Consumer Financial Protection Act of 2010 to make the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection an independent agency; with an amendment (Rept. 113-347). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 2431. A bill to reauthorize the National Integrated Drought Information System; with an amendment (Rept. 113-348). 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 Mr. HUNTER (for himself, Mr. Shu-STER, and Mr. RAHALL):

H.R. 4005. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal years 2015 and 2016, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

> By Mr. SALMON (for himself, Mr. Posey, Mr. Fleming, Mr. Kingston, Mr. Cramer, Mr. Fortenberry, Mr. Mr. DESANTIS. GOSAR. Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. SMITH of Missouri, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, and Mr. Franks of Arizona):

H.R. 4006. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to require households that receive supplemental nutrition assistance benefits to present photographic verification at the time food is purchased with such benefits; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. MEEHAN (for himself, Mr. McCaul, Mr. King of New York, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, and Mr. Rogers of Alabama):

H.R. 4007. A bill to recodify and reauthorize the Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards Program; to the Committee on Homeland Security, 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. GINGREY of Georgia:

H.R. 4008. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to prohibit Federal mandates, direction, or control of specific instructional content, and for other purposes: to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

> By Mr. ROSKAM (for himself and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.B. 4009 A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to prohibit an institution that participates in a boycott of Israeli academic institutions or scholars from being eligible for certain funds under that Act; to the Committee on Education and the Work-

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 4010. A bill to provide for enhanced treatment, support, services, and research for individuals with autism spectrum disorders and their families; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 4011. A bill to amend title 39, United States Code, to improve the efficiency and competitiveness of mail service within the State of Alaska; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. SCHWEIKERT (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. HALL, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. BRIDENSTINE, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. ROHR-

ABACHER, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. Burgess, Mr. Olson, Mr. Mr. BUCSHON, Cramer. MrHULTGREN, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. Palazzo, Mr. Brooks of Alabama, Mr. SALMON, and Mr. FRANKS of Ari-

H.R. 4012. A bill to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or disseminating regulations or assessments based upon science that is not transparent or reproducible; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself, Mr. BARROW of Georgia, and Mr. HUNTER): H.R. 4013. A bill to direct the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration to establish a program allowing low volume motor vehicle manufacturers to produce a limited number of vehicles annually within a regulatory system that addresses the unique safety and financial issues associated with limited production, and to direct the Environmental Protection Agency to allow low volume motor vehicle manufacturers to install engines from vehicles that have been issued certificates of conformity; to the

By Mr. CICILLINE:

Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R. 4014. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit former Members of Congress from engaging in lobbying contacts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BURGESS (for himself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. CAMP, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. PITTS, Mr. BRADY of PALLONE, Texas, Mr.McDermott, and Mr. Boustany):

H.R. 4015. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to repeal the Medicare sustainable growth rate and improve Medicare payments for physicians and other professionals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Judiciary, 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, Mr. COLE, Bass. Ms.and Mr.BUTTERFIELD):

H.R. 4016. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide a standard definition of therapeutic foster care services in Medicaid; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HECK of Nevada:

H.R. 4017. A bill to designate a peak located in Nevada as "Mount Reagan"; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mrs. KIRKPATRICK (for herself, Mr. Gosar, Mr. Pastor of Arizona, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, and Mr. SCHWEIKERT):

H.R. 4018. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to take certain land located in Pinal County, Arizona, into trust for the benefit of the Gila River Indian Community, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. MURPHY OF FLORIDA (for himself, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Cárdenas, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. TIP-TON. Ms. KUSTER. Mr. VARGAS. Mr. SWALWELL of California, and Mr. OWENS):

H.R. 4019. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the expensing of certain depreciable business assets; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. PINGREE of Maine:

H.R. 4020. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow certain discharged student loan debt to be included in gross income ratably over 15 years and to disregard such income in determining eligibility for

Federal means-tested programs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## 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. HUNTER:

H.R. 4005.

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

Article I. Section 8 of the Constitution.

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 4006.

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; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. MEEHAN:

H.R. 4007.

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 Mr. GINGREY of Georgia:

H.R. 4008.

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

Amendment X of the Constitution, that states, "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.'

By Mr. ROSKAM:

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

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 4010

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

Article I; Section 8; Clause 1 of the Constitution states 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 . . .

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 4011.

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. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 4012.

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

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.

Article I, Section 8, 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. CAMPBELL: H.R. 4013.

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

Clause 3 of section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution of the United States

By Mr. CICILLINE:

H.R. 4014.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. BURGESS:

H.R. 4015.

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

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

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 4016.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3 and Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. HECK of Nevada:

H.R. 4017.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution: 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 Mrs. KIRKPATRICK:

H.R. 4018.

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

Article I. Section 8—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 Office thereof.

By Mr. MURPHY of Florida:

H.R. 4019.

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

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

By Ms. PINGREE of Maine:

H.R. 4020.

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

Clause 1, of Section 8, of Article I of the Constitution

Amendment XVI to the Constitution

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 184: Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 351: Mr. McAllister.

H.B. 375: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 409: Mr. Cole.

H.R. 455: Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. NADLER and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.

H.R. 498: Mr. Tonko.

H.R. 508: Ms. CHU.

