

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,
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Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5355. A letter from the Regulatory Review Group, Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Farm Storage Facility Loan (FSFL) Program; Portable Storage Facilities and Reduced Down Payment for FSFL Microloans (RIN: 0560-AI35) received May 13, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5356. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Investment and Deposit Activities — Bank Notes (RIN: 3133-AE55) received May 13, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5357. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Pass-Through Share Insurance for Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts (RIN: 3133-AE49) received May 13, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5358. A letter from the Associate Bureau Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization [WC Docket No.: 11-42], Telecommunications Carriers Eligible for Universal Service Support [WC Docket No.: 09-197], and Connect America Fund [WC Docket No.: 10-90] received May 16, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5359. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Removal of Short Supply License Requirements on Exports of Crude Oil [Docket No.: 160302175-6175-01] (RIN: 0694-AG83) received May 13, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

5360. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Reef Fish Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; 2016 Recreational Fishing Seasons for Red Snapper in the Gulf of Mexico [Docket No.: 140818679-5356-02] (RIN: 0648-XE575) received May 13, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

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. MILLER of Florida: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3484. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into certain leases at the Department of Veterans Affairs West Los Angeles Campus in Los Angeles, California, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 114-570). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. BYRNE: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 735. Resolution providing for fur-

ther consideration of the bill (H.R. 4909) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 for military activities of the Department of Defense and military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes (Rept. 114-571). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. COLE: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 736. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4974) making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5243) making appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, to strengthen public health activities in response to the Zika virus, and for other purposes; and for other purposes; (Rept. 114-572). Referred to the House Calendar.

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. COHEN (for himself, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 5258. A bill to require State and local law enforcement agencies to report arrests for offenses that involve driving under the influence to the National Crime Information Center as a condition of receiving the full amount that the State would otherwise receive under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ZINKE (for himself, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. TIPTON, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. WESTERMAN, and Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio):

H.R. 5259. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to reestablish the Royalty Policy Committee in order to further a more consultative process with key Federal, State, tribal, environmental, and energy stakeholders, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCOTT of Virginia (for himself and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 5260. A bill to amend title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to restore the right to individual civil actions in cases involving disparate impact, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. LEVIN (for himself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 5261. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to prevent the avoidance of the rules related to investment of earnings in United States property through corporate expatriation or the use of corporate structures in which the common parent is a foreign corporation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HUDSON (for himself and Mr. RUPPERSBERGER):

H.R. 5262. A bill to eliminate the sunset date for the Veterans Choice Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs, to expand eligibility for such program, and to extend certain operating hours for pharmacies and medical facilities of the Department, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. NOLAN (for himself, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mrs. CAPPS, and Mr. DEFAZIO):

H.R. 5263. A bill to require a study on women and lung cancer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5264. A bill to expand the uses of certain revolving funds of the Library of Congress and to clarify the authority of the Library of Congress to accept gifts and bequests; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts (for herself, Mr. GRAYSON, Ms. LEE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. SWALLOW of California, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Mr. McDERMOTT):

H.R. 5265. A bill to amend the Department of Education Organization Act and the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require publication of information relating to religious exemptions to the requirements of title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. DESAULNIER (for himself and Mr. JONES):

H.R. 5266. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to ensure that information regarding the deduction of amounts of disability compensation by reason of voluntary separation pay is provided to members of the Armed Forces separating from the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. FRANKEL of Florida (for herself and Mr. KEATING):

H.R. 5267. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to expand the permissive exclusion from Federal health programs to include certain individuals with prior interest in sanctioned entities and entities affiliated with sanctioned entities and to provide a criminal penalty for the illegal distribution of Medicare, Medicaid, or CHIP beneficiary identification or provider numbers, 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 Mr. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 5268. A bill to provide for improvements to the Welcome to Medicare package, and for other purposes; 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. MOONEY of West Virginia:

H.R. 5269. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to criminalize knowingly destroying, without the written consent of each progenitor, a living human embryo created through the process of in vitro fertilization, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUSSELL:

H.R. 5270. A bill to abolish the Marine Mammal Commission and transfer its functions to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. TURNER (for himself and Mr. ALLEN):

H.R. 5271. A bill to reauthorize chapter 40 of title 28, United States Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FARR:

H.J. Res. 94. A joint resolution conferring honorary citizenship of the United States on

Staff Sergeant Laszlo Holovits, Jr; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. NORTON:

H. Con. Res. 131. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the District of Columbia Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. THOMPSON of California (for himself, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. MCCARTHY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. HOYER, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. AGUILAR, Ms. BASS, Mr. BERA, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. COOK, Mr. COSTA, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. DENHAM, Mr. DESAULNIER, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. ESTY, Mr. FARR, Mr. GARAMENDI, Ms. HAHN, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. KNIGHT, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NUNES, Mr. PETERS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. TAKAI, Mr. TAKANO, Mrs. TORRES, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. VARGAS, Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California, and Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California):

H. Res. 734. A resolution recognizing and honoring the historical significance of the 40th anniversary of the Judgment of Paris, and the impact of the California victory at the 1976 Paris Tasting on the world of wine and the United States wine industry as a whole; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

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

221. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 291, urging Congress to reform federal requirements relative to high school graduation rates during the reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

222. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 528, affirming Tennessee's sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States over all powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the Constitution of the United States; which was referred 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. COHEN:

H.R. 5258.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. ZINKE:

H.R. 5259.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SCOTT of Virginia:

H.R. 5260.

