

the Bahamas in the aftermath of the devastating Hurricane Dorian; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. LOFGREN (for herself and Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois):

H. Res. 563. A resolution recognizing the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the House of Representatives on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the Office; to the Committee on House Administration.

#### 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. BIGGS:

H.R. 4370.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mrs. TRAHAN:

H.R. 4371.

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

By Ms. JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 4372.

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

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

By Ms. JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 4373.

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. GARAMENDI:

H.R. 4374.

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

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

By Mr. ROUDA:

H.R. 4375.

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

By Mr. DUNN:

H.R. 4376.

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

Article 1 Section 8

By Mr. MCKINLEY:

H.R. 4377.

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

Article 1 Section 8

Section 8—Powers of Congress. 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 Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 4378.

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

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states:

“No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law . . .”

In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides:

“The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States . . .”

Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Mrs. AXNE:

H.R. 4379.

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 I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas:

H.R. 4380.

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

Constitutional Authority—Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, Clause 18)

THE U.S. CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I, SECTION 8: POWERS OF CONGRESS

CLAUSE 18

The Congress shall have 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 in any department or officer thereof.

By Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 4381.

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. CONNOLLY:

H.R. 4382.

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

Article I, Section 8, clause 18

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 4383.

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

Article I of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. CRIST:

H.R. 4384.

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

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 4385.

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

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

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 4386.

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

Pursuant to Clause I of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution and Amendment XVI of the United States Constitution, specifically clause 1 (relating to providing for the general welfare of the United States) and clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress)

By Mr. ESPAILLAT:

H.R. 4387.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

“The Congress shall have Power to . . . provide for the . . . general Welfare of the United States; . . .”

By Mr. HASTINGS:

H.R. 4388.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. LANGEVIN:

H.R. 4389.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. LUJÁN:

H.R. 4390.

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 I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. PANETTA:

H.R. 4391.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18.

By Mr. SHERMAN:

H.R. 4392.

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

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

By Mr. SWALWELL of California:

H.R. 4393.

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

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

By Mr. TAKANO:

H.R. 4394.

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

The Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, Clause 18)

The Congress shall have 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 in any department or officer thereof.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 40: Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 51: Mrs. AXNE.

H.R. 77: Mr. MEADOWS.

H.R. 94: Mr. MEEKS.

H.R. 123: Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 216: Mr. CLINE.

H.R. 218: Mr. STEIL.

H.R. 435: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 444: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 485: Mr. GALLAGHER.

H.R. 585: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 594: Mr. POCAN.

H.R. 616: Mr. McCaul, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 683: Mr. DEUTCH.

H.R. 712: Mr. COLLINS of New York and Ms. PRESSLEY.

H.R. 744: Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana.

H.R. 836: Mr. GOSAR.

H.R. 838: Mr. CORREA and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 877: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 886: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 912: Ms. KENDRA S. HORN of Oklahoma.

