AJ12) received January 23, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4731. A letter from the 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; Shrimp Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Establish Funding Responsibilities for the Electronic Logbook Program [Docket No.: 130710605-3999-02] (RIN: 0648-BD41) received January 17, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

4732. A letter from the Attorney Advisor. Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule - Safety Zone; Lower Mississippi River Mile 94.1 -Mile 95.1; New Orleans, LA [Docket No.: USCG-2013-0989] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received January 28, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4733. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule - Safety Zone, Lucas Oil Drag Boat Racing Series; Thompson Bay, Lake Havasu City, AZ [Docket No.: USCG-2013-0746] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received January 8, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4734. A letter from the Assistant Chief Counsel for Hazardous Materials Safety, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule - Hazardous Materials: Adoption of ASME Code Section XII and the National Board Inspection Code [Docket Number: PHMSA-2010-0019 (HM-241)] (RIN: 2137-AE-58) received January 23, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4735. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule - Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2013-0365; Directorate Identifier 2012-NM-223-AD; Amendment 39-17704; AD 2013-25-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 23, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule worthiness Directives; Turbomeca S.A. Turboshaft Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2013-0557; Directorate Identifier 2013-NE-22-AD: Amendment 39-17679; AD 2013-24-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 23, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4737. A letter from the Chief. Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule Section 5000A Transition Relief for Individuals with Certain Government-Sponsored Limited-Benefit Health Coverage [Notice 2014-10] received January 31, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4738. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule - Applicable Federal Rates — February 2014 (Rev. Rul. 2014-6) received January 30, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4739. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule Temporary Nondiscrimination Relief for Closed Defined Benefit Plans and Request for Comments [Notice 2014-5] received January 28, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4740. A letter from the Chief. Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule Deadline to Submit Opinion and Advisory Letter Applications for Pre-approved Defined Benefit Plans is Extended to February 2, 2015 (Announcement 2014-4) received January 30, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4741. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule tension of Time under Sec. 301.9100-3 to Elect Portability of Deceased Spousal Unused Exclusion Amount (Rev. Proc. 2014-18) received January 31, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4742. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule Revenue Procedure: Qualified Census Tracts (Rev. Proc. 2014-9) received January 28, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

# 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. HENSARLING: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 2385. A bill to amend the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to set the rate of pay for employees of the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection in accordance with the General Schedule (Rept. 113-349, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. H. Res 475 A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3193) to amend the Consumer Financial Protection Act of 2010 to strengthen the review authority of the Financial Stability Oversight Council of regulations issued by the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, and for other purposes; providing for proceedings during the period from February 13, 2014, through February 24, 2014; and for other purposes (Rept. 113-350). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform discharged from further consideration H.R. 2385 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. BARR:

H.R. 4021. A bill to suspend the application of the limit on the Nation's debt for a 10year period, to reduce the pay of Members of Congress for failing to meet fiscal sustainability targets, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, 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 Mr. LYNCH (for himself and Mr. CUMMINGS):

H.R. 4022. A bill to provide for a strategic plan to reform and improve the security clearance and background investigation processes of the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. MATHESON (for himself and Mr. CHAFFETZ):

H.R. 4023. A bill to promote competition and help consumers save money by giving them the freedom to choose where they buy prescription pet medications, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 4024. A bill to protect navigable waters from contamination by chemical storage facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. KEATING (for himself and Mr. TIERNEY):

H.R. 4025. A bill to amend title 46, United States Code, to reauthorize and amend the Fishing Safety Training Grant Program and the Fishing Safety Research Grant Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. BROWNLEY of California:

H.R. 4026. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide for the eligibility of Transportation Security Administration employees to receive public safety officers' death benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 4027. A bill to increase the statutory limit on the public debt and to require House and Senate votes on constitutional amendments to balance the Federal budget and to restrict new entitlement spending; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. MENG: H.R. 4028. A bill to amend the International Religious Freedom Act of 1998 to include the desecration of cemeteries among the many forms of violations of the right to religious freedom: to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of Missouri:

H.R. 4029. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to transfer all Federal land, facilities, and any other assets associated with the Ozark National Scenic Riverways to the State of Missouri for the purposes of maintaining a State park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. WILSON of Florida (for herself, Mr. GARCIA, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. Diaz-Balart, Ms. Wasserman Schultz, Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. Frankel of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. CRENSHAW. Mr. Nugent, Mr. Posey, Mr. Rooney, Mr. DESANTIS, Mr. SOUTHERLAND, Mr. Webster of Florida, Mr. Ross, Mr. YOHO, and Mr. BILIBAKIS):

H.R. 4030. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 18640 NW 2nd Avenue in Miami, Florida, as the "Father Richard Marquess-Barry Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ROYCE (for himself and Mr. ENGEL):

H.J. Res. 109. A joint resolution providing for the approval of the Congress of the proposed agreement for cooperation between the American Institute in Taiwan and the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States concerning peaceful uses of nuclear energy pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act of 1954; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

CORRECTION TO THE CONGRES-WEDNES-SIONAL RECORD OF DAY, JANUARY 8, 2014 AT PAGE H72 MEMORIALS

The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, relative to H. 3400 repealing Joint Resolution 775 of 1976 which requested Congress to call a convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

# 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. BARR:

H.R. 4021.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution which states in part:

"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. LYNCH:

H.R. 4022.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. MATHESON:

H B. 4023

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

Article I. Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 4024.

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

Congress has the constitutional authority to enact this legislation pursuant to the power granted under Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 3 (related to regulation of Commerce among the States).

