of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-101, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7707. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-100, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7708. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-062, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7709. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-082, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7710. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-092, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7711. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-023, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7712. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-115, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7713. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 14-081, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7714. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Independent Expenditures and Electioneering Communications by Corporations and Labor Organizations [Notice 2014-10] received October 14, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

7715. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Financial Management, United States Capitol Police, transmitting the semiannual report of receipts and expenditures of appropriations and other funds for the period April 1, 2014 through September 30, 2014; (H. Doc. No. 113-174); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

7716. A letter from the FHWA Regulations Officer, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Environmental Impact and Related Procedures—Programmatic Agreements and Additional Categorical Exclusions [Docket No.: FHWA-2013-0049] (FHWA RIN: 2125-AF59) (FTA RIN: 2132-AB14) received October 9, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7717. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Environmental Impact and Related Procedures—Programmatic Agreements and Additional Categorical Exclusions [Docket No.: FHWA-2013-0049] (FHWA RIN: 2125-AF59) (FTA RIN: 2132-AB14) received October 9, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7718. A letter from the Deputy Director, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Medicare Part B Monthly Actuarial Rates, Premium Rate, and Annual Deductible Beginning January 1, 2015 [CMS-8058-N] (RIN: 0938-AS34) received October 9, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and 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. CARTWRIGHT (for himself, Mr. COOK, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. HASTINGS OF Florida, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. FARENTHOLD):

H.R. 5708. A bill to protect individuals who are eligible for increased pension under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on the basis of need of regular aid and attendance from dishonest, predatory, or otherwise unlawful practices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FRANKS of Arizona:

H.R. 5709. A bill to terminate the authority to waive certain provisions of law requiring the imposition of sanctions with respect to Iran, to codify certain sanctions imposed by executive order, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Oversight and Government Reform, 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 Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Ms. Bass, and Mr. MEADOWS):

H.R. 5710. A bill to authorize the provision of assistance on an emergency basis for countries affected by or at risk of being affected by the outbreak of the Ebola virus disease to effectively address such outbreak at its source, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania (for himself, Ms. Schwartz, Mr. Meehan, and Mr. Fattah):

H.R. 5711. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to extend the coverage of the Federal prohibition against hate crimes in order to provide greater protections to persons who are gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CLAWSON of Florida (for himself and Mr. McCaul):

H.R. 5712. A bill to authorize the Private Sector Office of the Department of Homeland Security to improve private sector engagement in protecting the homeland, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Ms. KAPTUR (for herself and Mr. BENISHEK):

H.R. 5713. A bill to require the Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere to conduct an assessment of cultural and historic resources in the waters of the Great Lakes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCHRADER (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 5714. A bill to permit commercial applicators of pesticides to create, retain, submit, and convey pesticide application-related records, reports, data, and other information in electronic form; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Ms. SCHWARTZ (for herself and Mr. Thompson of California):

H.R. 5715. A bill to adjust the age limitations under the Social Security program for payment of child's insurance benefits to certain disabled individuals and for calculation of recent work for determining eligibility for Social Security disability insurance benefits; 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. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. RUNYAN):

H.R. 5716. A bill to extend the replacement period for nonrecognition of gain for property involuntarily converted in the Hurricane Sandy disaster area; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 5717. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to require annual reports from agencies detailing the cost of multilingual services, to end speculation about the cost of multilingual services provided by the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 5718. A bill to study the effect of the Earth's magnetic field on the weather; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Ms. WILSON of Florida:

H.R. 5719. A bill to secure the Federal voting rights of non-violent persons when released from incarceration; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. WILSON of Florida:

H.R. 5720. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow employers a credit against income tax for employees who participate in qualified apprenticeship programs; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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. McCARTHY of California:

H.J. Res. 129. A joint resolution appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress; considered and passed.

By Mr. CICILLINE (for himself, Ms. Bass, Mr. Engel, Mr. McDermott, Ms. McCollum, Mr. Meeks, Ms. Frankel of Florida, Mr. Kinzinger of Illinois, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Lowenthal, Mr. Grijalva, Ms. Lee of California, and Mr. Levin):

H. Con. Res. 118. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that health workers deserve our profound gratitude and respect for their commitments and sacrifices in addressing the Ebola epidemic in West Africa; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. McCARTHY of California:

H. Res. 753. A resolution providing for the printing of a revised edition of the Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives for the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress; considered and agreed to.

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

H. Res. 754. A resolution condemning the Government of Iran for its gross human rights violations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. JOYCE (for himself, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. MEEHAN, and Ms. NOR-

H. Res. 755. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of American Education Week; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

319. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Alaska, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 22, requesting the Congress of the United States to call a convention of the states to propose amendments 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 ioint resolution.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 5708.

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

Article I: Section 8: Clause 1 of the Constitution states that 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 8, Clause 12: To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years. Article I, Section 8, Clause 13: To provide and maintain a Navy

By Mr. FRANKS of Arizona:

H.R. 5709.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the US Constitution

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 5710.

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

Article 1, section 8 (regulation of commerce with foreign nations)

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5711.

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

Article 1, Clause 8, Section 18.

By Mr. CLAWSON of Florida:

H.R. 5712.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause I of the Constitution enumerates to Congress the power to "provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States." This legislation defines the way that the Department of Homeland Security engages with the private sector to address homeland security challenges.

By Ms. KAPTUR:

H.R. 5713.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SCHRADER:

H.R. 5714.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. SCHWARTZ:

H.R. 5715.

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

Article 1 Section 8

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey: H.R. 5716.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 5717.

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

Article 1, Section 8: The Congress shall have Power . . . To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers.

By Mr. STOCKMAN:

H.R. 5718.

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

Article 1. Section 8.

"The Congress shall have Power . . . To promote the Progress of Science and useful Arts.

By Ms. WILSON of Florida:

H.R. 5719.

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

Article I Section 4 Clause 1 of United States Constitution

By Ms. WILSON of Florida: H.R. 5720.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 provides Congress with the authority to spend revenue on the general welfare.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 278: Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 519: Mr. HECK of Washington.

H.R. 532: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 628: Mr. HECK of Washington.

H.R. 809: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 1563: Mr. MULLIN.

H.R. 1732: Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 1764: Mr. Wenstrup.

H.R. 1795: Mr. DOGGETT and Ms. SPEIER.

H.R. 1801: Mr. BLUMENAUER and Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 1852: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1857: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 1878: Mr. Jolly.

H.R. 2077: Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 2288: Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 2329: Mr. BARTON.

H.R. 2788: Mr. Ruiz and Ms. Edwards.

H.R. 2831: Mr. DEUTCH and Ms. TSONGAS.

H.R. 2851: Mrs. Carolyn B. Maloney of New York.

H.R. 2856: Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 2994: Mr. ROKITA, Ms. GRANGER, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mr. FOSTER, and Mr. Webster of Florida.

H.R. 3121: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 3297: Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 3398: Ms. LEE of California and Ms. ESTY.

H.R. 3426: Mr. KIND and Mr. GRAVES of Mis-

H.R. 3489: Mr. Young of Indiana.

H.R. 3513: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 3543: Mr. Huffman.

H.R. 3717: Mr. REED.

H.R. 3991: Mr. NEUGEBAUER.

H.R. 4122: Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. WELCH, and Mrs. Carolyn B. Maloney of New

York.

H.R. 4148: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 4188: Ms. LEE of California.

H.R. 4214: Mr. Huffman.

H.R. 4395: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 4494: Mr. Nolan.

H.R. 4515: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 4525: Ms. Moore. H.R. 4647: Mr. KING of Iowa.

H.R. 4703: Mrs. NOEM.

H.R. 4706: Mr. Heck of Washington. H.R. 4717: Ms. Schakowsky.

H.R. 4740: Mr. Welch, Mr. Pitts, Mr. TONKO, and Mr. COLLINS of New York.

H.R. 4793: Mrs. BACHMANN and Mr. YAR-MUTH.

H.R. 4807: Ms. KUSTER, Mr. McKINLEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. ESTY, and Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 4837: Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 4920: Mr. SHUSTER.

H.R. 4930: Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. COURTNEY, and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 4946: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 4960: Mr. Byrne, Ms. McCollum, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. ROTHFUS Mr. CHMMINGS Mr. LABRADOR Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Ms. Meng, Mr. Chaffetz, Mr. Rogers of Michigan, Mr. Bucshon, Ms. Titus, Mr. WELCH, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. PERRY, Ms. Lee of California, Ms. Chu, Mr. Sires, Ms. Wilson of Florida, Mr. Owens, Mr. Lar-SEN of Washington, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. Lofgren, Mr. Rokita, Ms. DELBENE, and Mr. McKinley.

H.R. 4969: Mr. HARPER.

H.R. 5059: Mr. PITTENGER, Mr. YARMUTH, and Mr. WITTMAN.

H.R. 5199: Mr. LUETKEMEYER and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 5213: Mr. Benishek.

H.R. 5226: Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia and Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 5227: Mr. Kinzinger of Illinois, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Ms. KAP-TUR, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Ms. Ros-Lehtinen.

H.R. 5231: Mrs. BACHMANN and Mr. THOMP-SON of California.

H.R. 5239: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 5294: Ms. Eshoo, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. CLAY, Ms. WILSON of Florida, and Ms. Kelly of Illinois.

H.R. 5320: Mr. BARR and Mr. FLEISCHMANN.

H.R. 5381: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 5382: Mr. HURT.

H.R. 5403: Mr. Walberg and Mr. Kingston.

H.R. 5417: Mr. Pearce and Mr. Nugent.

H.R. 5439: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. CONYERS, and Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 5441: Mr. Walberg, Mr. Griffin of Arkansas, Mr. Wittman, Mr. Nolan, and Mr. GARAMENDI.

H.R. 5445: Mr. Foster.

H.R. 5481: Mr. WITTMAN.

H.R. 5484: Mr. Walberg, Mr. Ruppers-

BERGER, and Mr. JONES. H.R. 5508: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 5539: Mr. DEFAZIO.

H.R. 5544: Mr. PALAZZO and Mr. FOSTER.

H.R. 5559: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 5609: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mr. Cassidy.

H.R. 5644: Mr. MCHENRY and Mr. COURTNEY. H.R. 5646: Mr. KILMER and Mr. SMITH of Ne-

H.R. 5648: Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mrs. BACHMANN, and Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 5655: Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. MAFFEI, and Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 5685: Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 5686: Mr. Olson and Mr. Huelskamp.

H.R. 5688: Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. Stockman, Mr. Nugent, Mr. Huelskamp, Mr. Salmon, Mr. Culberson, Mr. Sanford, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. BARTON, Mr. ROKITA, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.

H.R. 5700: Mr. LEVIN, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, and Ms. Bordallo.

H. Res. 208: Ms. LEE of California.

H. Res. 456: Mrs. NOEM.