

Authority under Section 614(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to Provide Assistance to Ukraine; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-6597. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's Inspector General's semi-annual report for April 1, 2024 through September 30, 2024, pursuant to section 5(b) of the Inspector General Act of 1978, as amended; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6598. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting four (4) notifications of a vacancy and nominations and an additional report on departure of ambassadors; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6599. A letter from the Chair, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting the Commission's Office of the Inspector General Semiannual Report to Congress for the period ending September 30, 2024; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6600. A letter from the Chair, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's Inspector General Semiannual Report to Congress for the period April 1, 2024 through September 30, 2024; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6601. A letter from the Chair, National Endowment for the Humanities, transmitting the Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2024, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a)(1); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 107-289, Sec. 2(a)); (116 Stat. 2049); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6602. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, National Labor Relations Board, transmitting the Board's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2024, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a)(1); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 107-289, Sec. 2(a)); (116 Stat. 2049); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6603. A letter from the Senior Regulation Writer, Office of Legislation and Congressional Affairs, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Availability of Information and Records to the Public [Docket No.: SSA-2021-0049] (RIN: 0960-A107) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6604. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting proposed legislation concerning reimbursement for corrections and permanent authority regarding VERA/VSIP processing costs; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6605. A letter from the Executive Secretary, United States Agency for International Development (USAID), transmitting a notification of a discontinuation of service in acting role, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6606. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Legislative Affairs, United States Agency for International Development (USAID), transmitting the Agency's Fiscal Year 2024 Agency Financial Report, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a)(1); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 107-289, Sec. 2(a)); (116 Stat. 2049); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-6607. A letter from the Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, transmitting the fourth annual report to Congress on the National Volcano Early Warning System (NVEWS), October 1, 2022 to

September 30, 2023; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-6608. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Division of Natural Resources and Conservation Planning, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Permitting of Rights-of-Way Across National Wildlife Refuges and Other U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service-Administered Lands [Docket No.: FWS-HQ-NWRS-2019-0017; FF09R50000-XXX-FVRS3451900000] (RIN: 1018-BD78) received December 23, 2024, 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.

EC-6609. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting the annual report for fiscal year 2024 on compliance by the United States district courts and courts of appeals with the time limitations established for deciding habeas corpus death penalty petitions, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2266(c)(5); Public Law 104-132, Sec. 107(a); (110 Stat. 1226) and 28 U.S.C. 2266(b)(5)(A); Added by Public Law 104-132, Sec. 107(a); (110 Stat. 1225); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6610. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting a report entitled "Violence Against Women Act Reauthorization Act of 2022: Section 1307 Report — Interagency Working Group to Study Federal Efforts to Collect Data on Sexual Violence"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6611. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting the Conference's report on the continuing need for bankruptcy authorized judgeships, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 152(b)(3); Public Law 98-353, Sec. 104(a) (as amended by Public Law 102-361, Sec. 4); (106 Stat. 966); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6612. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Integration of Powered-Lift; Pilot Certification and Operations; Miscellaneous Amendments Related to Rotocraft and Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2023-1275; Amdt. Nos. 1-78, 11-69, 43-62, 60-8, 61-157, 91-379, 97-1840, 111-2, 135-147, 136-4, 141-26, 142-11, and 194-1] (RIN: 2120-AL72) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6613. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulatory Updates to BasicMed [Docket No.: FAA-2024-2580; Amdt. Nos. 11-70, 61-158, 68-3, and 91-380] (RIN: 2120-AM06) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6614. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2024-1468; Project Identifier MCAI-2023-00975-T; Amendment 39-22840; AD 2024-18-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6615. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 31580; Amdt. No.: 4143] received December 23, 2024, pursuant to

5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6616. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Establishment of Class E Airspace; Zeeland, MI [Docket No.: FAA-2024-2084; Airspace Docket No.: 24-AGL-14] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6617. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 31581; Amdt. No.: 4144] received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6618. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Class D and Class E Airspace; Abbotsford Airport, Abbotsford, BC [Docket No.: FAA-2024-2440; Airspace Docket No.: 24-ANM-86] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6619. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2024-0228; Project Identifier MCAI-2022-00599-T; Amendment 39-22881; AD 2024-23-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6620. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class E Airspace; Ottumwa, IA [Docket No.: FAA-2024-2293; Airspace Docket No.: 24-ACE-8] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6621. A letter from the Management Analyst, FAA, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Implementing the Whistleblower Provisions of the Vehicle Safety Act [Docket No.: NHTSA-2023-0014] (RIN: 2127-AL85) received December 23, 2024, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-6622. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Attorney General's Fourth Quarterly Report of FY 2024 on the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 4332(b)(2); Public Law 103-353, Sec. 2(a) (as added by Public Law 110-389, Sec. 312(c)); (122 Stat. 4165); jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Veterans' Affairs.

#### 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. ROGERS of Alabama: Committee on Armed Services. Report on the Activities of

the Committee on Armed Services for the One Hundred Eighteenth Congress (Rept. 118-961). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ARRINGTON: Committee on the Budget. Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget House of Representatives One Hundred Eighteenth Congress (Rept. 118-962). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. JORDAN: Committee on the Judiciary. Activity Report of the Committee on the Judiciary of the United States House of Representatives (Rept. 118-963). 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 Ms. LEE of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 10563. A bill to ensure efficiency and fairness in Federal subcontracting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, and in addition to the Committee on Small Business, 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. Res. 1626. A resolution expressing the profound regret and sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of James Earl Carter, Jr., thirty-ninth President of the United States of America; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia (for herself, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. COSTA, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. TONKO, Mr. THANEDAR, Ms. MENG, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. PORTER, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, and Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE):

H. Res. 1627. A resolution honoring the life, achievements, legacy, and public service of former President James Earl "Jimmy" Carter, Jr; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY AND SINGLE SUBJECT STATEMENTS

Pursuant to clause 7(e)(1) of rule XII and Section 3(c) of H. Res. 5 the following statements are submitted regarding (1) the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to

enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution and (2) the single subject of the bill or joint resolution.

By Ms. LEE of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 10563.

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

Article I, Section 8, clause 3 provides Congress with the power to "regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes."

The single subject of this legislation is: Government Operations and Politics

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 681: Mr. NEGUSE.

H.R. 2923: Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 3228: Mr. NEGUSE.

H.R. 4974: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 8370: Mr. MFUME.

H.R. 8635: Ms. SPANBERGER.

H.R. 10549: Mr. BURLISON, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. GOOD of Virginia, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. ROSENDALE, Mr. SELF, Mr. POSEY, Ms. BOEBERT, and Mr. BRECHEEN.

H. Res. 1530: Ms. PORTER.