By Mr. KEATING:

H.R. 4025

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. BROWNLEY of California:

H.R. 4026.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 4027.

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

Clauses 1 and 2 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the United States Constitution.

Article V of the U.S. Constitution, which grants Congress the authority to propose Constitutional amendments.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 4028.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SMITH of Missouri:

H.R. 4029.

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."

By Ms. WILSON of Florida:

H.R. 4030.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. ROYCE:

H.J. Res. 109.

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

Article I, section 8 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. 15: Ms. Clark of Massachusetts. H.R. 20: Mr. LYNCH, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr.

H.R. 24: Mr. HALL.

Meeks.

H.R. 32: Mr. WALZ.

H.R. 60: Mr. FARENTHOLD and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 62: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 115: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 118: Mr. Lipinski.

H.R. 148: Ms. Clark of Massachusetts.

H.R. 164: Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. Honda, Mr. Byrne, Mr. Garcia, Mr. Hud-SON, and Mr. RIBBLE.

H.R. 233: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. WILSON of Florida, and Mr. Con-NOLLY.

H.R. 288: Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 303: Ms. Shea-Porter.

H.R. 411: Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 494: Ms. Clark of Massachusetts.

H.R. 503: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia and Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 508: Mr. STUTZMAN.

H.R. 580: Mr. WOMACK.

H.R. 635: Mrs. Ellmers.

H.R. 637: Mr. Jeffries.

H.R. 647: Ms. Schwartz, Mr. Crowley, Mr. SWALWELL of California and Ms. MENG.

H.R. 685: Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 713: Mr. YODER and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 755: Mr. HARPER.

 $\rm H.R.~795;~Mr.~Fincher,~Mr.~Gosar,~Mrs.~Ellmers,~Mr.~Pitts,~Mr.~Womack,~Mr.~$ GOWDY, Mr. RIBBLE, and Mr. PRICE of Geor-

H.R. 920: Mr. GUTIÉRREZ.

H.R. 946: Mr. Franks of Arizona.

H.R. 961: Ms. DEGETTE and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 1020: Mr. Posey and Mr. Murphy of

H.R. 1041: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 1091: Mr. Peterson.

H.R. 1188: Mr. Smith of Missouri.

H.R. 1243: Ms. Shea-Porter.

H.R. 1249: Mr. GALLEGO.

H.R. 1250: Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 1263: Mr. Delaney and Mr. Kilmer. H.R. 1276: Mr. Carney, Mr. Horsford, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. SHER-MAN, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. TIERNEY, and Ms. TITUS.

H.R. 1286: Mr. HIGGINS.

H.R. 1313: Mr. SMITH of Nebraska.

H.R. 1362: Mr. Young of Alaska.

H.R. 1386: Mr. Byrne, Mr. Chabot, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. RIBBLE.

H.R. 1518: Mrs. Walorski.

H.R. 1573: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 1627: Ms. NORTON. H.R. 1630: Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 1648: Mr. Conyers.

H.R. 1666: Ms. Brownley of California.

H.R. 1685: Ms. Castor of Florida.

H.R. 1701: Mr. Byrne.

H.R. 1726: Mr. HUDSON.

H.R. 1814: Mr. DENHAM, Mr. BERA of California, and Mr. WILLIAMS.

H.R. 1830: Mr. Frelinghuysen.

H.R. 1835: Ms. Shea-Porter.

H.R. 1838: Mr. BARBER and Mr. KING of New

H.R. 1852: Mr. NEAL and Mr. WOODALL.

H.R. 1869: Mr. CHABOT, Mr. GOSAR, and Mr. Polis.

H.R. 1984: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 2068: Mr. Pastor of Arizona.

H.R. 2178: Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Schneider, Mr. Yarmuth, Mr. Ruppersberger, Mr. Hinojosa, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Ellison, Mr. CLAY, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 2203: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 2305: Mr. KILMER.

H.R. 2313: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ OF Cali-

H.R. 2333: Mr. KIND, Mr. SCHNEIDER, and Mr. Owens.

H.R. 2424: Mrs. Carolyn B. Maloney of New York.

H.R. 2468: Mr. Johnson of Ohio, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, and Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 2504: Mr. CARTWRIGHT and Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 2537: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 2548: Mr. SIMPSON and Mr. MAFFEI. H.R. 2575: Mr. Lipinski, Mr. Schrader, Mr.

Peterson. Mr.MATHESON, and SCHWEIKERT.

H.R. 2591: Mr. KILMER.

H.R. 2638: Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 2652: Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 2707: Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina.

H.R. 2726: Mr. FORTENBERRY.

H.R. 2739: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2746: Mr. JORDAN and Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 2788: Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 2827: Ms. Shea-Porter.

H.R. 2835: Mr. LATTA.

H.R. 2841: Ms. Brownley of California, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 2847: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 2911: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 2918: Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. DENT, Mr. HORSFORD, and Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 2939: Mr. HUDSON, Mr. DEUTCH, and Ms. Schakowsky.

H.R. 2983: Mr. LEWIS.

H.R. 2996: Mr. Long.

H.R. 3040: Ms. SCHWARTZ.

H.R. 3043: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 3099: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 3116: Mr. TAKANO. H.R. 3133: Mr. Fleischmann, Mr. Austin

SCOTT of Georgia, and Mr. WOODALL.

H.R. 3136: Mr. Petri. H.R. 3137: Mr. Holt.

H.R. 3153: Ms. CHU and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 3180: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 3344: Mr. Culberson, Mr. Franks of Arizona, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 3357: Mr. Tonko.

H.R. 3361: Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico.

H.R. 3370: Mr. HECK of Washington, Mr. BARROW of Georgia, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr.