

By Mr. SARBANES:

H.R. 3139.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution under the General Welfare Clause.

By Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 3140.

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

Article I, Section 1: All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

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 Mrs. MILLER of Michigan:

H.R. 3141.

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

Article I, section 8, clause 1; and Article I, section 8, clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Ms. KELLY of Illinois:

H.R. 3142.

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

Article I Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. KING of New York:

H.R. 3143.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 6

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. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 3144.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 3145.

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

Article 1, Section 7 and Section 8

By Mr. MURPHY of Florida:

H.R. 3146.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to Article 1 Section 8 Clause 18 of the United States Constitution, which states that 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. PALLONE:

H.R. 3147.

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

section 8 of article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. PETERS of California:

H.R. 3148.

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

Congress has the power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imports, and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform thought the United States.

By Mr. PETERS of California:

H.R. 3149.

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

Congress has the power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imports, and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United

States; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform thought the United States.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 3150.

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

Article 1, Section 8—to provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States.

By Mr. REED:

H.R. 3151.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. REED:

H.R. 3152.

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

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7

By Mr. RICHMOND:

H.R. 3153.

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

This bill is introduced pursuant to the powers granted to Congress under the General Welfare Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl. 1), the Commerce Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl. 3), and the Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl. 18).

Further, this statement of constitutional authority is made for the sole purpose of compliance with clause 7 of Rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives and shall have no bearing on judicial review of the accompanying bill.

By Mr. ROKITA:

H.R. 3154.

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

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States that states "The Congress shall have Power to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN:

H.R. 3155.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 3156.

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

The Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 93: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 183: Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 269: Ms. SPEIER.

H.R. 303: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.R. 318: Mr. O'ROURKE.

H.R. 351: Mr. LABRADOR.

H.R. 366: Mr. O'ROURKE.

H.R. 383: Mr. SALMON, Mr. LOEBACK, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. MEADOWS, and Mr. COLLINS of New York.

H.R. 385: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 543: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 565: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 635: Mr. NOLAN.

H.R. 685: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. POMPEO, and Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 717: Mr. GARCIA.

H.R. 721: Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 724: Mr. LATHAM, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, and Ms. SHEA-PORTER.

H.R. 822: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 896: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

H.R. 920: Mr. MULLIN and Mr. LAMBORN.

H.R. 1014: Mr. NOLAN.

H.R. 1024: Mr. LANCE.

H.R. 1029: Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 1078: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 1143: Mr. MCKINLEY.

H.R. 1201: Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 1229: Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 1249: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 1250: Ms. GRANGER and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 1281: Mr. SIRES, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. COSTA, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. RUIZ, Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. SABLAN, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Mr. GARCIA, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 1339: Mr. CARNEY, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. POCAN, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 1354: Mr. SOUTHERLAND and Mr. VALADAO.

H.R. 1409: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1421: Mr. RUIZ and Ms. ESTY.

H.R. 1518: Mr. LATHAM, Mr. O'ROURKE, Mr. SWALWELL of California, and Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 1528: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 1553: Mr. BROOKS of Alabama.

H.R. 1616: Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

H.R. 1658: Mr. ISSA.

H.R. 1666: Mr. HUFFMAN and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1699: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. CLARKE, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1705: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 1708: Mr. MCINTYRE.

H.R. 1731: Mr. SWALWELL of California and Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 1750: Mr. ENYART and Mr. TIPTON.

H.R. 1763: Mr. POCAN.

H.R. 1779: Mr. TIPTON, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. RUNYAN.

H.R. 1814: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. CHU, Mr. NUGENT, and Mr. SCHWEIKERT.

H.R. 1827: Mr. MCNERNEY.

H.R. 1830: Ms. SCHWARTZ.

H.R. 1844: Mr. COURTNEY and Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1869: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 1884: Ms. DELBENE and Mr. FOSTER.

H.R. 1905: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.R. 1915: Mr. POSEY.

H.R. 1982: Mr. GERLACH.

H.R. 1985: Mr. PALLONE and Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2000: Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 2087: Mr. SCHWEIKERT.

