

By Mr. MEEHAN (for himself, Mr. KIND, Mr. ROONEY of Florida, and Mr. VEASEY):

H.R. 4969. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to direct the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to provide for informational materials to educate and prevent addiction in teenagers and adolescents who are injured playing youth sports and subsequently prescribed an opioid; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 4970. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restrict the use of pre-paid debit cards in the issuance of tax refunds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself and Ms. HAHN):

H.R. 4971. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish a criminal penalty for recklessly damaging or destroying certain pipeline facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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 Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN:

H.R. 4972. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the availability of penalty-free distributions to unemployed individuals from retirement plans; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN:

H.R. 4973. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a work opportunity tax credit for the older long-term unemployed recipient, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BYRNE (for himself, Mr. KLINE, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. FOXX, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. MESSER, Mr. BRAT, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. GOSAR, Mrs. ROBY, Mrs. WALORSKI, and Mr. PALMER):

H.J. Res. 87. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the final rule of the Department of Labor relating to "Interpretation of the 'Advice' Exemption in Section 203(c) of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act"; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LAMBORN (for himself and Ms. GRAHAM):

H. Con. Res. 128. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the United States should continue to exercise its veto in the United Nations Security Council on resolutions regarding the Israeli-Palestinian peace process; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MEEKS (for himself, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. MOORE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOM PRICE of Georgia, and Ms. BROWN of Florida):

H. Res. 684. A resolution recognizing the achievements of America's high school valedictorians of the graduating class of 2016, encouraging civic engagement, and commending academic excellence of all American high school students; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. TOM PRICE of Georgia:

H. Res. 685. A resolution recognizing Linemen, the profession of Linemen, and the con-

tributions of these brave men and women to protect public safety, and expressing support of designation of April 18, 2016, as National Lineman Appreciation Day; 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 to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 4954.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1, Clause 3, and Clause 18 of the Constitution.

By Mr. RENACCI:

H.R. 4955.

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

Article 1, 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 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. TOM PRICE of Georgia:

H.R. 4956.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution, including the power granted Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18, of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CARSON of Indiana:

H.R. 4957.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana:

H.R. 4958.

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

Article I, Section 8.: "To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carryin 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. BUCSHON:

H.R. 4959.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. FOSTER:

H.R. 4960.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress in Article I, Section 8, Clause 7: "The Congress shall have Power . . . To establish Post Offices and post roads"

By Mr. GIBSON:

H.R. 4961.

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

The ability to regulate interstate commerce pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. HIMES:

H.R. 4962.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, the Taxing and Spending Clause: "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 . . ."

By Mr. KING of New York:

H.R. 4963.

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. LAMBORN:

H.R. 4964.

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

Art. 1, Sec. 8:

"The Congress shall have Power to . . . provide for the common Defence . . .

To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years;

To provide and maintain a Navy;

To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces."

By Mr. TED LIEU of California:

H.R. 4965.

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

Pursuant to Article 1, Section 8.

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H.R. 4966.

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

Pursuant to Article 1, Section 8.

By Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico:

H.R. 4967.

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 make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces, as enumerated in Article I, Section 8, Clause 14 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico:

H.R. 4968.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. MEEHAN:

H.R. 4969.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to: Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 4970.

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

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 4971.

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.

By Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN:

H.R. 4972.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN:

H.R. 4973.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. DENT:

H.R. 4974.

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

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 or joint resolution.

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. BYRNE:

H.J. Res. 87.