H.R. 945: Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. KING of Iowa, and Ms. PRESSLEY.  
 H.R. 1034: Mr. KING of New York and Mr. GIBBS.  
 H.R. 1171: Ms. SLOTKIN.  
 H.R. 1173: Mr. ALLRED.  
 H.R. 1179: Mr. BALDERSON.  
 H.R. 1186: Mr. RUIZ and Mr. PAPPAS.  
 H.R. 1225: Mr. DELGADO.  
 H.R. 1314: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.  
 H.R. 1379: Mrs. RODGERS of Washington, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. TITUS.  
 H.R. 1380: Mr. CICILLINE.  
 H.R. 1396: Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. MCHENRY, and Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma.  
 H.R. 1425: Mrs. LURIA.  
 H.R. 1450: Mr. COURTNEY.  
 H.R. 1479: Mr. PAPPAS.  
 H.R. 1516: Mr. SERRANO.  
 H.R. 1570: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.  
 H.R. 1599: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.  
 H.R. 1705: Ms. TITUS and Mr. COURTNEY.  
 H.R. 1706: Mr. CHABOT.  
 H.R. 1739: Mr. WRIGHT.  
 H.R. 1749: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire.  
 H.R. 1767: Mr. HAGEDORN.  
 H.R. 1777: Mr. TAKANO.  
 H.R. 1858: Mr. CRAWFORD and Mr. BYRNE.  
 H.R. 1869: Mr. VISCOSKY.  
 H.R. 1903: Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. KATKO, Ms. TITUS, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. YARMUTH, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. LAMB, Ms. SHERRILL, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SIRES, Ms. PORTER, Mrs. LURIA, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ALLRED, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. SCHRIER, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Ms. DEAN, Mr. CRIST, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. PRESSLEY, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. HILL of California, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. ESPAILLAT, and Mr. PANNETTA.  
 H.R. 1954: Mr. WESTERMAN.  
 H.R. 1982: Ms. SCANLON and Ms. JOHNSON of Texas.  
 H.R. 2117: Mr. BRINDISI.  
 H.R. 2161: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.  
 H.R. 2222: Mr. POCAN, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mrs. LESKO, and Mrs. LEE of Nevada.  
 H.R. 2245: Mr. McGOVERN.  
 H.R. 2256: Mr. HORSFORD, Ms. TITUS, and Ms. HILL of California.  
 H.R. 2271: Mr. LYNCH.  
 H.R. 2293: Mr. LEVIN of California.  
 H.R. 2319: Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. RUTHERFORD, Mrs. HARTZLER, and Mrs. WAGNER.  
 H.R. 2376: Mr. POCAN.  
 H.R. 2382: Mr. WALTZ.  
 H.R. 2387: Mr. WELCH.  
 H.R. 2426: Mrs. HAYES and Mr. LOUDERMILK.  
 H.R. 2435: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire.  
 H.R. 2453: Mr. RIGGLEMAN.  
 H.R. 2467: Mr. CASTEN of Illinois.  
 H.R. 2482: Mr. GOLDEN.  
 H.R. 2496: Mrs. TORRES of California.  
 H.R. 2513: Mr. SHERMAN.  
 H.R. 2577: Mr. KEATING.  
 H.R. 2585: Mr. CASTEN of Illinois.  
 H.R. 2602: Mr. SOTO and Mr. RUIZ.  
 H.R. 2628: Mr. WALTZ.  
 H.R. 2645: Mr. COLLINS of New York.  
 H.R. 2693: Ms. NORTON, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, and Mr. POSEY.  
 H.R. 2698: Mr. STANTON.  
 H.R. 2708: Mr. BERA and Mr. CUELLAR.  
 H.R. 2711: Mrs. HAYES.  
 H.R. 2739: Mr. COHEN.  
 H.R. 2749: Mr. VARGAS.  
 H.R. 2764: Ms. HILL of California.  
 H.R. 2772: Mr. McGOVERN.  
 H.R. 2782: Mr. MARCHANT.  
 H.R. 2829: Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 2846: Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania and Mr. CRIST.  
 H.R. 2882: Ms. MCCOLLUM.  
 H.R. 2897: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. KIM, and Mr. COLLINS of New York.  
 H.R. 2988: Mr. KEVIN HERN of Oklahoma.  
 H.R. 3006: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia and Mr. MOOLENAAR.  
 H.R. 3035: Mr. FITZPATRICK.  
 H.R. 3036: Mr. COLLINS of New York.  
 H.R. 3043: Mr. SIMPSON.  
 H.R. 3047: Mr. CHABOT.  
 H.R. 3048: Mr. HUFFMAN.  
 H.R. 3062: Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana.  
 H.R. 3094: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.  
 H.R. 3103: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.  
 H.R. 3116: Mr. RASKIN, Mr. GALLEGOS, Mr. SOTO, Ms. SPEIER, and Mr. POCAN.  
 H.R. 3129: Mr. POCAN.  
 H.R. 3190: Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL and Ms. LOFGREN.  
 H.R. 3193: Ms. BASS, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, Mr. KILDEE, and Mrs. LURIA.  
 H.R. 3197: Mr. LEWIS, Ms. HILL of California, Mr. GALLEGOS, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, and Ms. JUDY CHU of California.  
 H.R. 3287: Mr. TIMMONS, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia, Mr. BARR, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. GAETZ, Mr. STEWART, Mr. BUDD, Mr. DAVIDSON of Ohio, Mr. OLSON, Mr. BOST, and Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 3289: Mr. WEBER of Texas.  
 H.R. 3332: Mr. KINZIE.  
 H.R. 3362: Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. DELGADO, and Mr. CLEAVER.  
 H.R. 3373: Mr. McGOVERN.  
 H.R. 3404: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.  
 H.R. 3412: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.  
 H.R. 3442: Mrs. HARTZLER.  
 H.R. 3463: Mr. VISCOSKY, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. CASTEN of Illinois, and Mr. CLEAVER.  
 H.R. 3548: Mr. PAPPAS.  
 H.R. 3590: Mr. RASKIN.  
 H.R. 3607: Mr. McKinley.  
 H.R. 3632: Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. ALLRED, Ms. KAPUR, Mr. RESCHENTHALER, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Ms. SPANBERGER, Ms. FINKENAUER, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. VELA, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. FLETCHER, Mr. KATKO, Ms. CRAIG, Mr. GARCIA of Illinois, and Mr. ROSE of New York.  
 H.R. 3739: Mr. BIGGS.  
 H.R. 3764: Ms. HAALAND, Ms. PORTER, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. ROSE of New York, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Ms. WILD, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.  
 H.R. 3779: Mr. GARAMENDI.  
 H.R. 3820: Ms. SCANLON.  
 H.R. 3846: Ms. KENDRA S. HORN of Oklahoma.  
 H.R. 3851: Mr. CASE, Ms. PINGREE, Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico, Mr. WESTERMAN, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Mr. PETERS, and Ms. KENDRA S. HORN of Oklahoma.  
 H.R. 3864: Mr. BABIN, Mr. GAETZ, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. BUDD, Mr. WRIGHT, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, and Mr. STAUBER.  
 H.R. 3956: Mr. RUTHERFORD.  
 H.R. 3964: Mr. POSEY and Mr. WALBERG.  
 H.R. 3971: Mr. BURCHETT.  
 H.R. 4009: Mr. HUIZENGA.  
 H.R. 4029: Mrs. AXNE.  
 H.R. 4032: Ms. STEVENS.  
 H.R. 4044: Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mr. GARAMENDI, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. MAST, Mr. KIM, and Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER.  
 H.R. 4056: Mr. PAPPAS and Ms. JUDY CHU of California.  
 H.R. 4100: Mr. PETERS.

H.R. 4174: Mr. FITZPATRICK.  
 H.R. 4175: Ms. HAALAND.  
 H.R. 4194: Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Ms. HOULAHAN, and Mr. DELGADO.  
 H.R. 4206: Mrs. McBATH and Mr. DESAULNIER.  
 H.R. 4211: Mr. KIM.  
 H.R. 4228: Mrs. BEATTY and Ms. JOHNSON of Texas.  
 H.R. 4236: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 4249: Mr. DESAULNIER.  
 H.R. 4265: Ms. BARRAGÁN, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. GALLEGOS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Ms. MOORE.  
 H.R. 4272: Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts.  
 H.R. 4276: Mr. MOOLENAAR.  
 H.R. 4294: Mr. PENCE.  
 H.R. 4295: Mr. POCAN.  
 H.R. 4297: Ms. SPEIER and Mr. LEWIS.  
 H.R. 4300: Mr. CÁRDENAS.  
 H.R. 4301: Ms. NORTON, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHI, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Ms. UNDERWOOD, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Ms. OMAR, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. CUELLAR, and Mr. SOTO.

H.R. 4339: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. McGOVERN.  
 H.R. 4347: Mr. HICE of Georgia.  
 H.R. 4358: Mr. RICE of South Carolina.  
 H.J. Res. 66: Mr. McGOVERN.  
 H. Con. Res. 60: Mr. COSTA, Mr. RASKIN, and Mr. JOYCE of Ohio.  
 H. Res. 49: Mr. TIPTON.  
 H. Res. 107: Mr. KHANNA.  
 H. Res. 114: Ms. BONAMICI.  
 H. Res. 146: Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. COLE, and Mr. TIMMONS.

H. Res. 296: Mr. LYNCH.  
 H. Res. 323: Mr. POCAN.  
 H. Res. 326: Mr. O'HALLERAN.  
 H. Res. 390: Mr. BYRNE.  
 H. Res. 419: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.  
 H. Res. 493: Mr. LATTA.  
 H. Res. 517: Ms. SPANBERGER, Mr. FLORES, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, and Ms. MENG.  
 H. Res. 551: Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. MARSHALL, and Mr. BALDERSON.  
 H. Res. 555: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire.  
 H. Res. 556: Mr. PETERS, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. CASTEN of Illinois, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, and Mr. KILDEE.

#### CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits were submitted as follows:

##### OFFERED BY MR. YARMUTH

The provisions that warranted a referral to the Committee on the Budget in H.R. 4378 do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

##### OFFERED BY MRS. LOWEY

H.R. 4378, making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes, does not contain any congressional earmark, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9 of rule XXI.

#### DELETION OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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