

public listening sessions on regulations targeting carbon dioxide emissions from existing power plants in those States most directly impacted by the potential regulations; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PIERLUISI (for himself, Ms. NORTON, Ms. BORDALLO, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. FALCOMA, and Mr. SABLON):

H. Res. 374. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to allow Delegates and the Resident Commissioner to file, sign, and call up discharge petitions; to the Committee on Rules.

#### 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. SESSIONS:

H.R. 3273.

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

Clause 2, Section 5, Article I of the Constitution (Permitting each House to determine the Rules of its Proceedings).

By Mr. BARBER:

H.R. 3274.

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

Article 1, Section 8, To raise and support armies

Article 1, Section 8, To provide and maintain a navy

By Mrs. BLACKBURN

H.R. 3275.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. FOSTER:

H.R. 3276.

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

Article I: 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.

By Mr. KINGSTON:

H.R. 3277.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1: 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;

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7: 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 Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 3278.

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. ROGERS of Kentucky:

H.J. Res. 89.

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

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law. . . ." In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

(the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States. . . ." Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky:

H.J. Res. 90.

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

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law. . . ." In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States. . . ." Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN:

H.J. Res. 91.

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

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law. . . ." In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States. . . ." Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 15: Mr. RUSH, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. WATERS, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. LOEBSACK.

H.R. 75: Mr. MASSIE.

H.R. 269: Mr. WALZ.

H.R. 366: Mrs. WALORSKI.

H.R. 580: Mr. COSTA.

H.R. 647: Mr. JEFFRIES, Ms. HAHN, Mr. NOLAN, Mr. TAKANO, and Mr. RUIZ.

H.R. 713: Ms. GRANGER.

H.R. 724: Mr. POMPEO, Mr. PETERS of California, and Ms. DELBENE.

H.R. 725: Ms. TITUS.

H.R. 784: Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 846: Mr. PETERS of Michigan.

H.R. 920: Mr. GARAMENDI.

H.R. 1000: Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 1005: Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee.

H.R. 1010: Ms. HANABUSA.

H.R. 1024: Mr. WITTMAN and Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 1039: Mr. ENYART.

H.R. 1074: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California and Mr. RUNYAN.

H.R. 1179: Mr. HIGGINS and Ms. CLARKE.

H.R. 1293: Mr. WITTMAN.

H.R. 1295: Mr. FOSTER.

H.R. 1553: Mr. BENTIVOLIO.

H.R. 1652: Mr. CARNEY.

H.R. 1726: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. DELANEY.

H.R. 1734: Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 1750: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. BENTIVOLIO, and Mr. SCHOCK.

H.R. 1755: Mr. NOLAN.

H.R. 1830: Mr. PETERS of California and Mr. MURPHY of Florida.

H.R. 1971: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 2020: Mr. DELANEY.

H.R. 2199: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 2208: Mr. DEFAZIO.

H.R. 2213: Mr. PEARCE and Mr. GALLEGRO.

H.R. 2224: Mr. HIMES and Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 2305: Mr. RANGEL and Mr. DELANEY.

H.R. 2315: Mr. LANCE and Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS.

H.R. 2328: Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana.

H.R. 2376: Mr. GERLACH.

H.R. 2429: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 2500: Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 2510: Mr. COFFMAN.

H.R. 2547: Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas.

H.R. 2643: Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 2682: Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee.

H.R. 2697: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.

H.R. 2725: Mr. BERA of California, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD.

H.R. 2734: Mr. TONKO, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. LEWIS, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 2767: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 2856: Mr. LOWENTHAL.

H.R. 2870: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 2901: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2920: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 2974: Mr. LOWENTHAL.

H.R. 2999: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 3043: Mr. MARINO.

H.R. 3077: Mr. ROE of Tennessee and Mr. SIRES.

H.R. 3108: Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. POCAN, and Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 3111: Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. PERRY, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. HOLDING, Mr. LATHAM, Mrs. BACHMANN, and Mr. SIMPSON.

H.R. 3112: Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 3116: Mr. DEUTCH.

H.R. 3121: Mr. HARPER and Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 3133: Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. HENSARLING, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. YOHO, Mr. HUDSON, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. NOEM, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. LATTA, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. POMPEO, and Mr. MARCHANT.

H.R. 3134: Mr. MARINO.

H.R. 3142: Mr. RICHMOND and Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 3160: Mr. DAINES and Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 3207: Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD and Mr. FOSTER.

H.J. Res. 64: Mr. LUETKEMEYER and Mr. SMITH of Missouri.

H. Res. 147: Mr. POSEY.

H. Res. 153: Mr. RADEL.

H. Res. 227: Ms. TSONGAS.

H. Res. 231: Mr. HIMES and Mr. COFFMAN.

H. Res. 281: Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. REICHERT, and Mr. RADEL.

#### 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 were submitted as follows:

OFFERED BY MR. SESSIONS

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on Rules in H.R. 3273 do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

OFFERED BY MR. ROGERS OF KENTUCKY  
H.J. Res. 89, the Excepted Employees' Pay Continuing Appropriations Resolution, 2014 does not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

OFFERED BY MR. ROGERS OF KENTUCKY  
H.J. Res. 90, the Flight Safety Act, does not contain any congressional earmarks,

limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

OFFERED BY MR. ROGERS OF KENTUCKY

H.J. Res. 91, the Honoring the Families of Fallen Soldiers Act, does not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.