purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. Sires, Mr. Diaz-Balart, Mr. Cárdenas, Mr. Duncan of South Carolina, Mr. Norcross, Mr. Curbelo of Florida, Mr. Cuellar, Mr. Yoho, and Mr. Brendan F. Boyle of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 5708. A bill to oppose loans at international financial institutions for the Government of Nicaragua unless the Government of Nicaragua is taking effective steps to hold free, fair, and transparent elections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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 Mr. MEADOWS:

H.R. 5709. A bill to improve Federal employee compliance with Federal and Presidential recordkeeping requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mr. Babin, Mr. Brat, Mr. Barletta, Mr. Brooks of Alabama, Mr. Desjarlais, Mr. Fleming, Mr. Gohmert, Mr. Grothman, Mr. Harris, Mr. Jones, Mr. King of Iowa, Mr. McClintock, Mr. Miller of Florida, Mr. Olson, Mr. Palazzo, Mr. Sessions, Mr. Smith of Texas, Mr. Weber of Texas, and Mr. Yoho):

H.R. 5710. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to prevent unlawful aliens from enlisting in the United States Armed Forces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan (for himself and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 5711. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from authorizing certain transactions by a U.S. financial institution in connection with the export or re-export of a commercial passenger aircraft to the Islamic Republic of Iran; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. MESSER (for himself and Ms. STEFANIK):

H.R. 5712. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to flatline the individual mandate penalty; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TIBERI (for himself and Mr. PASCRELL):

H.R. 5713. A bill to provide for the extension of certain long-term care hospital Medicare payment rules, clarify the application of rules on the calculation of hospital length of stay to certain moratorium-excepted long-term care hospitals, 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. CHAFFETZ (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. CONNOLLY, and Mr. LYNCH):

H.R. 5714. A bill to restore the financial solvency and improve the governance of the United States Postal Service in order to ensure the efficient and affordable nationwide delivery of mail, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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. ROSKAM (for himself and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 5715. A bill to prohibit the Export-Import Bank of the United States from providing financing that would benefit Iran; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. PITTENGER:

H.R. 5716. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from issuing certain licenses in connection with the export or re-export of a commercial passenger aircraft to the Islamic Republic of Iran, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to issue an annual report on the status of, and risks related to, U.S. financial institutions involved with the sale or lease of such a commercial passenger aircraft, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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 Mr. LANCE:

H.R. 5717. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to improve collection of Medicaid data and to expand coverage of tobacco cessation services to mothers of newborns; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ (for himself, Mr. STEWART, and Mrs. LOVE):

H.R. 5718. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to acquire and to convey certain lands or interests in lands in Utah, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. PAULSEN:

H.R. 5719. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the tax treatment of certain equity grants; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. Donovan, Mr. Jeffries, Mr. King of New York, Mr. Lance, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Pascrell, Mr. David Scott of Georgia, and Ms. Sinema):

H.R. 5720. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to require the deployment of law enforcement personnel at airport screening locations at very large airports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Ms. JENKINS of Kansas (for herself and Mr. KIND):

H.R. 5721. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act in order to improve the process whereby medicare administrative contractors issue local coverage determinations under the Medicare program, 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. KENNEDY (for himself, Ms. Pelosi, Mr. McCarthy, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Neal, Ms. Clark of Massachusetts, Mr. Moulton, Mr. Capuano, Mr. Lynch, Ms. Tsongas, Mr. Keating, Mr. Schweikert, Mrs. Roby, Mr. Upton, Mr. Kinzinger of Illinois, Mr. Crenshaw, Mr. Hoyer, Mr. Burgess, Mrs. Brooks of Indiana, Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Ms. Matsui, Mr. Welch, Mr. Walden, Mr. Newhouse, and Ms. Stefanik):

H.R. 5722. A bill to establish the John F. Kennedy Centennial Commission; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. LEVIN:

H.R. 5723. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a temporary exception to the site neutral payment rate for certain discharges from long-term

care hospitals that involve severe wounds; 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. McHENRY:

H.R. 5724. A bill to amend the Revised Statutes of the United States and the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to require the rate of interest on certain loans remain unchanged after transfer of the loan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. McHENRY:

H.R. 5725. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require website-based, real-time responses to requests to verify taxpayer income for legitimate business purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. O'ROURKE (for himself and Mr. KNIGHT):

H.R. 5726. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to post at certain locations the average national wait times for veterans to receive an appointment for health care at medical facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed 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 Mr. TED LIEU of California (for himself, Mr. Cartwright, Mr. Langevin, Mr. Polis, Ms. Lee, Mr. Honda, Ms. Lofgren, Mr. Blu-Menauer, and Mr. Huffman):

H. Con. Res. 143. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress relating to the disapproval of certain activities of certain companies, trade associations, foundations, and organizations; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DENT (for himself, Mr. Flores, Mr. Griffith, Mr. Zinke, Mr. Blum, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Abraham, Mr. King of New York, and Mrs. Wagner):

H. Res. 817. A resolution expressing continued support for the special relationship between the United States and the United Kingdom and urging commencement of negotiations for the development of a North Atlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (NATIP) between the United States and the United Kingdom; 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 Mr. SHUSTER (for himself and Mr. DEFAZIO):

H. Res. 818. A resolution providing for the concurrence by the House in the Senate amendments to H.R. 636, with amendments; considered and agreed to.

## 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. POCAN:

H.R. 5635.

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. LYNCH:

H.R. 5707.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN:

H.R. 5708.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. MEADOWS:

H.R. 5709.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. GOSAR:

H.R. 5710.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 4 (the Naturalization Clause), which gives Congress sovereign control over immigration and the vesting of citizenship in aliens. In March 1790, Congress passed the first uniform rule for naturalization under the new Constitution. In Chirac v Lessee of Chirac (1817), the Supreme Court affirmed this power rests exclusively with Congress.

By Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan:

H.R. 5711

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

Article I. Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. MESSER:

H.R. 5712.

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

Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. TIBERI:

H.R. 5713.

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

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress to make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces, as enumerated in Article I, Section 8, Clause 14 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 5714.

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. ROSKAM:

H.R. 5715.

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

Article I. Section 8. Clause 3

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. PITTENGER:

H.R. 5716.

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. LANCE:

H.R. 5717.

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

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

This states that "Congress shall have the power too . . . lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay for the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States"

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 5718.

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

Article IV, section 3, clause 2 (relating to the power of Congress to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States).

By Mr. PAULSEN:

H.R. 5719.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 5720.

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

U.S. Const. Art. I §1; and

U.S. Const. Art. I §8

By Ms. JENKINS of Kansas: H.R. 5721.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. KENNEDY:

H.B. 5722

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

Article 1. Section 8. By Mr. LEVIN:

H.R. 5723.

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

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress to make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces, as enumerated in Article I, Section 8, Clause 14 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MCHENRY:

H.R. 5724.

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

The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence . . . of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. McHENRY:

H.R. 5725.

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

The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence . . . of the United States; but all Duties. Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. O'ROURKE:

H.R. 5726.

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

Under Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution, Congress has the 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 any Department or Officer there-

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 508: Mrs. Watson Coleman.

H.R. 632: Mr. KILMER.

H.R. 711: Mr. MULLIN and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 855: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 923: Mr. GROTHMAN.

H.R. 969: Mr. Weber of Texas.

H.R. 1076: Mrs. Beatty.

H.R. 1089: Mr. Gosar. H.R. 1151: Mr. Blum.

H.R. 1153: Mr. HILL.

H.R. 1192: Mr. SERRANO. H.R. 1312: Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 1342: Mrs. Blackburn.

H.R. 1427: Mr. ZINKE.

H.R. 1686: Mr. Cicilline, Ms. Jenkins of Kansas, Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. Watson Coleman, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, Mr. Schrader, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 1706: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 1752: Mr. Culberson.

H.R. 1904: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 1911: Mr. Smith of Missouri.

H.R. 1943: Mr. Castro of Texas.

H.R. 2096: Mr. SMITH of Texas and Mr. ROYCE. H.R. 2124: Ms. Wasserman Schultz. Ms. KUSTER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. HURD of Texas,

Ms. Jackson Lee, and Mr. Kennedy. H.R. 2216: Ms. Frankel of Florida.

H.R. 2283: Mr. VARGAS and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 2302: Mr. Polis, Mr. Cleaver, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. DINGELL, and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 2342: Mr. BLUM and Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico.

H.R. 2403: Ms. Judy Chu of California.

H.R. 2404: Mr. Smith of Missouri.

H.R. 2411: Ms. Bonamici.

H.R. 2660: Mr. Gene Green of Texas.

H.R. 2663: Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 2694: Mr. Castro of Texas.

H.R. 2698: Mr. Blum.

H.R. 2715: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2739: Mr. Cramer, Mr. Himes, Mr. DUFFY, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2846: Mr. Peters.

H.R. 2903: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 2916: Mr. VARGAS.

H.R. 2917: Mr. VARGAS. H.R. 2992: Mr. REICHERT.

H.R. 3012: Mr. Wenstrup. H.R. 3108: Mr. LOWENTHAL.

H.R. 3110: Mr. NEAL and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 3229: Mr. RICE of South Carolina and Mr. Gibson.

H.R. 3235: Mr. Young of Iowa.

H.R. 3308: Ms. Delbene and Mr. Pierluisi.

H.R. 3375: Mr. VARGAS.

H.R. 3470: Mr. FOSTER.H.R. 3486: Mr. HASTINGS.

H.R. 3542: Mr. HINOJOSA. H.R. 3687: Ms. MAXINE WATERS of Cali-

fornia.

H.R. 3713: Mr. Blum. H.R. 3882: Ms. LEE, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 3929: Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Stutzman, DEGETTE, Ms. GRANGER, and Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 4027: Ms. Kuster and Ms. Sinema.

H.R. 4034: Mr. King of Iowa, Mr. Smith of Texas, and Mr. BRAT.

H.R. 4062: Mr. Blum. H.R. 4247: Mr. McHenry and Mr. Simpson.

H.R. 4365: Mrs. NOEM, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 4479: Ms. TITUS, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia,

and Mrs. DAVIS of California. H.R. 4514: Mr. HANNA and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 4524: Ms. Slaughter and Mr. Ted Lieu of California.

H.R. 4558: Ms. NORTON, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. KILMER, Ms. TITUS,

and Mr. BLUMENAUER. H.R. 4584: Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas.

H.R. 4592: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 4603: Mr. TONKO, Mr. MURPHY of Flor-

ida, and Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 4614: Mr. Young of Indiana. H.R. 4616: Mr. HIMES and Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 4622: Mr. DELANEY.

H.R. 4626: Mr. FORBES, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, and Mr. KATKO.

H.R. 4689: Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 4708: Mr. GIBSON and Mrs. NAPOLI-TANO.

H.R. 4732: Mr. ZINKE.