

BLACK, Messrs. VAN HOLLEN, CLYBURN, and Mrs. LOWEY.

There was no objection.

EXPRESSING SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING NEED FOR CONTINUED AVAILABILITY OF RELIGIOUS SERVICES TO MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES

Mr. COLLINS of Georgia. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 58) expressing the sense of Congress regarding the need for the continued availability of religious services to members of the Armed Forces and their families during a lapse in appropriations, with the Senate amendments thereto, and concur in the Senate amendments.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the Senate amendments.

The Clerk read as follows:

Senate amendments:

(1) Strike the preamble and insert the following:

Whereas the Department of Defense determined that some contractor clergy, like other Department of Defense contractors, were unable to perform their contractual duties during the current lapse in appropriations;

Whereas this determination may have impacted the ability of members of the Armed Forces and their families to worship and participate in religious activities;

Whereas military chaplains on active duty, like all military personnel on active duty, continue to perform their duties during the current lapse in appropriations;

Whereas the Department continues to analyze its authorities under the Pay Our Military Act (Public Law 113-39) with respect to contractors; and

Whereas the Pay Our Military Act appropriates such sums as are necessary to pay contractors of the Department whom the Secretary of Defense determines are providing support to members of the Armed Forces: Now, therefore, be it

(2) On page 2, strike line 3 and all that follows through page 3, line 2, and insert the following:

(1) finds that the provision and availability of religious services and clergy is important to the morale and wellbeing of many members of the Armed Forces and their families; and

(2) hopes the Secretary of Defense is able to determine that contractor clergy provide necessary support to military personnel, and would therefore be covered under the appropriations made available under the Pay Our Military Act (Public Law 113-39).

Mr. COLLINS of Georgia (during the reading). Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to dispense with the reading.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Georgia?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the original request of the gentleman from Georgia?

There was no objection.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has agreed to a concurrent resolution of the following title in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. Con. Res. 24. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment or recess of the Senate, and an adjournment of the House of Representatives.

The message also announced that pursuant to the provisions of section 1151 of title II, United States Code, as amended, the Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, appoints the following individuals to the Board of Trustees of the Open World Leadership Center:

The Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH).

The Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN).

□ 2245

PROVIDING FOR A CONDITIONAL ADJOURNMENT OR RECESS OF THE SENATE AND AN ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following privileged concurrent resolution:

S. CON. RES. 24

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate recesses or adjourns on any day from Wednesday, October 16, 2013, through Friday, October 25, 2013, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand recessed or adjourned until 12:00 noon on Monday, October 28, 2013, or such other time on that day as may be specified by its Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the House adjourns on any legislative day from Wednesday, October 16, 2013, through Monday, October 21, 2013, on a motion offered pursuant to this current resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand adjourned until 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 22, 2013, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first.

SEC. 2. The Majority Leader of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, or their respective designees, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the Senate and the Minority Leader of the House, shall notify the Members of the Senate and House, respectively, to reassemble at such place and time as they may designate if, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

Passed the Senate October 16, 2013.

The concurrent resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for October 14 on account of personal business.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GARRETT. Madam Speaker, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 24, 113th Congress, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 55 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until Tuesday, October 22, 2013, at 2 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