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

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 169: Mr. BUCK and Mr. WALBERG.
 H.R. 379: Mr. BILIRAKIS and Mr. BEYER.
 H.R. 624: Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mrs. BEATTY, and Mr. RIBBLE.
 H.R. 711: Mr. MCKINLEY and Mr. HANNA.
 H.R. 789: Mr. CARNEY.
 H.R. 793: Ms. NORTON.
 H.R. 846: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.
 H.R. 923: Mr. COLE.
 H.R. 1192: Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. JONES, Mr. PERRY, Mr. ZELDIN, and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.
 H.R. 1206: Mr. CHAFFETZ.
 H.R. 1221: Mr. KING of New York and Mr. MOOLENAAR.
 H.R. 1336: Mr. SMITH of Missouri.
 H.R. 1342: Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SMITH of Missouri, Mr. ZELDIN, Ms. STEFANIK, and Mr. FORTENBERRY.
 H.R. 1431: Mr. PITTENGER.
 H.R. 1432: Mr. PITTENGER.
 H.R. 1457: Mr. CICILLINE.
 H.R. 1542: Mr. LANGEVIN.
 H.R. 1550: Mr. MACARTHUR and Mr. SCHWEIKERT.
 H.R. 1594: Mr. SMITH of Missouri.
 H.R. 1611: Mr. BLUM.
 H.R. 1733: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida.
 H.R. 1769: Ms. BONAMICI.
 H.R. 1969: Mr. JENKINS of West Virginia.
 H.R. 1988: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.
 H.R. 2121: Mrs. BLACKBURN.
 H.R. 2124: Mr. AMODEI, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. VELA, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Ms. DEGETTE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. SWALWELL of California, and Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana.

H.R. 2215: Mr. COLE.
 H.R. 2237: Mr. O'ROURKE.
 H.R. 2283: Ms. ESTY.
 H.R. 2315: Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 2368: Ms. TSONGAS.
 H.R. 2460: Mr. JEFFRIES and Mr. HECK of Washington.
 H.R. 2461: Mrs. ELLMERS of North Carolina, Mr. LEWIS, and Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 2513: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.
 H.R. 2571: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 2589: Mr. STEWART.
 H.R. 2590: Mr. NOLAN.
 H.R. 2658: Mr. HUELSKAMP.
 H.R. 2726: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. CRAMER.
 H.R. 2737: Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. LATTA, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. HURD of Texas, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. CROWLEY, and Mr. HARDY.
 H.R. 2759: Mr. HECK of Nevada.
 H.R. 2799: Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 2811: Mr. SABLAN.
 H.R. 2844: Ms. DUCKWORTH.
 H.R. 2894: Mr. O'ROURKE.
 H.R. 2901: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio and Mr. PERLMUTTER.
 H.R. 2903: Mr. JOLLY.
 H.R. 2939: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 2980: Ms. KELLY of Illinois and Mr. PAULSEN.
 H.R. 3007: Mr. CÁRDENAS, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. ELLISON.
 H.R. 3012: Mr. LAMBORN.
 H.R. 3095: Mr. FATTAH.
 H.R. 3110: Mr. MACARTHUR.
 H.R. 3119: Mr. KILDEE and Mr. HECK of Nevada.
 H.R. 3209: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
 H.R. 3222: Mr. LABRADOR and Mr. CLAWSON of Florida.
 H.R. 3227: Mr. COLLINS of New York and Mr. JONES.
 H.R. 3235: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mrs. BUSTOS.
 H.R. 3308: Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. GRAHAM, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. TONKO, and Mr. VARGAS.
 H.R. 3310: Mr. CLAWSON of Florida.
 H.R. 3323: Mr. TAKAI and Mr. WALZ.
 H.R. 3326: Mr. PASCRELL and Mr. QUIGLEY.
 H.R. 3381: Mr. BUCHANAN.
 H.R. 3412: Mr. VALADAO.
 H.R. 3470: Ms. LEE, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. FUDGE, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.
 H.R. 3520: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
 H.R. 3604: Mr. HONDA.
 H.R. 3706: Mr. BISHOP of Utah.
 H.R. 3722: Ms. GRANGER, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. ROKITA, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, and Mr. SESSIONS.
 H.R. 3724: Mr. CHAFFETZ.
 H.R. 3742: Mr. HECK of Nevada, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. BOUSTANY, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. STEWART, Ms. CLARKE of New York, and Mr. VEASEY.
 H.R. 3846: Ms. ESTY.
 H.R. 3865: Mr. FITZPATRICK and Mr. TIPTON.
 H.R. 3886: Ms. ESTY.
 H.R. 3917: Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. ESTY, and Ms. BORDALLO.
 H.R. 3929: Ms. GABBARD, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. HARDY, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. DONOVAN, Mr. BENISHEK, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. COLE, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. NUNES.
 H.R. 3982: Mr. BENISHEK.
 H.R. 4019: Mr. COHEN.
 H.R. 4073: Mr. SWALWELL of California.
 H.R. 4118: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.
 H.R. 4144: Mr. TED LIEU of California.
 H.R. 4223: Mr. HASTINGS.
 H.R. 4229: Mr. DOLD.
 H.R. 4268: Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON

of Texas, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. VELA, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mr. CUELLAR.
 H.R. 4301: Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 4352: Mr. HUDSON and Mr. RUIZ.
 H.R. 4371: Mr. JORDAN.
 H.R. 4386: Mr. RUIZ.
 H.R. 4399: Mr. PALLONE.
 H.R. 4447: Mr. CONYERS.
 H.R. 4488: Mr. SMITH of Washington and Mr. LEVIN.
 H.R. 4498: Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 4514: Mr. KING of New York.
 H.R. 4523: Mr. UPTON.
 H.R. 4524: Ms. ESHOO, Ms. LEE, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. Maxine Waters of California, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. BEYER.
 H.R. 4537: Mr. HECK of Nevada and Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina.
 H.R. 4586: Mrs. COMSTOCK.
 H.R. 4594: Mr. DESAULNIER.
 H.R. 4603: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 4607: Mr. CARTWRIGHT.
 H.R. 4612: Mr. BARLETTA.
 H.R. 4614: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. TONKO.
 H.R. 4615: Ms. HAHN and Mr. DELANEY.
 H.R. 4621: Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia and Mr. RUSH.
 H.R. 4625: Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. HUFFMAN, and Mr. ASHFORD.
 H.R. 4626: Mr. MARINO and Mrs. ELLMERS of North Carolina.
 H.R. 4640: Mr. DESAULNIER.
 H.R. 4651: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 4653: Mrs. BUSTOS and Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.
 H.R. 4667: Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. JOLLY, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.
 H.R. 4695: Mr. BLUM.
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 H.R. 4712: Mr. VALADAO.
 H.R. 4715: Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. LONG, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. BLUM, Mr. BRAT, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, and Mr. TIPTON.
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 H.R. 4751: Mr. AMODEI.
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 H.R. 4764: Mr. SABLAN, Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia, Mr. BLUM, Mr. HURD of Texas, and Mr. JORDAN.
 H.R. 4773: Mr. BRAT, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. LOUDERMILK, Mr. HECK of Nevada, Mr. JOLLY, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. STEWART, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. BARR, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER.
 H.R. 4775: Mr. JENKINS of West Virginia, Mrs. BLACK, and Mr. BUCSHON.
 H.R. 4794: Mr. JOYCE, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois.
 H.R. 4795: Mr. JOYCE, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. YODER, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. ASHFORD, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. HECK of Nevada.
 H.R. 4798: Mr. DESAULNIER and Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 4813: Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. JOYCE.
 H.R. 4828: Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. LOUDERMILK, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. ROONEY of Florida, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. CARTER of Georgia.
 H.R. 4833: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.
 H.R. 4835: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida and Mr. POCAN.
 H.R. 4840: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 4848: Mr. HECK of Nevada.
 H.R. 4880: Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. PALMER, and Mrs. COMSTOCK.
 H.R. 4884: Mr. SCALISE.
 H.R. 4885: Mr. CHAFFETZ.
 H.R. 4895: Mrs. WALORSKI.