EC-1895. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Annual Report to the Congress of the United States On Sanitation Deficiency Levels for Indian Homes and Communities for Fiscal Year 2024, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 1671; Public Law 94-437, Sec. 701 (as amended by Public Law 102-573, Sec. 801); (106 Stat. 4584); jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and Energy and Commerce.

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:

[Submitted September 5, 2025]

Mr. JOYCE of Ohio: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5166. A bill making appropriations for financial services and general government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes (Rept. 119–236). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

[Submitted September 8, 2025]

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3423. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to include aircraft deicing storage facilities in the definition of airport development, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–237). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3424. A bill to require the Administrator of the General Services Administration to collaborate with Federal tenants with respect to shared-space arrangements, and for other purposes (Rept. 119–238). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3425. A bill to direct the Director of the Federal Protective Service to establish processes to strengthen oversight, performance, and accountability of contract security personnel engaged in the protection of certain buildings and grounds, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–239). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3426. A bill to amend title 40, United States Code, to limit the construction of new courthouses under certain circumstances, and for other purposes (Rept. 119–240). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3428. A bill to require the Comptroller General of the United States to conduct a review of the Mid-Atlantic River Basin Commissions, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-241). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2591. A bill to require the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to revise regulations for certain individuals carrying out aviation activities who disclose a mental health diagnosis or condition, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–242). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRAVES: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3055. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to develop an action plan on members of the Armed Forces eligible for preseparation counseling and veterans becoming supply chain employees, and for other purposes;

with an amendment (Rept. 119–243, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 3446. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to revise the membership requirements for the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and for other purposes (Rept. 119–244). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4423. A bill to continue the pause on disbursements and new financing commitments to the Government of Burma, with an amendment (Rept. 119–245). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4429. A bill to require the Securities and Exchange Commission to revise the definition of a qualifying investment, for purposes of the exemption from registration for venture capital fund advisers under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, to include an equity security issued by a qualifying portfolio company and to include an investment in another venture capital fund, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–246). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4430. A bill to lower the aggregate market value of voting and non-voting common equity necessary for an issuer to qualify as a well-known seasoned issuer, with an amendment (Rept. 119–247). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4431. A bill to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 with respect to the definition of qualifying venture capital funds, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–248). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4437. A bill to reduce the regulatory burden on certain well managed and well capitalized financial institutions, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–249). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4449. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to establish Offices of Small Business within rule writing divisions of the Securities and Exchange Commission to coordinate on rules and policy priorities related to capital formation (Rept. 119–250). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4460. A bill to require a guidance clarity statement on certain financial agency guidance, and for other purposes (Rept. 119–251). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4478. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to permit Federal banking agencies to examine qualifying insured depository institutions with under \$6 billion in total assets not less than once during each 18-month period, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-252). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4544. A bill to direct certain Federal banking and credit union agencies to promote the formation of de novo regulated institutions through the review of application processes, the review of

capital raising by de novo regulated institutions, and the establishment of various outreach programs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 119–253). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HILL of Arkansas: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 3673. A bill to amend the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to increase the exemption from registration threshold for certain investment advisers of private funds to reflect the change in inflation, with an amendment (Rept. 119–254). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committees on Armed Services and Veterans' Affairs discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3055 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. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 5167. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2026 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Inteligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Mr. HERNÁNDEZ (for himself, Mr. BACON, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Lawler, Mr. Soto, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. SALAZAR, and Ms. HOULAHAN):

H.R. 5168. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to transition the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico to the supplemental nutrition assistance program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. ALLEN:

H.R. 5169. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide a clear definition of adequate consideration for certain closely held stock, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Workforce.

