

MEEKS, Ms. MENG, Mr. NADLER, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. TONKO, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, and Ms. VELÁZQUEZ):

H.R. 2607. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7802 37th Avenue in Jackson Heights, New York, as the “Jeanne and Jules Manford Post Office Building”; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. COLE, Mr. WELCH, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. LEE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. ESTY, and Ms. KUSTER):

H.R. 2608. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow manufacturing businesses to establish tax-free manufacturing reinvestment accounts to assist them in providing for new equipment and facilities and workforce training; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself and Mrs. HARTZLER):

H.R. 2609. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to repeal the transportation alternatives program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. KATKO (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. HURD of Texas, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. BUCK, Ms. GRAHAM, Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana, and Ms. MCSALLY):

H.R. 2610. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to redesign Federal reserve notes so as to include a likeness of Harriet Tubman, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. LUMMIS:

H.R. 2611. A bill to amend the Arms Export Control Act to provide that certain firearms listed as curios or relics may be imported into the United States by a licensed importer without obtaining authorization from the Department of State or the Department of Defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. NORTON, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. ESTY, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. CUMMINGS):

H.R. 2612. A bill to authorize the appropriation of funds to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for conducting or supporting research on firearms safety or gun violence prevention; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, and Mr. DESAULNIER):

H.R. 2613. A bill to provide for the development and use of technology for personalized handguns, to require that all handguns manufactured or sold in, or imported into, the United States incorporate such technology, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 2614. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an expert advisory panel regarding relative value scale process used under the Medicare physician

fee schedule, 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 Ms. PLASKETT:

H.R. 2615. A bill to establish the Virgin Islands of the United States Centennial Commission; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. QUIGLEY (for himself, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. POLIS, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 2616. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to enter into an agreement with the National Academy of Sciences to conduct a study on urban flooding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. RADEWAGEN:

H.R. 2617. A bill to amend the Fair Minimum Wage Act of 2007 to postpone a scheduled increase in the minimum wage applicable to American Samoa; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 2618. A bill to amend the Employee Polygraph Protection Act of 1988 to provide an exemption from the protections of that Act with regard to certain prospective employees whose job would include caring for or interacting with children; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. RUSH):

H.R. 2619. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit to Patriot employers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia (for himself, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. WESTMORELAND, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia):

H.R. 2620. A bill to amend the United States Cotton Futures Act to exclude certain cotton futures contracts from coverage under such Act; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.R. 2621. A bill to impose sanctions against individuals who are nationals of the People's Republic of China who are responsible for gross violations of internationally recognized human rights committed against other individuals in the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. TONKO:

H.R. 2622. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a registry of certain veterans who were stationed at Fort McClellan, Alabama, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LOWENTHAL (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. ESTY, and Mrs. CAPPS):

H. Res. 289. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that gun violence is a public health issue and Congress should enact by the end of the 114th Congress comprehensive Federal legislation that protects the Second Amendment and keeps communities safe and healthy, includ-

ing expanding enforceable background checks for all commercial gun sales, improving the mental health system in the United States, and making gun trafficking and straw purchasing a Federal crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. PITTS (for himself and Ms. JACKSON LEE):

H. Res. 290. A resolution calling for the global repeal of blasphemy laws; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. PLASKETT:

H. Res. 291. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States Postal Service should issue a commemorative stamp commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the purchase of the territories known as the Virgin Islands of the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of Rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

36. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1019, commending Israel for its cordial and mutually beneficial relationship with the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

37. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to House Concurrent Memorial No. 2005, urging the United States Government to immediately and not later than December 31, 2019 dispose of the public lands within Arizona's borders directly to the State of Arizona; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

38. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to Senate Concurrent Memorial 1001, urging the Congress to oppose the designation of the Grand Canyon Watershed National Monument in Northern Arizona; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

39. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 9, urging the President to allow an additional 25,000 refugee visas for displaced Iraqis, with preference for placement in Michigan; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

40. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to Senate Concurrent Memorial 1002, urging the Congress to enact legislation that confirms that state law determines the entire scope of R.S. 2477 Right-of-Way; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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. CLARK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 2602.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 2603.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3.
Article III, Section 1.
Article III, Section 2, Clause 1.

By Mr. SMITH of Texas:

H.R. 2604.

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

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

By Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio:

H.R. 2605.

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

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mrs. HARTZLER:

H.R. 2606.

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

Article I: Section 8: Clause 3 The United States Congress shall have power

“To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.”

By Mr. CROWLEY:

H.R. 2607.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7: “The Congress shall have Power [. . .] To establish Post Offices and post Roads . . .”

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 2608.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 2609.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. KATKO:

H.R. 2610.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 5, of the United States Constitution: To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures;

By Mrs. LUMMIS:

H.R. 2611.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3: “To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.”

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 2612.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 2613.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 2614.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Ms. PLASKETT:

H.R. 2615.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 (Necessary and Proper Clause)

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 (Territories Clause)

By Mr. QUIGLEY:

H.R. 2616.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mrs. RADEWAGEN:

H.R. 2617.

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.

By Mr. ROSS:

H.R. 2618.

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

Fourteenth Amendment, Section 5

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 2619.

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

Article I, Section VIII.

By Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia:

H.R. 2620.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 (“The Congress shall have the power 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; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States”)

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 (“To regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes”)

Article I, 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. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 2621.

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

Article 1, section 8 of the Constitution

By Mr. TONKO:

H.R. 2622.

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.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 6: Mr. SCALISE, Mr. LATTA, Mr. HARPER, Mr. OLSON, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. SARBANES, and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 9: Mr. HARDY.

H.R. 156: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 160: Mr. NORCROSS.

H.R. 167: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 213: Mr. LANCE.

H.R. 223: Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 224: Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 232: Mr. CARTWRIGHT and Mr. COURTNEY.

H.R. 282: Mr. RIGELL and Mr. WEBSTER of Florida.

H.R. 303: Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, and Ms. SINEMA.

H.R. 343: Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 425: Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 456: Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 463: Mr. LUTHEMEYER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. MICA, and Mr. WENSTRUP.

H.R. 465: Mr. POE of Texas.

H.R. 467: Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mrs. BUSTOS, and Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 472: Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 484: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 511: Mr. GROTHMAN.

H.R. 539: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 546: Mr. O'ROURKE.

H.R. 556: Mr. HECK of Washington, Mr. HANNA, and Mrs. WAGNER.

H.R. 572: Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 581: Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 624: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. WEBER of Texas, and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 649: Mr. TED LIEU of California.

H.R. 662: Mr. COFFMAN and Mr. KNIGHT.

H.R. 664: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 702: Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. ZINKE, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. VEASEY, and Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 703: Mrs. LOVE, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, and Ms. MCSALLY.

H.R. 711: Mr. NUNES and Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 729: Mr. HECK of Washington.

H.R. 762: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 775: Mr. ABRAHAM.

H.R. 776: Mr. HANNA and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.

H.R. 800: Ms. MCSALLY.

H.R. 817: Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois.

H.R. 829: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 835: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 836: Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. TIBERI, Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. STIVERS, and Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 840: Mr. HINOJOSA and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 845: Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DELANEY, Mr. KLINE, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 864: Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 879: Mr. HANNA and Mr. ROKITA.

H.R. 893: Mr. BARR, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. NUNES, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. SALMON, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. JONES, Mr. GRAVES of Missouri, Mr. WELCH, Mr. JENKINS of West Virginia, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. DEFAZIO.

H.R. 913: Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California and Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 918: Mr. ROKITA.

H.R. 928: Mr. RICE of South Carolina.

H.R. 969: Mr. HULTGREN and Mr. CARTER of Georgia.

H.R. 971: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 986: Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. RIBBLE, and Mr. YOUNG of Indiana.

H.R. 990: Mr. HIMES.

H.R. 1008: Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 1062: Mr. HARDY and Mr. NEUGEBAUER.

H.R. 1111: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 1116: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.

H.R. 1120: Mr. ROUZER.

H.R. 1150: Mr. DOLD, Mr. WITTMAN, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1171: Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 1188: Mr. ROHRBACH.

H.R. 1190: Mr. KNIGHT.

H.R. 1192: Mr. HECK of Washington and Mrs. KIRKPATRICK.

H.R. 1194: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1197: Mr. THOMPSON of California and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 1218: Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 1220: Mr. RUIZ, Mr. TONKO, Mr. RUSSELL, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. AMODEI, Mr.