

final rule — Civil Penalties Inflation Adjustments; Annual Adjustments [210A2100DD/AAK001030/A0A501010.999900253G] (RIN: 1076-AF49) received July 6, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4722. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Adjustment of Civil Penalties for Inflation (RIN: 1212-AB45) received June 25, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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. QUIGLEY: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 7668. A bill making appropriations for Financial Services and General Government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, and for other purposes (Rept. 116-456). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. PERLMUTTER: Committee on rules. House Resolution 1053. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6395) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2021 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 7027) making additional supplemental appropriations for disaster relief requirements for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 7327) making additional supplemental appropriations for disaster relief requirements for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 1957) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modernize and improve the Internal Revenue Service, and for other purposes (Rept. 116-457). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 7669. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, and for other purposes (Rept. 116-458). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

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. CARBAJAL (for himself, Mr. ESPAILLAT, and Mrs. TORRES of California):

H.R. 7670. A bill to prevent the establishment of a denaturalization section in the Department of Justice, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. VELA (for himself and Mr. GOODEN):

H.R. 7671. A bill to provide for the establishment of a COVID-19 Small Business Recovery Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. VELA:

H.R. 7672. A bill to provide for the establishment of a COVID-19 Victims Compensation Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. BASS (for herself, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. SIREN, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. EVANS, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. HAALAND, Mrs. HAYES, and Ms. OMAR):

H.R. 7673. A bill to ensure the United States diplomatic workforce at all levels reflects the diverse composition of the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. BEYER (for himself, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SCANLON, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. CISNEROS, Ms. DEAN, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. AXNE, Ms. PORTER, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. GABBARD, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. SABLAN, Ms. SHERRILL, Ms. SPANBERGER, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 7674. A bill to require the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to create a standardized method for State, Tribal, and local health departments to report to the Centers with respect to COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BRINDISI (for himself, Mr. BYRNE, Mr. BALDERSON, and Mr. WALTZ):

H.R. 7675. A bill to modify and extend the update of the Department of Defense Freedom of Navigation Report; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. FLORES (for himself, Mr. GALLAGHER, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. GOHMERT, and Mr. PALMER):

H.R. 7676. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for hospital and insurer price transparency; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BRINDISI (for himself and Mr. MCKINLEY):

H.R. 7677. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense to submit to Congress a report on use of domestic nonavailability determinations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BRINDISI (for himself and Mr. KATKO):

H.R. 7678. A bill to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2020 to direct the Secretary of Defense to include a description of programs to address and reduce the stigma associated with seeking assistance for mental health or suicidal thoughts in a report; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 7679. A bill to amend the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act to index the borrowing authority limit of Commodity Credit Corporation for inflation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 7680. A bill to provide for loans to critical rural utility service providers to ensure continued service and safe operation of rural utility systems during certain emergencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois (for himself, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. RUSH):

H.R. 7681. A bill to establish the Intercity Passenger Rail Trust Fund to ensure a safe, sustainable, convenient transportation option for the people of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. MCCAUL, Ms. BASS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. KILDEE, and Ms. LEE of California):

H.R. 7682. A bill to support a civilian-led democratic transition, promote accountability for human rights abuses, and encourage fiscal transparency in Sudan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and 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 Ms. FINKENAUER (for herself and Mr. HAGEDORN):

H.R. 7683. A bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to make projects that directly or indirectly increase the accessibility of affordable, quality child care eligible for certain grants, 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 Mr. GOLDEN:

H.R. 7684. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to evaluate members of the Armed Forces and veterans who have tested positive for a virus certified as a pandemic for potential exposure to open burn pits and toxic airborne chemicals or other airborne contaminants, to conduct a study on the impact of such a pandemic on members and veterans with such exposure, 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. HARDER of California:

H.R. 7685. A bill to require the Federal Trade Commission in consultation with the Internal Revenue Service to submit a report to Congress on scams targeting seniors, 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. KENNEDY:

H.R. 7686. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a program to provide full compensation to any essential COVID-19 frontline worker who was seriously injured or died as a result of having COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Ms. SLOTKIN):

H.R. 7687. A bill to protect firefighters from exposure to per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, to establish a presumption of service connection for certain veterans exposed to such substances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. KUSTOFF of Tennessee (for himself and Mr. PERLMUTTER):

H.R. 7688. A bill to amend the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 to establish a Portal for Appraiser Credentialing and AMC Registration Information, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. MCBATH:

H.R. 7689. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services, acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to support research and programmatic efforts that will build on previous research on the effects of, adverse childhood experiences; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ROUZER (for himself and Mr. GOLDEN):

H.R. 7690. A bill to establish a payment program for unexpected loss of markets and revenues to timber harvesting and timber hauling businesses due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. BARRAGÁN, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. COOPER, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Ms. HAALAND, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Ms. PORTER, Mr. ROSE of New York, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. WILD, and Ms. JAYAPAL):

H.R. 7691. A bill to amend subtitle A of title II of division A of the CARES Act to provide Pandemic Unemployment Assistance to individuals with mixed income sources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. TITUS:

H.R. 7692. A bill to provide a grant program for elementary schools, secondary schools, and institutions of higher education to help offset costs associated with complying with guidelines, recommendations, and other public health communications issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, or a State, Indian Tribe, Tribal organization, or locality related to mitigating the hazards presented by COVID-19; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ (for herself, Mr. SUOZZI, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. SAN NICOLAS):

H.R. 7693. A bill to establish a grant program to fund the installation of green roof systems on public school buildings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. BISHOP of Georgia:

H. Res. 1054. A resolution expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable John Lewis; considered and agreed to. considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MCCAUL:

H. Res. 1055. A resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make corrections in the engrossment of H.R. 6395; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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. CRIST (for himself, Mr. JOHNSON of Louisiana, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Mrs. RODGERS of Washington, Mr. SOTO, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. HASTINGS, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. PHILLIPS, and Mrs. DINGELL):

H. Res. 1056. A resolution supporting the designation of a National Day of Civility; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

MEMORIALS

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

180. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 8, urging Congress to encourage the Administrator of the FMCSA to change the crash indicator BASIC regulation standards to consider only crashes in which the driver was at fault for the crash; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

181. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 124, to memorialize the Congress of the United States to help the state of Michigan, schools, and local governments address revenue shortfalls during the Covid-19 Pandemic; jointly to the Committees on Oversight and Reform and Education and Labor.

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. CARBAJAL:

H.R. 7670.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. VELA:

H.R. 7671.

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

Article 1, Section 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.

By Mr. VELA:

H.R. 7672.

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

Article 1, Section 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.

By Ms. BASS:

H.R. 7673.

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

Article I Section I

By Mr. BEYER:

H.R. 7674.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. BRINDISI:

H.R. 7675.

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

Article I, Section 8, United States Constitution.

By Mr. FLORES:

H.R. 7676.

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

Article 1, 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. BRINDISI:

H.R. 7677.

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

Article I, Section 8, United States Constitution.

By Mr. BRINDISI:

H.R. 7678.

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

Article I, Section 8, United States Constitution

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 7679.

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

Article I, Sec. 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power To . . . To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;

By Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 7680.

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

Article 1, Sec. 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power To . . . To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;

By Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 7681.

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 Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 7682.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution.

By Ms. FINKENAUER:

H.R. 7683.

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. GOLDEN:

H.R. 7684.

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

The power of Congress "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy", "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval forces", and to "provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States" as enumerated in Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. HARDER of California:

H.R. 7685.

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

U.S. Const. art I, Sec 8

By Mr. KENNEDY:

H.R. 7686.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 7687.

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

Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. KUSTOFF of Tennessee:

H.R. 7688.

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