By Mr. BALDERSON:

H.R. 5170. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to preserve cable franchising authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BENTZ (for himself and Mr. NEWHOUSE):

H.R. 5171. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to reissue a final rule relating to gray wolves; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. BIGGS of Arizona (for himself and Mr. Donalds):

H.R. 5172. A bill to increase the mandatory minimum sentences applicable to certain crimes in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. CRAIG:

H.R. 5173. A bill to require social media companies to use geofencing to block access to their social media platforms on K-12 education campuses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. CROCKETT:

H.R. 5174. A bill to make revisions in title 51, United States Code, as necessary to keep the title current, and to make technical amendments to improve the United States Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CROW (for himself and Mr. CRANK):

H.R. 5175. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense to initiate discussions, through the Quad, with Australia, India, and Japan to identify mutual areas of interest with respect to the formulation of best practices in space, cooperation on space situational awareness, and space industrial policy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. DELUZIO:

H.R. 5176. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require reporting of certain price increases for covered contracts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services

By Mr. DONALDS:

H.R. 5177. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, with respect to the enforcement of certain safety requirements relating to commercial motor vehicle drivers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DUNN of Florida (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mr. FIGURES, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. MCIVER, Mr. FIELDS, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Ms. TLAIB, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina, Mr. SOTO, Ms. BUDZINSKI, Ms. SEWELL, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mr. MOULTON):

H.R. 5178. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to enable State Medicaid programs to provide comprehensive, coordinated care through a health home to individuals with sickle cell disease; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. FALLON:

H.R. 5179. A bill to amend the District of Columbia Home Rule Act to provide for the appointment of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia by the President, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. FINSTAD:

H.R. 5180. A bill to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2000 to modify and extend the annual report on military and security developments involving the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. FOXX:

H.R. 5181. A bill to amend the Scholarships for Opportunity and Results Act to make improvements in the program for awarding school choice scholarships to students in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. GOLDMAN of New York:

H.R. 5182. A bill to make improvements in the enactment of title 54, United States Code, into a positive law title and to correct related technical errors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mr. COMER, and Ms. HAGEMAN):

H.R. 5183. A bill to amend the District of Columbia Home Rule Act to establish a uniform 60-day congressional review period for District of Columbia laws, to clarify the expedited procedures applicable to consideration of resolutions of disapproval of District of Columbia laws, to authority the use of resolutions of disapproval to disapprove provisions of District of Columbia laws and District of Columbia executive orders and regulations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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 Mrs. HOUCHIN (for herself and Mr. FLOOD):

H.R. 5184. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Energy from enforcing energy efficiency standards applicable to manufactured housing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE:

H.R. 5185. A bill to make improvements in the enactment of title 41, United States Code, into a positive law title and to improve the Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KHANNA (for himself, Mr. GARAMENDI, and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 5186. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Defense to carry out a program to support the defense biotechnology supply chain, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA (for himself, Mr. GARAMENDI, and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 5187. A bill to establish in the Department of Defense a program to support the expansion of domestic bioindustrial manufacturing capacity; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 5188. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to establish blast safety officer positions in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Space Force; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 5189. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require biennial assessments on the nutrition standards of the military departments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 5190. A bill to expand the contested logistics demonstration and prototyping program to include commercial additive manufacturing facilities in contested logistics environments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA (for himself, Mr. GARAMENDI, and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 5191. A bill to direct the Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering to issue guidance for private entities on demonstrating how biobased products meet Department of Defense requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 5192. A bill to modify the annual report on the Navy Shipyard Infrastructure Optimization Program; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KHANNA (for himself, Mr. GARAMENDI, and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 5193. A bill to direct the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to conduct a feasibility study on incorporating militarily-relevant applications of emerging biotechnology into wargaming exercises, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KILEY of California (for himself and Mr. Moore of West Virginia): H.R. 5194. A bill to prescribe Guiding Principles for Federal Architecture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself, Mr. VALADAO, Ms. BROWNLEY, Mr. BACON, Mr. CASE and Mr. OBERNOLTE).

H.R. 5195. A bill to amend section 7014 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to advance toward full Federal funding for impact aid, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Workforce.