H.R. 2099: Mr. JONES.

H.R. 2146: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. CARNEY, and Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 2169: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 2247: Mr. ROSS.

H.R. 2273: Mr. SCHNEIDER.

H.R. 2288: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 2308: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 2328: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 2374: Mr. MURPHY of Florida.

H.R. 2478: Mr. PEARCE, Mr. LATTI, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. PITTINGER.

H.R. 2485: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 2500: Mr. RUNYAN.

H.R. 2502: Mr. NEAL.

H.R. 2506: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2520: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 2578: Mr. WALZ.

H.R. 2590: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2591: Mr. SWALWELL of California and Ms. GRANGER.

H.R. 2606: Mr. CARSON of Indiana and Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 2663: Ms. PINGREE of Maine and Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 2675: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2682: Mrs. ROBY.

H.R. 2689: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2694: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2756: Mr. O'ROURKE.
 H.R. 2794: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 2809: Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. UPTON, Mr. DAINES, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. GARRETT, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. JONES, Mr. STEWART, and Mr. LATTA.
 H.R. 2821: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, and Mr. LOWENTHAL.
 H.R. 2839: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
 H.R. 2841: Mr. HECK of Nevada.
 H.R. 2874: Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Ms. ESTY, and Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.
 H.R. 2876: Mr. MULVANEY, Mrs. BLACKBURN and Mr. WALBERG.
 H.R. 2901: Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. MORAN and Mr. ELLISON.
 H.R. 2911: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York and Mr. BEN RAY LUJAN of New Mexico.
 H.R. 2918: Ms. WILSON of Florida and Mr. GRIFFITH of Virginia.
 H.R. 3039: Mr. CICILLINE.
 H.R. 3040: Mr. KING of New York.
 H.R. 3045: Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. HECK of Nevada, and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.
 H.R. 3067: Mr. WITTMAN and Mr. SIMPSON.
 H.R. 3076: Mr. BARR and Mr. WENSTRUP.
 H.R. 3077: Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. LANCE, and Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 3086: Mr. SESSIONS.
 H.R. 3087: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio and Mr. PALAZZO.
 H.R. 3093: Mr. KING of Iowa and Mr. BUCSHON.
 H.R. 3095: Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. LATTA, Mrs. ELLMERS, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. TERRY.
 H.R. 3098: Mr. TAKANO and Mr. O'ROURKE.
 H.R. 3103: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. PASTOR of Arizona, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. HECK of Nevada, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. BASS, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. CHU, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, and Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 3106: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.
 H.R. 3112: Ms. DUCKWORTH and Mr. RUPERSBERGER.
 H.R. 3118: Mr. LYNCH and Mr. LANGEVIN.
 H.R. 3121: Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. COLE, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. LAMBORN.
 H.R. 3128: Mr. THOMPSON of California.
 H.R. 3130: Mr. O'ROURKE.
 H. J. Res. 34: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.
 H. J. Res. 44: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.
 H. J. Res. 62: Mr. HULTGREN.
 H. Con. Res. 16: Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. DAINES, Mr. DUFFY, and Ms. KUSTER.
 H. Con. Res. 34: Mr. DOGGETT.
 H. Con. Res. 45: Mr. BARR.
 H. Con. Res. 48: Mr. FORBES.
 H. Res. 55: Mr. AL GREEN of Texas.
 H. Res. 145: Ms. KUSTER.
 H. Res. 254: Mr. COHEN.
 H. Res. 281: Mr. HECK of Nevada, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HURT, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. GOWDY, Ms. BONAMICI, and Mr. DOGGETT.
 H. Res. 284: Mr. STOCKMAN.

CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits are submitted as follows:

OFFERED BY MR. ROYCE

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on Foreign Affairs in H.R.

3102 do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

51. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the City of Kenosha, Wisconsin, relative to Resolution No. 112-13 urging the Congress to take swift action to reinvigorate Section 4 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.J. RES. 59

OFFERED BY: MR. VAN HOLLEN

AMENDMENT NO. 1 After the enacting clause, insert the following new center heading "Division A".

