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this Constitution in the government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

By Mr. AL GREEN of Texas:

H.R. 2756.

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

Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. 1 sec. 8 cl. 18)

By Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 2757.

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

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

By Ms. LOFGREN:

H.R. 2758.

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

Article I, Section 4

Section 5 of Fourteenth Amendment

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 2759.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the powers granted to the Congress by Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. PELOSI:

H.R. 2760.

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

Article I, Section 8. "The Congress shall have Power . . . to coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures;"

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 2761.

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

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

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 2762.

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

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

By Ms. SLAUGHTER:

H.R. 2763.

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

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 2764.

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

This legislation affirms that human life begins at conception and that the unborn are entitled to the same rights and protections afforded to all American citizens under the U.S. Constitution and Section 1 of the 14th Amendment which states, "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."

By Mr. WITTMAN:

H.R. 2765.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4, which states that Congress has the power to establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 32: Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. HANABUSA, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. ROONEY.

H.R. 183: Mr. BARLETTA.

H.R. 207: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania and Mr. FLEMING.

H.R. 366: Ms. SHEA-PORTER.

H.R. 367: Mr. SMITH of Missouri.

H.R. 419: Mr. MESSER.

H.R. 508: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 533: Mr. LOWENTHAL.

H.R. 647: Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 676: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 683: Mr. BERA of California.

H.R. 721: Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 792: Mr. ROSKAM.

H.R. 868: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 901: Mr. BEN RAY LUJAN of New Mexico, Mr. HECK of Nevada, and Mr. AMASH.

H.R. 935: Mr. SALMON, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. COTTON, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. KLINE, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mrs. ROBY, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, and Mr. POMPEO.