3311. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Kurt A. Cichowski, United States Air Force, and his advancement on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3312. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Kathleen M. Gainey, United States Air Force, and her advancement on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3313. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Dana K. Chipman, United States Army, and his advancement on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3314. 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; Connecticut; Redesignation of Connecticut Portion of the New York-New Jersey-Connecticut Nonattainment Area to Attainment of the 1997 Annual and 2006 24-Hour Standards for Fine Particulate Matter [EPA-R01-OAR-2013-0020; FRL-9901-11-Region 1] received September 20, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3315. 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; Delaware; Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference [DE104-1103; FRL-9900-05-Region 3] received September 20, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3316. 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; Maryland; Adoption of Control Techniques Guidelines for Miscellaneous Metal and Plastic Parts which Includes Pleasure Craft Coating Operations [EPA-R03-OAR-2013-006; FRL-9901-20-Region 3] received September 20, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3317. 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; Ohio; Redesignation of the Dayton-Springfield Area to Attainment of the 1997 Annual Standard for Fine Particulate Matter [EPA-R05-OAR-2011-0596; FRL-9901-09-Region 5] received September 20, 2013, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3318. 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; States of Michigan and Minnesota; Regional Haze [EPA-R05-OAR-2010-0954 and EPA-R05-OAR-2010-0037; FRL-9901-31-Region 5] September 20, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3319. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting Transmittal No. 13-47, Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer and Acceptance, pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3320. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting Transmittal No. 13-43, Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer and Acceptance, pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3321. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-158, "Extension of Time to Dispose of Nine Junior High School Temporary Amendment Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3322. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-159, "Fire and Emergency Medical Services Major Changes Temporary Amendment Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3323. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-160, "School Transit Subsidy Temporary Amendment Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3324. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-183, "Chief Financial Officer Compensation Temporary Amendment Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3325. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-184, "CCNV Task Force Temporary Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3326. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting Transmittal of D.C. ACT 20-185, "Income Tax Secured Bond Authorization Act of 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

3327. A letter from the Auditor, Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, transmitting a report entitled, "District of Columbia Agencies' Compliance with Fiscal Year 2013 Small Business Enterprise Expenditure Goals through the 3rd Quarter Fiscal Year 2013"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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. 2072. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the accountability of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to the Inspector General of the Department of Veterans Affairs; with an

amendment (Rept. 113-245). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

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 Ms. CASTOR of Florida:

H.R. 3295. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to eliminate contributing factors to disparities in breast cancer treatment through the development of a uniform set of consensus-based breast cancer treatment performance measures for a 6-year quality reporting system and value-based purchasing system under the Medicare program; 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. GALLEG0:

H.R. 3296. A bill to authorize the United States Department of Treasury to prioritize certain payments in the event that the debt limit is reached; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. KELLY of Illinois:

H.R. 3297. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to authorize the use of funds for the inclusion in domestic violence education programs of information on legal rights available to teenage victims of dating violence; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 3298. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a deduction for amounts contributed to disaster savings accounts to help defray the cost of preparing their homes to withstand a disaster; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 3299. A bill to amend section 340A of the Public Health Service Act to protect the privacy of personally identifiable information in relation to enrollment activities of health insurance exchanges, and for other purposes; 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.

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 Ms. CASTOR of Florida:

H.R. 3295.

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

Section 8 of Article 1 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. GALLEG0:

H.R. 3296.

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 Ms. KELLY of Illinois:

H.R. 3297.

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

Article I Section 8

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 3298.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 3299.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3—to regulate commerce among the several states

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 24: Mrs. ELLMERS.

H.R. 25: Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 60: Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 366: Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 494: Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 685: Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. WOLF, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. HECK of Nevada, Mr. CÁRDENAS, and Mr. BARBER.

H.R. 713: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 724: Mr. SHUSTER and Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 725: Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 792: Mrs. BACHMANN.

H.R. 846: Mr. WEBSTER of Florida and Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 855: Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 911: Mr. POCAN.

H.R. 942: Mr. SCHIFF and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 963: Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 1074: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. HUFFMAN, and Mr. GERLACH.

H.R. 1094: Mr. LOWENTHAL and Mr. PAL-LONE.

H.R. 1125: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 1146: Ms. WATERS.

H.R. 1180: Mr. WALZ, Ms. KUSTER, Ms. EDWARDS, and Mr. ENYART.

H.R. 1217: Mr. FOSTER and Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 1240: Ms. MCCOLLUM and Mr. SCHNEIDER.

H.R. 1318: Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. POCAN, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 1351: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 1354: Mr. COLLINS of New York.

H.R. 1429: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 1461: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 1462: Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 1473: Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD.

H.R. 1528: Mr. CRENSHAW and Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 1599: Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 1666: Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 1708: Mr. TIBERI.

H.R. 1726: Mr. COSTA and Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 1731: Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. KILMER, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 1755: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 1779: Mr. SCHOCK and Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 1780: Mr. DESJARLAIS.

H.R. 1812: Mr. LOWENTHAL and Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 1877: Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. ISRAEL, and Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD.