TABLE 2—MANDATORY OUTLAYS SINCE 2006—Continued

[Outlays by fiscal year, billions of dollars]

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Est., 2016	Annual Growth (Percent 2007–2016
Child nutrition	14	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	20	22	23	5.1
Subtotal Veterans Pensions Pell Grants <sup>4</sup> Subtotal, Means-Tested Programs Non-Means-Tested Programs	168 4 0 369 1,188	170 3 0 386 1,242	202 4 1 431 1,349	217 4 2 501 1,787	247 4 4 557 1,553	260 5 14 587 1,648	254 5 12 550 1,710	266 5 16 584 1,752	263 6 8 623 1,753	264 5 10 690 1,865	271 6 7 744 1,959	4.9 5.5 n.a. 7.3 5.1
Total Mandatory Outlays <sup>f</sup>	1,556	1,628	1,780	2,288	2,110	2,236	2,260	2,336	2,376	2,555	2,703	5.7
Melnoraluum: Pell Grants (Discretionary) Means-Tested Programs Adjusted for Timing Shifts Non-Means-Tested Programs Adjusted for Timing Shifts	13 368 1,202	13 389 1,241	15 431 1,349	13 501 1,787	20 557 1,553	21 581 1,627	21 556 1,731	17 584 1,752	23 623 1,753	20 690 1,865	23 737 1,927	5.8 7.2 4.8

Source: Congressional Budget Office; staff of the Joint Committee on Taxation.
The average annual growth rate over the 2007–2016 period encompasses growth in outlays from the amount recorded in 2006 through the amount projected for 2016.

The average annual grown rate over the 2007—2010 period encompasses grown in outsign fine amount projected to 2016.

Data on spending for benefit programs in this table exclude administrative costs that are classified as discretionary but generally include administrative costs that are classified as mandatory.

SNAP = Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program; n.a. = not applicable.

Because October 1 fell on a weekend in 2006, 2007, and 2012, certain federal payments that were due on those dates were instead made at the end of the preceding September and thus shifted into the previous fiscal year.

"Differs from the amounts reported in Table 3–2 in The Budget and Economic Outlook. Fiscal Years 2016 to 2026 in that it does not include payments to health insurance plans for risk adjustment (amounts paid to plans that attract less healthy enrollees) and reinsurance (amounts paid to plans that enroll people with high health care costs). Spending for grants to states to establish exchanges is also excluded. Does not include amounts that reduce tax receipts.

cincludes the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program, the Child Support Enforcement program, the Child Care Entitlement program, and other programs that benefit children.

dincludes mandatory spending designed to reduce the discretionary budget authority needed to support the maximum award amount set in the appropriation act plus mandatory spending that, by formula, increases the total maximum award above the amount set in the appropriation act.

Does not include offsetting receipts.

f Does not include outlays associated with federal interest payments.

### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. ZELDIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 5 o'clock and 21 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, March 16, 2016, at 10 a.m. for morning-hour debate.

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4648. A letter from the Under Secretary, Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's Chemical Demilitarization Program Semi-Annual Report to Congress for March 2016, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1521(j); to

the Committee on Armed Services.
4649. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled "Community First Choice: Final Report to Congress", pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1396n(k)(5)(C)(ii); Public Law 111-148, Sec. 2401; (124 Stat. 300); to the Committee on En-

ergy and Commerce.
4650. A letter from the Director. Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's delegation of authority - Announcement of the Delegation of Partial Administrative Authority for Implementation of Federal Implementation Plan for the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation [EPA-R10-OAR-2015-0847; FRL-9943-54-Region 10] received March 11, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Added by Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.
4651. A letter from the Assistant Secretary

for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled "Office of Refugee Resettlement Annual Report to Congress FY 2014", pursuant to Sec. 413(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act; to the Committee on the Judici-

ary. 4652. A letter from the Executive Director, National Mining Hall of Fame and Museum, transmitting the Museum's 2014 Report and Audit, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 152112; Public Law 105-225, 152112; (112 Stat. 1412) and 36 U.S.C. 10101(b)(1); Public Law 105-225, 10101(b)(1); (112 Stat. 1283); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4653. A letter from the Director, National Legislative Division, American Legion, transmitting a financial statement and independent audit of The American Legion, and proceedings of the 97th Annual National Convention of the American Legion, held in Baltimore, Maryland from September 1-3, 2015. and a report on the organization's activities for the year preceding the convention, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 10101(b)(1); Public Law 105-225, 10101(b)(1); (112 Stat. 1283) (H. Doc. No. 114-116); to the Committee on Veterans' Af-

fairs and ordered to be printed.
4654. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program Eleventh Report to Congress", pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 611(b); Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, title IV, Sec. 411 (as added by Public Law 104-193, Sec. 103 (a)(1)); (110 Stat.

2148); to the Committee on Ways and Means. 4655. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC) Guidance and Transition Relief [Notice 2016-22] received March 11, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Added by Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means. 4656. A letter from the Assistant Secretary

for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Evaluation of the Medicare Patient Intravenous Immunoglobulin Demonstration Project: Interim Report to Congress, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 13951 note; Public Law 112-242, Sec. 101(f)(1); (126 Stat. 2375); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

## 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. BISHOP of Utah (for himself, Mr. SIMPSON, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. BRIDENSTINE, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. Gosar, Mr. Duncan of South Carolina, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. STEWART, Mr. HARDY, Mr. ZINKE, Mr. HURD of Texas, Mr. Cook, and Mr.

CHAFFETZ): H.R. 4739. A bill to provide for the conservation and preservation of the greater sage grouse by facilitating State recovery plans; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

#### By Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 4740. A bill to direct the Attorney General to make grants to States and units of local government for the prevention, enforcement, and prosecution of cybercrimes against individuals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### By Mr. THORNBERRY:

H.R. 4741. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for modular open system architecture in major defense acquisition programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. ESTY (for herself, Mrs. Com-STOCK, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 4742. A bill to authorize the National Science Foundation to support entrepreneurial programs for women; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. HURD of Texas, Mr. Doggett, Mr. Cuellar, SMITH of Texas, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 4743. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Homeland Security to establish a National Cybersecurity Preparedness Consortium, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

# By Mrs. KIRKPATRICK:

H.R. 4744. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a 5-year demonstration program to provide grants to eligible Indian tribes for the construction of tribal schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Natural Resources, 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. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4745. A bill to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 to authorize the Secretary of Energy to enter into contracts for the storage of certain high-level radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuel and take title to certain high-level radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuel; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## By Mr. RUSSELL:

H.R. 4746. A bill to provide that no additional Federal funds may be made available for National Heritage Areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Re-

By Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia (for himself, Mr. Tom Price of Georgia, Mr. Westmoreland, Mr. Lewis, Mr. WOODALL, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. Johnson of Georgia, Mr. Austin SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. Collins of Georgia, and Mr. Allen):

H.R. 4747. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6691 Church Street in Riverdale, Georgia, as the "Major Gregory E. Barney Post Office Building": to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself, Ms. Adams, Mr. Beyer, Mr. Blumenauer, Mr. Brendan F. Boyle of Pennsylvania, Mr. Cárdenas, Ms. Clarke of New York, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Conyers, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HONDA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. LEE, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. McCol-LUM, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. Rangel, Mr. Rush, Mr. Scott of Virginia, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SIRES, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. WAT-SON COLEMAN, and Mr. McGOVERN):

H.R. 4748. A bill to ban the importation of semiautomatic assault weapons, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California:

H. Res. 643. A resolution honoring women who have served, and who are currently serving, as members of the Armed Forces and recognizing the recently expanded service opportunities available to female members of the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. PEARCE (for himself, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. Jones, Mr. Ashford, and Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas):

H. Res. 644. A resolution recognizing the 100th anniversary of the First Aero Squadron's participation as the first aviation unit to take part in military operations, and the group's contribution to the Nation's airpower heritage; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mrs. WALORSKI (for herself, Mr. BYRNE, Mr. COFFMAN, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. Fleming, Mr. Lamborn, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. ZINKE):

H. Res. 645. A resolution expressing the sense of House that individuals captured by the United States for supporting the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant should be detained at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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.

178. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico, relative to Senate Joint Memorial 15, stating that the State of New Mexico stands in support of the passage of the Dine College Act of 2015 and urges the New Mexico Congressional Delegation to work to ensure its passage into Federal Law; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

### 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. BISHOP of Utah:

H.R. 4739.

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

Article 1, Section 8 provides authority to Congress to provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States; as well as to make provisions and regulations for the military forces of the United States. Since proposed Sage Grouse habitat negatively impacts several military installations and training facilities, the Congress has authority under Section 8 to act to mitigate those impacts in order to preserve national defense readiness, while at the same time, empowering the States which have conservation plans for preservation and recovery of the Sage Grouse species.

By Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts:

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

Article 1, Secton 8

By Mr. THORNBERRY:

H.R. 4741

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 provide for the common Defence', "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy" and "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces" as enumerated in Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. ESTY:

H.R. 4742.

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

article I, section 8, clause 18 of the Constitution.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas:

H.R. 4743.

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

Constitutional Authority-Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, Clause 18 THE U.S. CONSTITUTION ARTICLE I, SECTION 8: POWERS OF CONGRESS CLAUSE 18

The Congress shall have power . . . 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 Mrs. KIRKPATRICK:

H.R. 4744.

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

Article I Section 8 (18) To make all Laws which shall be necessary and power for carrving into Execution the foregoing Powers. and all other Powers vest by this Constitution in the Government of the United States. or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4745

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. "The Congress shall have Power To . . . provide for the . . . general Welfare of the United States

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

Article I, 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. RUSSELL:

H.R. 4746.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia: H.R. 4747.

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

Article I Section 8 Clause 7 of the Constitution, giving Congress the power to "Establish Post Offices and Post Roads".

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 4748.

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 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 153: Mr. Webster of Florida.

H.R. 242: Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. Beyer.

H.R. 244: Mr. NEWHOUSE.

H.R. 303: Mr. Peterson and Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 465: Mr. FRANKS of Arizona and Mr. BRAT.

H.R. 494: Mr. TROTT.

H.R. 546: Mr. CALVERT and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.

H.R. 556: Mrs. Ellmers of North Carolina.

H.R. 619: Ms. EDWARDS.

H.R. 649: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 711: Mr. Messer, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. LATTA, and Mr. GIBBS.

H.R. 748: Mr. GRIJALVA and Ms. SINEMA.

H.R. 759: Mr. VARGAS. H.R. 845: Mr. Gibson.

H.R. 913: Mrs. LAWRENCE.

H.R. 953: Mr. Grayson, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Polis, and Ms. Bonamici.

H.R. 986: Mr. ZELDIN and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 1116: Mr. Rush and Mrs. Ellmers of North Carolina.

H.R. 1130: Mrs. Comstock.

H.R. 1185: Mr. TROTT, Mr. GUINTA, Mr. HAS-TINGS, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan, and Mr. FORTENBERRY. H.R. 1193: Mr. Ruppersberger.

H.R. 1220: Mr. Lewis, Mrs. Roby, Mr. HULTGREN, and Mrs. LAWRENCE.

H.R. 1221: Mr. TED LIEU of California.

H.R. 1336: Mr. Boustany.

H.R. 1397: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 1427: Mr. REICHERT and Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1515: Mr. GRAYSON.

H.R. 1631: Mrs. Ellmers of North Carolina.

H.R. 1655: Mr. JOLLY and Mr. SARBANES.

H.R. 1671: Mr. Thornberry.

H.R. 1707: Mr. GALLEGO.

H.R. 1797: Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 1996: Mr. Duncan of South Carolina.

H.R. 2170: Mr. RENACCI and Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2205: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. McClintock, Mr. Rangel, and Mr. Ashford.

H.R. 2237: Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 2254: Mr. GALLEGO.

H.R. 2260: Mr. TED LIEU of California.

H.R. 2264: Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Desaulnier.