

4014. A letter from the Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; 2013 Commercial Accountability Measure and Closure for South Atlantic Blue Runner [Docket No.: 100812345-2142-03] (RIN: 0648-XC871) received December 2, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

4015. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Premerger Notification; Reporting and Waiting Period Requirements (RIN: 3084-AA91) received November 26, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4016. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Ocean Dumping; Sabine-Neches Waterway (SNWW) Ocean Dredged Material Disposal Site Designation [EPA-R06-OW-2011-0712; FRL-9903-26-Region-6] received November 26, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4017. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting an authorization of a noncompetitive extension of up to five years; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

4018. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 2014 Section 1274A CPI Adjustments (Rev. Rul. 2013-23) received December 3, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4019. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Proposed Revision of Procedures for Advance Pricing Agreements [Notice 2013-79] received December 3, 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. ELLISON (for himself, Mr. STIVERS, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. DELANEY):

H.R. 3656. A bill to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act to expand the purposes of advances and collateral available to community development financial institutions; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. HARTZLER (for herself, Mr. BARBER, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mrs. MILLER of Michigan):

H.R. 3657. A bill to limit the retirement of A-10 aircraft; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. GRANGER (for herself and Mr. CAPUANO):

H.R. 3658. A bill to grant the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the Monuments Men, in recognition of their heroic role in the preservation, protection, and restitution of monuments, works of art, and artifacts of cultural importance during and following World War II; to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. BURGESS:

H.R. 3659. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to clarify policy with re-

spect to collecting reimbursement from third-party payers for medical assistance paid under the Medicaid program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT (for himself, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. ANDREWS):

H.R. 3660. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to require local educational agencies to implement a policy on allergy bullying in schools; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. JONES, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona):

H.R. 3661. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior or the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into agreements with States and political subdivisions of States providing for the continued operation, in whole or in part, of public land, units of the National Park System, units of the National Wildlife Refuge System, and units of the National Forest System in the State during any period in which the Secretary of the Interior or the Secretary of Agriculture is unable to maintain normal level of operations at the units due to a lapse in appropriations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on 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. GIBSON (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 3662. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coverage of marriage and family therapist services and mental health counselor services under part B of the Medicare program, 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.

By Mrs. NOEM (for herself, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. ADERHOLT):

H.R. 3663. A bill to prohibit regulations establishing certain limits for the school lunch program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 3664. A bill to prohibit the Federal Government from preventing a private business from operating during a Government shutdown on Federal property leased by the business from the Federal Government; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. DELANEY (for himself, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. POLIS, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Ms. MOORE):

H.R. 3665. A bill to provide for the coverage of medically necessary food under Federal health programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Armed Services, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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. DELAURO (for herself and Mr. DOGGETT):

H.R. 3666. A bill to alleviate the sequestration and to end offshore tax abuses, to preserve our national defense and protect American families and businesses from devastating cuts, and for other purposes; to the

Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and the Budget, 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. HARRIS (for himself, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. RIGELL, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. FLEMING, and Mr. BURGESS):

H.R. 3667. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to increase by 10 percentage points the required State match for certain newly eligible individuals under the Medicaid program and to apply savings against sequestration reductions otherwise required, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. KILDEE:

H.R. 3668. A bill to amend the Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Extension Act of 2007 to make permanent the exemption of grandfathered long-term care hospitals from the Medicare 25 percent threshold payment adjustment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MAFFEI:

H.R. 3669. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for increased supervision of persons required to wear an electronic monitoring device as a condition of release from prison, to criminalize disabling such an electronic monitoring device, to establish the Office of the Inspector General for Probation and Pretrial Services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MENG (for herself, Mr. BARTON, and Mr. LANCE):

H.R. 3670. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to expand and clarify the prohibition on provision of inaccurate caller identification information, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MILLER of Florida:

H.R. 3671. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the eligibility for a medallion furnished by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to signify the veteran status of a deceased individual; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. RUIZ (for himself and Mr. NUGENT):

H.R. 3672. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify that caregivers for veterans with serious illnesses are eligible for assistance and support services provided by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

H.R. 3673. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to treat amounts paid for umbilical cord blood banking services as medical care expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SCALISE (for himself, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. LANKFORD, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. STUTZMAN, Mr. COTTON, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. POSEY, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. PITTENGER, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. PALAZZO,