By Mrs. LUNA:

H.R. 5196. A bill to cancel the registration of all uses of the pesticide diquat, and for

other purposes; to the Committees on Agriculture and Energy and Commerce .

By Ms. MALLIOTAKIS:

H.R. 5197. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to limit cost sharing for drugs under the Medicare program; to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Mr. MANN (for himself, Ms. TOKUDA, Mr. ZINKE, Mr. CISCOMANI, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. FIELDS, Mr. MANNION, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. COSTA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. PAPPAS, Ms. BOEBERT, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska):

H.R. 5198. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to maintain standards for qualification as a rural health clinic under the Medicare program; 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. MANN (for himself, Ms. TOKUDA, Mr. ZINKE, Mr. CISCOMANI, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. FIELDS, Mr. MANNION, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. COSTA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. PAPPAS, Ms. BOEBERT, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska):

H.R. 5199. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to modernize physician, physician assistant, and nurse practitioner utilization requirements; 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 Ms. MATSUI (for herself and Mr. BILIRAKIS):
H.R. 5200. A bill to direct the Federal Com-

H.R. 5200. A bill to direct the Federal Communications Commission to issue reports after activation of the Disaster Information Reporting System and to make improvements to network outage reporting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MATSUI (for herself and Mr. BILJRAKIS):

H.R. 5201. A bill to direct the Federal Communications Commission to publish a report on implementation of the Kari's Law Act of 2017, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MORRISON (for herself and Mrs. HINSON):

H.R. 5202. A bill to address maternity care shortages and promote optimal maternity outcomes by expanding access to birth centers and exploring more effective payment models for birth center care, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MORRISON:

H.R. 5203. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to update directives of the Department of Veterans Affairs regarding the management of acute sexual assault, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MOSKOWITZ:

H.R. 5204. A bill to make technical amendments to update statutory references to certain provisions classified to title 7, title 20, and title 43, United States Code, and to correct related technical errors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEGUSE (for himself, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. CASE, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. SUOZZI)

H.R. 5205. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize owners or operators of general aviation airports to impose

certain restrictions relating to aircraft noise, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastruc-

> By Mr. NORCROSS (for himself, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Ms. SIMON, Mr. MAG-AZINER, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. McIver, Ms. HOYLE of Oregon, Mr. DELUZIO, Ms. Budzinski, Mrs. Ramirez, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. CASAR, Ms. Jayapal, Ms. Barragán, Ms. Adams, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Menendez, Ms. CHU, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. POCAN, Ms. OMAR, Ms. RANDALL, and Mr. CARSON):

H.R. 5206. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Social Security Act to provide that an individual engaged in a labor dispute may receive unemployment benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. OGLES:

H.R. 5207. A bill to amend the District of Columbia Home Rule Act to permit the President to make certain extensions of the emergency period during which the President may exercise control over the Metropolitan Police Department; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

> By Mr. PANETTA (for himself, Mr. MOORE of Utah, Mrs. KIGGANS of Virginia, Ms. Strickland, Mr. Riley of New York, Ms. GOODLANDER, and Ms. JACOBS):

H.R. 5208. A bill to amend title 37, United States Code, to exclude the basic allowance for housing from the calculation of gross household income for purposes of the basic needs allowance for eligible members of the Armed Forces: to the Committee on Armed Services

> By Ms. PLASKETT (for herself, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. Waters, Ms. Delbene, Mr. BEYER, Ms. CHU, Ms. SEWELL, Ms. Moore of Wisconsin, Mr. Suozzi, Mr. GOMEZ. Mr. EVANS of Pennsylvania. Mr. PANETTA, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Mr. Amo. Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. WATSON Coleman, Mr. Mfume, Mrs. Foushee. and Ms. WILSON of Florida):

H.R. 5209. A bill to modify the special rules for Haiti under the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act, to extend preferential duty treatment program for Haiti under that Act, and for other purposes: to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RASKIN:

H.R. 5210. A bill to make technical amendments to update statutory references to certain provisions classified to title 2, United States Code, title 50, United States Code, and title 52, United States Code, and to correct related technical errors: to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHMIDT:

H.R. 5211. A bill to authorize peace officer standards and training agencies to access criminal history records, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCHOLTEN:

H.R. 5212. A bill to amend section 9 of the Small Business Act to permit Federal agencies to make awards to small business concerns that have received a Phase II SBIR or STTR award to provide fellowship opportunities, and for other purposes; to the Committees on Small Business and Science, Space, and Technology

> By Ms. STEFANIK (for herself, Mr. JAMES, and Mr. MOORE of North Carolina):

H.R. 5213. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to prohibit the award of Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants to States or units of local government that limit the use of cash bail; to the Committee on the Judici-

> By Ms. STEFANIK (for herself, Mr. JAMES, and Mr. MOORE of North Caro-

H.R. 5214. A bill to require mandatory pretrial and post conviction detention for crimes of violence and dangerous crimes and require mandatory cash bail for certain offenses that pose a threat to public safety or order in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. STEVENS:

H.R. 5215. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to establish a pilot program to develop a training program that teaches members of the Armed Forces to interact with digital information in a safe and responsible manner, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. TITUS:

H.R. 5216. A bill to require the Secretary of Transportation, to issue regulations and guidance to allow certain regional transportation planning organizations to increase spare bus ratios to 30 percent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. TOKUDA (for herself, Mr. MANN, Mr. ZINKE, Mr. CISCOMANI, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. FIELDS, Mr. MANNION, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. Costa, Mr. Baird, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. PAPPAS, Ms. BOEBERT, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska):

H.R. 5217. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to remove certain limitations on the delivery of behavioral health services at rural health clinics under the Medicare program; 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. BELL (for himself. Mr. THANEDAR, Mr. LAWLER, Mrs. WATSON Coleman, Ms. Dean of Pennsylvania. Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Mrs. McIver, Ms. Brownley, Ms. McCol-LUM, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. LANDSMAN, Ms. Kelly of Illinois, Mr. Johnson of Georgia, Ms. CROCKETT, Mr. KEATING, Ms. Chu, Mr. Tran, Mr. Moulton, Ms. NORTON, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHI, Ansari, Ms. Budzinski, Ms. Ms. CRAIG, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. PLASKETT, Mrs. FOUSHEE, Ms. FRIEDMAN, and Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia):

H. Res. 680. A resolution recognizing suicide as a serious public health problem, expressing support for the designation of September 8, 2025, as ''988 Day'' and the role of 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. WITTMAN (for himself, Mr. KEATING, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. TITUS, and Mr. LATTA):

H. Res. 681. A resolution commemorating the service of General Lafayette to the United States on the bicentennial of his farewell tour: to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

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

ML-15. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Washington, relative to Senate Joint Memorial 8008, rescinding, repealing, canceling, voiding, nullifying, and superseding any and all prior applications by the Legislature to the Congress of the United States of America to call a Constitutional Convention to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United Sates pursuant to the terms of Article V of the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ML-16. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Montana, relative to Senate Resolution 14, urging the Congress to include Montanans in the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act; to the Committee on the Ju-

ML-17. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Montana, relative to House Joint Resolution 17, urging the Congress and the President of the United States to undertake action to unleash American energy by reforming and streamlining permitting obligation and repealing or revising environmental regulations and environmental reviews that do not align with national security interests; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Natural Resources, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Financial Services.

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. JOYCE:

H.R. 5166

Congress has the power to enact this legis-

lation 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 Mr. CRAWFORD:

H.R. 5167.

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

Congress has the authority to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution, which states, in part that Congress shall have the power to "provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States. . ." and "to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carying into execution the foregoing powers.'

By Mr. HERNÁNDEZ:

H.R. 5168.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. ALLEN:

H R. 5169

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

clause 18 of section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution

By Mr. BALDERSON:

H.R. 5170.