Page 3, strike lines 3 through 18.

Page 5, line 15, strike "December" and insert "November".

Page 13, line 24, strike "in sections 403(b) and 413(h)" and insert "in section 403(b)".

Page 15, strike line 1 and all that follows through page 16, line 5, and insert the following:

SEC. 133. (a) The second paragraph under the heading "Department of Health and Human Services—Office of the Secretary—Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund" in Public Law 112-74 shall be applied as though the funding for activities described in that paragraph had been appropriated from the general fund of the Treasury with a two-year period of availability.

(b) In addition to the amounts made available under section 101 for "Department of Health and Human Services—Office of the Secretary—Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund", amounts are provided, at the following rates for operations, for the following activities:

(1) \$250,000,000, for necessary expenses for procuring security countermeasures (as defined in section 319F-2(c)(1)(B) of the Public Health Service Act), to remain available until expended.

(2) \$140,009,000, for expenses necessary to prepare for and respond to an influenza pandemic and other emerging infectious diseases, of which \$108,000,000 shall be available, until expended, for activities including the development and purchase of vaccine, antivirals, necessary medical supplies, diagnostics, and other surveillance tools.

(c)(1) The amounts made available under this section for the purpose of acquisition of security countermeasures shall be in addition to any other funds available for such purpose.

(2) Products purchased with funds provided under this heading may, at the discretion of the Secretary, be deposited in the Strategic National Stockpile pursuant to section 319F-2 of the Public Health Service Act.

Page 16, after line 20, insert the following:

SEC. 137. (a) The rate for operations provided by this joint resolution—

(1) for each discretionary appropriation in the security category is increased by the percentage necessary such that total funding during fiscal year 2014 for the security category (excluding amounts designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985) equals \$552,000,000,000; and

(2) for each discretionary appropriation in the non-security category is increased by the

percentage necessary such that total funding during fiscal year 2014 for the non-security category (excluding amounts designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as being for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of such Act, or for purposes of section 251(b)(2)(B) of such Act) equals \$506,000,000,000.

(b) The increases provided under subsection (a) shall not apply to any amount designated by the Congress for Overseas Contingency Operations/Global War on Terrorism pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as being for disaster relief pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D) of such Act, or for purposes of section 251(b)(2)(B) of such Act.

Insert at the end the following new division:

DIVISION B

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This division may be cited as the "Stop the Sequester Job Loss for 2014 Act".

SEC. 2. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

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 Sec. 103. Protecting veterans programs from sequester.

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Sec. 201. One-year extension of agricultural commodity programs, except direct payment programs.

TITLE III—OIL AND GAS SUBSIDIES

Sec. 301. Prohibition on using last-in, first-out accounting for major integrated oil companies.
 Sec. 302. Deduction for income attributable to domestic production activities not allowed with respect to oil and gas activities of major integrated oil companies.
 Sec. 303. Limitation on deduction for intangible drilling and development costs of major integrated oil companies.

TITLE IV—THE BUFFETT RULE

Sec. 401. Fair share tax on high-income taxpayers.

TITLE V—SENSE OF THE HOUSE

Sec. 501. Sense of the House on the need for a fair, balanced and bipartisan approach to long-term deficit reduction.

TITLE I—BUDGET PROCESS AMENDMENTS

SEC. 101. REPEAL THE 2014 SEQUESTER.

(a) CALCULATION OF TOTAL DEFICIT REDUCTION AND ALLOCATION TO FUNCTIONS.—(1) Section 251A(3) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 901a) is amended by striking "2013" and inserting "2015".

(2) Paragraph (4) of such section is amended by striking "2014" and inserting "2015".

(b) DEFENSE AND NONDEFENSE FUNCTION REDUCTIONS.—Paragraphs (5) and (6) of section 251A of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 are amended by striking "2013" and inserting "2015" each place it appears.

(c) IMPLEMENTING DISCRETIONARY REDUCTIONS.—Section 251A(7)(B) of such Act is amended by striking "2014" and inserting "2015" each place it appears.