By Mr. RICHMOND:

H.R. 6288. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to include a public health emergency in the definition of a major disaster, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. GARCIA of Texas (for herself and Mr. Curtis):

H. Res. 902. A resolution commemorating March 17, 2020, as the 40th anniversary of the Refugee Act of 1980, and the amendments made by that Act, at a time when the need for bipartisan support of the refugee resettlement program of the United States is critical to the survival of the program; 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 Ms. CHENEY:

H. Res. 903. A resolution ranking a Member of a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives; 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 Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 6271

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. Clauses 1, 3, 17, and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE:

H.R. 6272.

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. Clauses 1, 3, 17, and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD:

H.R. 6273.

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

Under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution, Congress has the power to collect taxes and expend funds to provide for the general welfare of the United States. Congress may also make laws that are necessary and proper for carrying into execution their powers enumerated under Article I.

By Ms. HAALAND:

H.R. 6274.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SCOTT of Virginia:

H.R. 6275.

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. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois: H B. 6276

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

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

By Ms. ESCOBAR:

H.R. 6277.

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

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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 Mr. KELLY of Mississippi: H.R. 6278.

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

The Congress has the power to enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 7 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution, which provides Congress with the ability to enact legislation necessary and proper to effectuate its purposes in taxing and spending.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of

New York:

H.R. 6279.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. PANETTA:

H.R. 6280.

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

Article I, Section 8, clause 18

By Mr. PASCRELL:

H.R. 6281.

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

Article I, Section 8, clause 18

By Mr. RUIZ:

H.R. 6282.

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

Article I, section 8, Clauses 1 and 18 of the United States Constitution, to provide for the general welfare and make all laws necessary and proper to carry out the powers of Congress.

By Mr. RUIZ:

H.R. 6283.

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

Article I, section 8, Clauses 1 and 18, of the United States Constitution, to provide for the general welfare and make all laws necessary and proper to carry out the powers of Congress.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 6284.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

. To reg-The Congress shall have Power. ulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. STEUBE:

H.R. 6285.

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

To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes:

To establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States:

To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof. and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures:

To provide for the Punishment of counterfeiting the Securities and current Coin of the United States:

To establish Post Offices and Post Roads:

To promote the Progress of Science and useful Arts, by securing for limited Times to Authors and Inventors the exclusive Right to their respective Writings and Discoveries;

To constitute Tribunals inferior to the supreme Court;

To define and punish Piracies and Felonies committed on the high Seas, and Offenses against the Law of Nations;

To declare War, grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal, and make Rules concerning Captures on Land and Water;

To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years;

To provide and maintain a Navy;

To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces;

To provide for calling forth the Militia to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections and repel Invasions;

To provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining, the Militia, and for governing such Part of them as may be employed in the Service of the United States, reserving to the States respectively, the Appointment of the Officers, and the Authority of training the Militia according to the discipline prescribed by Congress;

To exercise exclusive Legislation in all Cases whatsoever, over such District (not exceeding ten Miles square) as may, by Cession of particular States, and the acceptance of Congress, become the Seat of the Government of the United States, and to exercise like Authority over all Places purchased by the Consent of the Legislature of the State in which the Same shall be, for the Erection of Forts, Magazines, Arsenals, dock-Yards, and other needful Buildings; And

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. BURGESS:

H.R. 6286.

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

Article I, Section VIII, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, which grants Congress 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, of the United States Constitution, which grants Congress the power to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes.

By Mr. CURTIS:

H.R. 6287.

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

Article I Section 8

By Mr. RICHMOND:

H.R. 6288.

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

This bill is introduced pursuant to the powers granted to Congress under the General Welfare Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 CL 1), the Commerce Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 CL 3), and the Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. 1 Sec.

Further, this statement of constitutional authority is made for the sole purpose of compliance with clause 7 of Rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives and shall have no bearing on judicial review of the accompanying bill.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 1032: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 1461: Mr. Arrington.

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## CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE

H.R. 4347: Mr. NEGUSE.

H.R. 4549: Ms. SÁNCHEZ.

H.R. 6120: Mr. Kennedy.

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H.R. 1530: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.
H.R. 1549: Mr. Foster.
H.R. 1679: Mr. Blumenauer.
H.R. 1762: Mr. Comer.
H.R. 1767: Mr. CLAY.
H.R. 1784: Mrs. Axne.
H.R. 1858: Mr. Timmons.
H.R. 1922: Ms. Dean.
H.R. 2086: Mr. Luetkemeyer.
H.R. 2117: Mr. MITCHELL, Mr. MEUSER, M
GONZALEZ of Ohio, Mr. HURD of Texas, M
THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. WIT
MAN.
H.R. 2150: Mr. Brendan F. Boyle of Pen
sylvania.
H.R. 2166: Mr. Allred.
H.R. 2279: Ms. Blunt Rochester, Mr. Lon
and Ms. Barragán.
H.B. 2686: Mr. KENNEDY

H.R. 4560: Mr. LEVIN of Michigan. H.R. 4702: Mr. COOK. H.R. 4733: Mr. PHILLIPS. H.R. 4764: Mr. McGovern, Ms. Sewell of Alabama, and Mr. HUDSON. H.R. 4870: Mr. WALDEN. H.R. 4982: Mr. PHILLIPS. Λr. H.R. 5028: Ms. DELAURO. /Γr H.R. 5055: Mr. HILL of Arkansas. T-H.R. 5076: Mrs. Walorski and Ms. Clarke of New York. ın-H.R. 5265: Mr. SHERMAN. H.R. 5327: Ms. Mucarsel-Powell. H.R. 5390: Mr. GUEST. H.R. 5534: Mr. KILDEE and Mrs. BEATTY. H.R. 5552: Mr. Sarbanes. H.R. 5739: Mr. STEUBE, Mr. HARDER of California, Mr. NEGUSE, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER. H.R. 2733: Ms. Garcia of Texas, Ms. Jack-SON LEE, and Ms. ADAMS. H.R. 2825: Mr. KILMER. H.R. 5823: Ms. ESHOO, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, and Ms. JACKSON LEE. H.R. 2903: Mr. KING of Iowa. H.R. 5845: Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois. H.R. 3215: Mr. EVANS. H.R. 6034: Ms. NORTON. H.R. 3330: Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas. H.R. 3497: Mr. LAHOOD. H.R. 6035: Mr. McAdams. H.R. 4098: Mr. ROUZER. H.R. 6064: Mr. QUIGLEY. H.R. 4104: Mr. Webster of Florida and Mr. H.R. 6083: Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina.

H.R. 6121: Mr. LYNCH, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY. H.R. 6139: Mr. ENGEL. H.R. 6192: Mr. McAdams. H.R. 6194: Mr. BERGMAN, Mr. BOST, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. DUNN, Mr. ROY, and Mr. ZELDIN. H.R. 6198: Mr. FITZPATRICK. H.R. 6200: Mrs. HAYES. H.R. 6202: Ms. Bonamici. H.R. 6219: Mr. PHILLIPS. H.R. 6233: Mr. CARSON of Indiana. H.R. 6241: Mr. Kustoff of Tennessee, Mr. BARR, Mr. HUIZENGA, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. RIGGLEMAN, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, and Mr. TIMMONS. H.R. 6242: Mr. Kustoff of Tennessee, Mr. JOHN W. ROSE of Tennessee, Mr. LUCAS, and Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina. H.R. 6268: Mr. EVANS, Ms. HOULAHAN, Mr. SCHNEIDER, and Mr. CROW. H. Res. 214: Mr. SWALWELL of California. H. Res. 224: Mr. Krishnamoorthi.

H. Res. 862: Mr. KIM.

H. Res. 893: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.