

Services, transmitting report titled: The Medicare Beneficiary and competitive Acquisition Ombudsmen Report to Congress for Calendar Years 2022 — 2024, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395b-9(c)(2)(C); Public Law 108-173, Sec. 923(a); (117 Stat. 2394) and 42 U.S.C. 1395w-3(f); Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, title XVIII, Sec. 1847 (as amended by Public Law 110-275, title I, Sec. 154); (122 Stat. 2565); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means 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:

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 9391. A bill to authorize an extension and expansion of the reimbursable screening services program of the Transportation Security Administration, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-739). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 9388. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize an extension of a program to permit screened passengers and their property arriving on direct flights or flight segments originating at certain foreign last point of departure airports to continue on additional flights or flight segments originating in the United States without additional screening, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-740). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 9328. A bill to improve travel for active-duty military personnel and accompanying family, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 119-741). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 8535. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to develop performance metrics relating to the detection, deterrence, and seizure of fentanyl, with amendments (Rept. 119-742). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 8874. A bill to amend the James M. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023 to require recurring reports on the transition of jurisdictions no longer eligible for Urban Area Security Initiative funding, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-743). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GARBARINO: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 3106. A bill to require the Secretary of Homeland Security to conduct a collective response to a terrorism exercise that includes the management of cascading effects on critical infrastructure during times of extreme cold weather, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-744). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. STELL: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 3535. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to apply the prohibition against contributions and donations by foreign nationals in connection with elections to contributions or donations in connection with ballot initiatives and referenda (Rept. 119-745). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GUTHRIE: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 4541. A bill to reauthorize

the Young Women's Breast Health Education and Awareness Requires Learning Young Act of 2009, with an amendment (Rept. 119-746). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. STELL: Committee on House Administration. H.R. 8720. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to modify requirements regarding contributions related to elections for Federal office and to improve the operation of the Federal Election Commission, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 119-747). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. WALBERG: Committee on Education and Workforce. H.R. 8684. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to require group health plans and health insurance issuers offering group health insurance coverage to only pay claims submitted by hospitals that have in place policies and procedures to ensure accurate billing practices, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 119-748). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Ms. FOXX: Committee on Rules. H. Res. 1423. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 139) to make daylight savings time permanent, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 8595) making appropriations for national security, Department of State, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2027, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 9237) to amend titles 10 and 38, United States Code, and other Federal laws, to improve benefits for veterans and the administration of the Department of Veterans Affairs; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1181) to prohibit payment card networks and covered entities from requiring the use of or assigning merchant category codes that distinguish a firearms retailer from general-merchandise retailer or sporting-goods retailer, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (Rept. 119-749). Referred to the House Calendar.

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. TENNEY (for herself and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 9641. A bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to require certain facilities to permit visits from an essential caregiver during certain periods; 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. MOOLENAAR:

H.R. 9642. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide payment under part A of the Medicare program on a reasonable cost basis for anesthesia services furnished by an anesthesiologist in certain rural hospitals and critical access hospitals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 9643. A bill to amend section 206 of the E-Government Act of 2002 to improve the integrity and management of mass comments and computer-generated comments in the regulatory review process, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. MORAN:

H.R. 9644. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to promote transparency

of Medicare Advantage plan information; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. SMITH of Missouri:

H.R. 9645. A bill to promote health care price transparency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and Workforce, 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. HURD of Colorado (for himself and Mr. CARBAJAL):

H.R. 9646. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a quantum-enhanced critical minerals survey, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. BONAMICI (for herself, Mr. MOYLAN, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. ROSS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. AMO, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, and Ms. PINGREE):

H.R. 9647. A bill to prohibit the National Science Foundation from obligating or expending Federal funds to descope or decommission the Ocean Observatories Initiative instruments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. BACON (for himself and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 9648. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to issue a recommendation to the President and the Senate regarding the restoration of the retired rank of General John D. Lavelle, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BURCHETT:

H.R. 9649. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to improve the accuracy of estimates of retail food store trafficking in the supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits, to strengthen penalties for trafficking violations, to require reporting information to the Congress; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. EZELL (for himself and Mr. CARBAJAL):

H.R. 9650. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to establish a crime for altering, removing, or affixing unauthorized vessel identification numbers and trafficking certain vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HARIDOPOLIS:

H.R. 9651. A bill to authorize the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to conduct a pilot program for investment in infrastructure projects at NASA Centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Ms. KING-HINDS:

H.R. 9652. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a minor medical facility project in Saipan, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KNOTT:

H.R. 9653. A bill to establish special rules for certain agency adjudications, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 9654. A bill to amend the National Capital Revitalization and Self-Government Improvement Act of 1997 to treat domestic partnerships as marriage for purposes of the program of benefits paid by the Federal government for survivors of a District of Columbia police officer, firefighter, or teacher in

the same manner and to the same extent that domestic partnerships are treated as marriage for purposes of such benefits which are paid by the District of Columbia, to conform the age limit after which a surviving spouse of a police officer, firefighter, or teacher may remarry without losing survivor benefits under such program to the age limit established with respect to survivor benefits of Federal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. RILEY of New York (for himself and Mr. VAN DREW):