H.R. 522: Mr. COTTON.

H.R. 543: Mr. FORBES. H.R. 647: Ms. Matsui.

H.R. 831: Mr. Maffei and Mrs. Ellmers.

H.R. 920: Mr. Schock

H.R. 1010: Mr. Ruiz.

H.R. 1089: Mrs. Davis of California.

H.R. 1090: Mrs. DAVIS of California.

H.R. 1094: Ms. HANABUSA.

H.R. 1173: Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. NAPOLI-TANO, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. CONNOLLY, and Mr. SCHOCK.

H.R. 1250: Mr. McAllister.

H.R. 1281: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 1332: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1386: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. BENTIVOLIO.

H.R. 1507: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut and Mr. Boustany.

H.R. 1528: Mr. LATTA and Mr. HALL.

H.R. 1563: Mr. Pastor of Arizona, Mr. YODER, Mr. RIGELL, and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 1690: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 1726: Mr. Labrador, Mr. Hunter, Mr. SALMON, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. ROKITA, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, and Mr. WENSTRUP.

H.R. 1750: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. CUELLAR.

H.R. 1779: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 1814: Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. McCAUL, and Mr. CUELLAR.

H.R. 1852: Mr. FORTENBERRY.

H.R. 1921: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 2173: Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 2468: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen.

H.R. 2502: Mr. PASTOR of Arizona.

H.R. 2536: Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 2672: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 2737: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.

H.R. 2745: Mr. JOYCE.

H.R. 2785: Mr. ENYART.

H.R. 2831: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California.

H.R. 2841: Mr. Veasey and Mr. Ruiz.

H.R. 2847: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 2901: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. HOLT, Ms. NOR-TON, Ms. JENKINS, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 2909: Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 2945: Mr. DOYLE and Mr. BARLETTA.

H.R. 2955: Ms. Speier.

H.R. 2996: Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 3086: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GARDNER, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3155: Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. FINCHER, and Mr. McCAUL.

H.R. 3327: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 3370: Mr. Fleming, Mr. Honda, and Mr. Fattah.

H.R. 3395: Ms. Chu. H.R. 3453: Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 3461: Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mrs. BEATTY, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 3467: Mr. Hastings of Florida.

H.R. 3544: Mr. Schneider and Mr. Miller of Florida

H.R. 3549: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3578: Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.

H.R. 3658: Mr. SIRES, Mr. BISHOP of New York, and Mr. Johnson of Ohio.

H.R. 3662: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 3707: Mrs. Negrete McLeod, Mr. MARINO, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. NORTON, Mr. Peters of Michigan, Mr. Schock, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mrs. BLACKburn.

H.R. 3710: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 3712: Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HOLT, Mr. TONKO, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.

H.R. 3726: Mr. McNerney.

H.R. 3732: Mr. DESANTIS.

H.R. 3747: Mr. WALDEN. H.R. 3757: Mr. Lipinski.

H.R. 3850: Mr. Hanna.

H.R. 3855: Mr. TERRY.

H.R. 3873: Mrs. DAVIS of California.

H.R. 3899: Mr. Upton, Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. GIBSON, and Mr. PETERS of California.

H.R. 3913: Mr. FINCHER.

H.R. 3921: Mr. VEASEY and Ms. JACKSON

H.R. 3969: Ms. Matsui.

H.R. 3972: Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. LOWENTHAL, and Ms. CLARKE of New York.

H.R. 3973: Mr. HOLDING.

H.R. 3976: Mr. ENYART.

H.R. 3979: Mr. CARNEY. Mr. WALBERG. Mr. BENISHEK, and Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 3991: Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania and Mr. DUFFY.

H.R. 3992: Mr. DEFAZIO and Mr. LABRADOR.

H.R. 4000: Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

H.J. Res. 41: Mr. MULVANEY

H.J. Res. 68: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.J. Res. 108: Mr. HANNA, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, and Mr. CHABOT.

H. Res. 169: Mr. Graves of Missouri, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. LONG, Mr. CLEAVER, and Mr. SMITH of Missouri.

H. Res. 356: Mr. NOLAN.

H. Res. 425: Mr. ROTHFUS.

H. Res. 464: Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. HONDA, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. McGOVERN, and Mrs. DAVIS of California.

H. Res. 468: Ms. Chu. Mr. Tierney, Ms. Lof-GREN. Mr. ELLISON, Mr. RUSH, and Ms. SHEA-PORTER.

## DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 6, February 4, 2014, by Mr. MI-CHAEL HONDA on House Resolution 459, was signed by the following Members: Michael M. Honda, Gloria Negrete McLeod, Juan Vargas, Rush Holt, Karen Bass, Peter Welch, Colleen W. Hanabusa, Chris Van Hollen, Sheila Jackson Lee, Barbara Lee, Robert A. Brady, Eddie Bernice Johnson, Danny K. Davis, David N. Cicilline, Alcee L. Hastings, Frederica S. Wilson, John Conyers Jr., Bill Pascrell Jr., Tony Cárdenas, Robin L. Kelly, Jackie Speier, Gerald E. Connolly, John B. Larson, Al Green, Jim McDermott, Steve Israel, Eric Swalwell, Pete P. Gallego, and Filemon Vela.