

Mr. ROGERS of Michigan: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. H.R. 754. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2011 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-72). 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. STARK (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Ms. MOORE, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. CHU, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. QUIGLEY, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. ELLISON, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. OLVER, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. WU, Mr. POLIS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Ms. RICHARDSON, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MORAN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. NADLER, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, and Mr. WEINER):

H.R. 1681. A bill to prohibit discrimination in adoption or foster care placements based on the sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status of any prospective adoptive or foster parent, or the sexual orientation or gender identity of the child involved; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROSS of Arkansas:

H.R. 1682. A bill to promote alternative and renewable fuels and domestic energy production, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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. GINGREY of Georgia (for himself, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PITTS, Mr. HARPER, and Mr. LANCE):

H.R. 1683. A bill to restore the long-standing partnership between States and the Federal Government in managing the Medicaid program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SUTTON (for herself, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. JONES, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. MICHAUD, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. COHEN, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Mr. OLVER, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. TONKO, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. DOYLE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Ms. PINGREE of Maine):

H.R. 1684. A bill to require the use of American iron, steel, and manufactured goods in the construction, alteration, and repair of public water systems and treatment works; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mrs. BIGGERT (for herself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MCNERNEY, and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 1685. A bill to establish programs to accelerate, provide incentives for, and examine the challenges and opportunities associated with the deployment of electric drive vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Oversight and Government Reform, Ways and Means, and the Budget, 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. SHIMKUS (for himself, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, and Mr. RUSH):

H.R. 1686. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 200 South Morgan Street in Shelbyville, Illinois, as the "Jesse M. Donaldson Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. SHIMKUS (for himself, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BARTLETT, and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 1687. A bill to amend chapter 329 of title 49, United States Code, to ensure that new vehicles enable fuel competition so as to reduce the strategic importance of oil to the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RUNYAN:

H.R. 1688. A bill to provide for pay parity for civilian employees serving at joint military installations; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. HIRONO, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Ms. MOORE, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. RUSH, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. HOLT, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. WELCH, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. TONKO, Mr. FARR, Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. CICILLINE, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. KEATING, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. NADLER, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CAPPAS, Ms. BASS of California, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. HIGGINS, Ms. SUTTON, and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 1689. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to disallow the deduction for income attributable to domestic production activities with respect to oil and gas activities of major integrated oil companies; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROGERS of Alabama (for himself, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. WALSH of Illinois, and Mr. BROOKS):

H.R. 1690. A bill to amend titles 49 and 46, United States Code, and the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to provide for certain improvements in surface transportation security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Ms. RICHARDSON:

H.R. 1691. A bill to clarify the application of section 14501(d) of title 49, United States Code, to prevent the imposition of unreasonable transportation terminal fees; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. POLIS:

H.R. 1692. A bill to amend part D of title V of the Elementary and Secondary Education

Act of 1965 to provide grants to schools for the development of asthma management plans and the purchase of asthma medications and devices for emergency use, as necessary; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CARNEY:

H.R. 1693. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make the research credit permanent and to increase the alternative simplified research credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 1694. A bill to require the President to issue guidance on Federal response to a large-scale nuclear disaster; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. ESHOO (for herself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. MATSUI, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 1695. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Transportation to require that broadband conduit be installed as part of certain highway construction projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GERLACH:

H.R. 1696. A bill to establish an Office of Public Advocate within the Department of Justice to provide services and guidance to citizens in dealing with concerns involving the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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 Mr. LUETKEMEYER:

H.R. 1697. A bill to enhance the ability of community banks to foster economic growth and serve their communities, boost small businesses, increase individual savings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Agriculture, 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. MYRICK:

H.R. 1698. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase penalties for employing illegal aliens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. POE of Texas (for himself and Mr. WEST):

H.R. 1699. A bill to prohibit assistance to Pakistan; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. PRICE of Georgia (for himself and Mr. SESSIONS):

H.R. 1700. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a Medicare payment option for patients and physicians or practitioners to freely contract, without penalty, for Medicare fee-for-service items and services, while allowing Medicare beneficiaries to use their Medicare benefits; 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. POLIS:

H.R. 1701. A bill to designate certain lands in the State of Colorado as components of the National Wilderness Preservation System, to designate the Red Table Mountain, Pisgah Mountain, Castle Peak, Tenmile, Hoosier Ridge, and Porcupine Gulch Special Management Areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. QUIGLEY (for himself, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, and Mr. PETERS):  
H.R. 1702. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow the mortgage interest deduction with respect to boats only if the boat is used as the principal residence of the taxpayer; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. VISCLOSKEY (for himself and Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 1703. A bill to require certain Federal agencies to use iron and steel produced in the United States in carrying out projects for the construction, alteration, or repair of a public building or public work, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Homeland Security, and 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 Ms. WOOLSEY:

H.R. 1704. A bill to direct the Secretary of Education to establish an award program recognizing excellence exhibited by public school system employees providing services to students in pre-kindergarten through higher education; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. DICKS, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. REYES, Mr. JONES, Mr. LANCE, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. LOEBBACH, Mr. WEST, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. HOYER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Ms. RICHARDSON, Ms. BASS of California, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SHULER, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BARROW, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. ROSS of Arkansas, Mr. RANGEL, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H. Res. 240. A resolution commending President Barack Obama and the men and women of the military and intelligence agencies for the successful completion of the operation that led to the death of Osama bin Laden; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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 Mr. MCCOTTER:

H. Res. 241. A resolution honoring the members of the United States Armed Forces, the intelligence community, and the Obama and Bush Administrations whose dedicated service brought the murderous terrorist leader Osama bin Laden to justice; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. BASS of California (for herself and Mr. MCDERMOTT):

H. Res. 242. A resolution recognizing May as "National Foster Care Month"; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. CHU (for herself, Mr. WU, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. HONDA, Mr. STARK, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. RICHARDSON, Ms. SPEIER, Mr.

FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. SABLON, Mr. NADLER, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. HANABUSA, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Ms. HIRONO, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. CLARKE of Michigan, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. MCNERNEY):

H. Res. 243. A resolution celebrating Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H. Res. 244. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that a Palestinian government which includes Hamas should be prohibited from receiving United States aid until that government publicly commits to the Quartet principles; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

#### 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. STARK:

H.R. 1681.

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

Clause 1, Section 8 of article I of the Constitution

Section 5 of Amendment XIV to the Constitution

By Mr. ROSS of Arkansas:

H.R. 1682.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution which states that Congress has the power "... To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes."

By Mr. GINGREY of Georgia:

H.R. 1683.

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

The constitutional authority on which this legislation is based is found in Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution which grants Congress the power to provide for the general Welfare of the United States.

By Ms. SUTTON:

H.R. 1684.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. BIGGERT:

H.R. 1685.

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 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SHIMKUS:

H.R. 1686.

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

The Constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress to establish post offices and post roads as enumerated in Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SHIMKUS:

H.R. 1687.

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

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress as stated in Article I, Section 8 Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. RUNYAN:

H.R. 1688.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. BISHOP of New York:

H.R. 1689.

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

Article 1, Sec. 8, Clause 1 and the 16th Amendment

By Mr. ROGERS of Alabama:

H.R. 1690.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution of the United States and Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Ms. RICHARDSON:

H.R. 1691.

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 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. HIRONO:

H.R. 1692.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. CARNEY:

H.R. 1693.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 1694.

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

The bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under the following provisions of the United States Constitution:

Article I, Section 1;

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1;

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3; and

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18.

By Ms. ESHOO:

H.R. 1695.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1:

"The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence 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 18:

"To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper."

By Mr. GERLACH:

H.R. 1696.

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