H.R. 9655. A bill to amend the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to add a standard prohibiting the recovery of costs associated with data centers by certain electric utilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ROY (for himself, Mr. CLOUD, Mr. BRECHEN, and Mr. MOORE of Alabama):

H.R. 9656. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to require hospitals participating in Federal health care programs to report certain information related to immigration status; 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. SMITH of Washington (for himself, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, and Ms. SANCHEZ):

H.R. 9657. A bill to impose an excise tax on the failure of certain hedge funds owning excess single-family residences to dispose of such residences, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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 Mrs. SPARTZ (for herself and Mr. MASSIE):

H.R. 9658. A bill to amend the Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act to make certain improvements relating to mandatory Nuclear Regulatory Commission hearings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. STANTON (for himself, Ms. ANSARI, and Mrs. GRIJALVA):

H.R. 9659. A bill to transfer certain unobligated funds appropriated to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement under the Secure America Act to the Department of Education to carry out programs under part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Workforce, and Homeland Security, 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. TENNEY:

H.R. 9660. A bill to prohibit the use of funds by the intelligence community for research, development, or technical support performed by any National Laboratory that lacks certain security measures; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Mr. WILSON of South Carolina:

H. Res. 1424. A resolution expressing the profound sorrow of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable Lindsey Graham; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas:

H. Res. 1425. A resolution honoring Transportation Security Officers for their sacrifice and dedication to public service during Fed-

eral Government shutdowns; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania (for himself, Ms. TENNEY, Mrs. HOUGHIN, Mr. CLOUD, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MEUSER, Mr. FULLER, Mr. STEUBE, Mr. HUNT, Mr. McDOWELL, Mr. LANGWORTHY, Mr. RULLI, and Mr. MOORE of Alabama):

H. Res. 1426. A resolution remembering the life of Corey Comperatore who passed away on Saturday, July 13, 2024; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. SANCHEZ (for herself, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. BRESNAHAN, Mr. FIGURES, Mr. CISCOMANI, Mr. STANTON, Ms. SIMON, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mr. CARBAJAL, Ms. CHU, Mr. CORREA, Mr. COSTA, Mr. GALLAGHER, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. MIN, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. BERA, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. BROWNLEY, Mr. GOMEZ, Mr. PETERS, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. RIVAS, Mr. CROW, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. FROST, Mr. RUTHERFORD, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. SOTO, Mr. BEAN of Florida, Mr. BISHOP, Mrs. MCBATH, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Ms. TOKUDA, Ms. BUDZINSKI, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. BOST, Mr. SORESEN, Mr. CARSON, Mr. MCGARVEY, Mr. CARTER of Louisiana, Mr. IVEY, Mr. HOYER, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. OLSZEWSKI, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. KEATING, Mrs. TRAHAN, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. McDONALD RIVET, Ms. SCHOLTEN, Mr. THANEDAR, Mr. BERGMAN, Ms. STEVENS, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. CRAIG, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. GUEST, Mr. BELL, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. LEE of Nevada, Ms. TITUS, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. KEAN, Ms. MEJIA, Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. LEGER FERNANDEZ, Mr. VASQUEZ, Ms. STANSBURY, Mr. KENNEDY of New York, Mr. LAWLER, Mr. MANNION, Ms. MENG, Mr. MORELLE, Mr. RYAN, Mr. TONKO, Mr. TORRES of New York, Mr. GARBARINO, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. LALOTA, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina, Ms. ROSS, Mrs. FOUSHEE, Ms. BROWN, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LANDSMAN, Mrs. SYKES, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. DEXTER, Ms. SALINAS, Mr. DELUZIO, Mr. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania, Mr. EVANS of Pennsylvania, Mr. MACKENZIE, Ms. LEE of Pennsylvania, Ms. SCANLON, Ms. HOULAHAN, Mr. AMO, Mr. MAGAZINER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CASAR, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. VICENTE GONZALEZ of Texas, Mrs. FLETCHER, Ms. MCCLELLAN, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. PEREZ, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. STRICKLAND, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Ms. RANDALL, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. POCAN, Mr. VAN ORDEN, Mrs. MCIVER, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. SUBRAMANYAM, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mrs. MILLER of West Virginia, and Mr. VINDMAN):

H. Res. 1427. A resolution expressing support for the designation of July 10th as Journeyman Lineworkers Recognition Day; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SIMON (for herself, Ms. PRESSLEY, and Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE):

H. Res. 1428. A resolution expressing support for Reproductive Justice on the 250th Anniversary of the United States of America; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Education and Workforce, 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.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

ML-105. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to Senate Concurrent Memorial 1004, urging the Congress of the United States to limit the authority of the United States Environmental Protection Agency; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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 by Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Ms. TENNEY:

H.R. 9641.

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

Article I

By Mr. MOOLENAAR:

H.R. 9642.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3: To regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes; and

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 9643.

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. MORAN:

H.R. 9644.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SMITH of Missouri:

H.R. 9645.

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

Constitutional Authority Statement

Pursuant to clause 7(c) of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statement is submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill:

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to clause 3 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the Commerce Clause) and clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the Taxing and Spending Clause).

By Mr. HURD of Colorado:

H.R. 9646.

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