Mr. MARINO, Mr. WOODALL, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. STEWART, Mr. BARR, Mr. HULTGREN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. MCALLISTER, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina):

H. Res. 431. A resolution calling on the United States Senate to increase sanctions against Iran; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Financial Services, Oversight and Government Reform, and 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 Mr. SARBANES (for himself, Mr. GRIMM, Ms. TITUS, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. TSONGAS, and Mr. BILIRAKIS):

H. Res. 432. A resolution recognizing the 100th anniversary of the unification of the Island of Crete with the Hellenic Republic and expressing support for designation of December 1, 2013, as "Cretan Enosis Day"; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. BARLETTA:

H. Res. 433. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the practice of using gas chambers to euthanize stray cats and dogs; to the Committee on Agriculture.

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. ELLISON:

H.R. 3656.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1, Clause 3 and Clause 18.

By Mrs. HARTZLER:

H.R. 3657.

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 "to provide for the common Defence", "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy" and "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces" as enumerated in Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. GRANGER:

H.R. 3658.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the Constitution

By Mr. BURGESS:

H.R. 3659.

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

The attached bill is constitutional under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3: "To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes" as well as 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; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States."

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 3660.

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

Article 1, Section 8 (relating to the power of Congress to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States.)

By Mr. GOSAR:

H.R. 3661.

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

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2.

The Congress shall have Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or of any particular State.

Currently, the federal government owns approximately 29 percent of all land in the United States. The U.S. Constitution specifically addresses the relationship of the federal government to these lands. Article IV, §3, Clause 2—the Property Clause—gives Congress full authority over federal property including the National Park System. The U.S. Supreme Court has described Congress's power to legislate under this Clause as "without limitation." This bill falls squarely within the express Constitutional power set forth in the Property Clause.

By Mr. GIBSON:

H.R. 3662.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of article 1.

By Mrs. NOEM:

H.R. 3663.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18. 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. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 3664.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. DELANEY:

H.R. 3665.

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

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

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 3666.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 & 18; and Article 1, Section 9, Clause 7 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. HARRIS:

H.R. 3667.

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

Section 8 of Article 1, Section 9 of Article 1 of the Constitution.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 3668.

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

U.S. Const. art. I, §8.

By Mr. MAFFEI:

H.R. 3669.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 3670.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. MILLER of Florida:

H.R. 3671.

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

Article 1, Section 8.

By Mr. RUIZ:

H.R. 3672.

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. SCHOCK:

H.R. 3673.

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

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 60: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 107: Mr. WEBER of Texas.

H.R. 139: Mr. O'ROURKE, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 268: Mr. HONDA.

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H.R. 383: Ms. GABBARD.

H.R. 543: Ms. TSONGAS.

H.R. 632: Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 721: Mr. NOLAN, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. DESANTIS.

H.R. 792: Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 871: Mr. ELLISON, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 872: Mr. ELLISON, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 873: Mr. ELLISON, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 924: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 1010: Mr. PIERLUISI.

H.R. 1015: Mr. HECK of Washington.

H.R. 1020: Mr. PERRY.

H.R. 1027: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 1125: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCINTYRE, and Ms. DELBENE.

H.R. 1176: Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 1179: Ms. KUSTER, Ms. TITUS, and Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 1209: Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HANNA, Mr. RICHMOND, and Mr. HIGGINS.

H.R. 1250: Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 1255: Ms. TITUS.

H.R. 1310: Mr. WOODALL.

H.R. 1416: Ms. SHEA-PORTER.

H.R. 1528: Ms. KUSTER, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. MEEHAN, and Mr. JONES.

H.R. 1553: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. MENG, and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 1563: Mr. KILDEE and Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 1629: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 1666: Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 1692: Ms. TSONGAS.

H.R. 1726: Mr. PASCRELL and Ms. GABBARD.

H.R. 1728: Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. COHEN, Mr. DEUTCH, and Ms. EDWARDS.

H.R. 1767: Mr. MURPHY of Florida.

H.R. 1787: Mrs. ROBY and Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 1812: Ms. HANABUSA and Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 1827: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. BARBER.

H.R. 1844: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. KILDEE, and Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

H.R. 1918: Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 1998: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 2001: Mrs. KIRKPATRICK and Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 2017: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 2019: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.

H.R. 2058: Ms. PINGREE of Maine and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2073: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 2173: Mr. CICILLINE.