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

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

By Mr. LEVIN:

H.R. 5261.

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

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

By Mr. HUDSON:

H.R. 5262.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

The Congress shall have Power * * * To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into executive the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. NOLAN:

H.R. 5263.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5264.

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

Article I.

By Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 5265.

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

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

By Mr. DESAULNIER:

H.R. 5266.

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

Article 1, Section 8.

By Ms. FRANKEL of Florida:

H.R. 5267.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. MCDERMOTT:

H.R. 5268.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia:

H.R. 5269.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution, wherein Congress is provided the power "[t]o regulate Commerce with foreign nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes."

By Mr. RUSSELL:

H.R. 5270.

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

Section 8, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. TURNER:

H.R. 5271.

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

The 14th Amendment, Section 5; Article I, Section 8, Clauses 3 and 18 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. FARR:

H.J. Res. 94.

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

Article 1 Section 8 Clause 4; to establish a uniform rule of naturalization.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 24: Mr. WELCH.
H.R. 123: Mr. TED LIEU of California.
H.R. 210: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 303: Ms. BROWN of Florida.
H.R. 539: Mr. COFFMAN, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. WALZ, and Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 540: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 604: Mr. GROTHMAN.
H.R. 711: Mr. HUFFMAN and Mr. JOLLY.
H.R. 769: Mrs. NOEM.
H.R. 793: Mr. CUMMINGS.
H.R. 816: Mr. BARTON.
H.R. 864: Mr. NORCROSS.
H.R. 1221: Mr. DELANEY.
H.R. 1545: Mr. LONG.
H.R. 1726: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.
H.R. 2016: Ms. CLARKE of New York.
H.R. 2189: Mr. TED LIEU of California.
H.R. 2237: Mr. NOLAN.
H.R. 2254: Mr. NORCROSS.
H.R. 2274: Ms. KUSTER.
H.R. 2290: Mr. ROUZER.
H.R. 2315: Mr. WITTMAN and Mr. NUNES.
H.R. 2368: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. DESAULNIER, and Mr. BEYER.
H.R. 2403: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania and Mr. COLLINS of New York.
H.R. 2450: Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. O'ROURKE, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GALLEGO, and Mr. LANGEVIN.
H.R. 2513: Mr. WENSTRUP and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.
H.R. 2657: Ms. PINGREE.
H.R. 2739: Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania and Mr. CONNOLLY.
H.R. 2799: Mr. FORTENBERRY.
H.R. 2903: Mr. POCAN.
H.R. 2976: Mr. NORCROSS.
H.R. 2980: Mr. ISRAEL.
H.R. 3060: Mr. NORCROSS.
H.R. 3119: Ms. BONAMICI, Mrs. RADEWAGEN, Mr. POLIS, and Mr. NORCROSS.
H.R. 3163: Mr. MCNERNEY.
H.R. 3180: Mr. TIPTON.
H.R. 3222: Mr. CRAWFORD.
H.R. 3235: Mr. NEAL and Mrs. COMSTOCK.
H.R. 3323: Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 3365: Mrs. BEATTY.
H.R. 3516: Mr. BRIDENSTINE.
H.R. 3706: Mr. HUNTER.
H.R. 3720: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
H.R. 3799: Mr. JORDAN.
H.R. 3815: Mrs. COMSTOCK.
H.R. 3870: Ms. BROWNLEY of California and Mr. SMITH of Washington.
H.R. 3956: Mr. O'ROURKE.
H.R. 3989: Mr. YOUNG of Iowa.
H.R. 4019: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.
H.R. 4062: Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 4177: Mr. KILMER.
H.R. 4219: Mr. MARINO, Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana, and Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California.
H.R. 4230: Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.
H.R. 4247: Ms. JENKINS of Kansas.
H.R. 4365: Mr. BEYER, Mr. RIGELL, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. CONYERS.
H.R. 4499: Mr. TOM PRICE of Georgia.
H.R. 4500: Mr. MACARTHUR.
H.R. 4514: Mr. MCCAUL, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. MENG, Mr. VELA, Mrs. LOVE, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. HUDSON, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. YOUNG of Iowa, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. PAULSEN, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.