

Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's affirmation of interim rule as final rule — Golden Nematode; Removal of Regulated Areas in Orleans, Nassau, and Suffolk Counties, New York [Docket No.: APHIS-2015-0040] received February 25, 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 Agriculture.

4480. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Report to Congress on the Study on Raising the Minimum Age to Purchase Tobacco Products, pursuant to Public Law 111-31 Sec. 104(2); (123 Stat. 1841); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4481. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Air Quality: Revision to the Regulatory Definition of Volatile Organic Compounds — Requirements for t-Butyl Acetate [EPA-HQ-OAR-2013-0795; FRL-9942-80-OAR] (RIN: 2060-AR65) received February 25, 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.

4482. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; State of Utah; Revisions to the Utah Division of Administrative Rules, R307-300 Series; Area Source Rules for Attainment of Fine Particulate Matter Standards [EPA-R08-OAR-2014-0369; FRL-9935-54-Region 8] received February 25, 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.

4483. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's direct final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Prevention of Significant Deterioration; Fine Particulate Matter [EPA-R03-OAR-2016-0006; FRL-9942-90-Region 3] received February 25, 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.

4484. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval of Iowa's Air Quality Implementation Plans; Iowa Plan for the 2008 Lead Standard [EPA-R07-OAR-2015-0582; FRL-9942-79-Region 7] received February 25, 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.

4485. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — D-Glucitol, 1-deoxy-1-(methylamino)—, N-C8-10 acyl derivatives; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2015-0249; FRL-9942-43] received February 25, 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.

4486. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Federal Plan Requirements for Sewage Sludge Incineration Units Constructed on or Before October 14, 2010 [EPA-HQ-OAR-2012-0319; FRL-9940-50-OAR] (RIN: 2060-AR77) received February 25, 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.

4487. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Trifloxystrobin; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2014-0709; FRL-9941-92] received February 25, 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.

4488. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Addition of Certain Persons and Modification of Certain Entries to the Entity List; and Removal of Certain Persons from the Entity List [Docket No.: 151209999-5999-01] (RIN: 0694-AG81) received February 25, 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 Foreign Affairs.

4489. A letter from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's Annual Performance Report for FY 2015, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1116(a); Public Law 111-352, Sec. 4; (124 Stat. 3871); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4490. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a); (104 Stat. 2849); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4491. A letter from the Architect of the Capitol, transmitting the Semiannual Report of Disbursements for the operations of the Architect of the Capitol for the period of July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 1868a(a); Public Law 113-76, div. I, title I, Sec. 1301(a); (128 Stat. 428) (H. Doc. No. 114—108); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

4492. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's Report of Lobbying Disclosure Act Enforcement for January 1, 2012, through June 30, 2015, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 1605(b)(1) Public Law 104-65, as amended by Public Law 110-81; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4493. A letter from the Executive Director, World War I Centennial Commission, transmitting the Commission's Periodic Report for the period ending December 31, 2015, pursuant to Public Law 112-272, Sec. 5(b)(1); (126 Stat. 2450); jointly to the Committees on Financial Services, Natural Resources, and Oversight and Government Reform.

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. MENG (for herself, Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. ROSLEHTINEN, and Mr. DEUTCH):

H.R. 4633. A bill to modify and extend reporting requirements on the use of certain Iranian seaports by foreign vessels and use of foreign airports by sanctioned Iranian air carriers; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. CALVERT:

H.R. 4634. A bill to direct the United States Postal Service to designate a single, unique ZIP Code for Eastvale, California; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 4635. A bill to provide for a prescription drug take-back program for members of the Armed Forces and veterans, and for

other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, the Judiciary, and Veterans' 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.

By Mr. MULLIN (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. SENSENBRENNER):

H.R. 4636. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to require agencies to respond to comments from congressional committees about proposed rule making, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANFORD (for himself and Mr. MCCLINTOCK):

H.R. 4637. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to permit the Government of Puerto Rico to opt out of the applicable Federal minimum wage under such Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GARRETT (for himself and Mr. CHABOT):

H.R. 4638. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to allow for the creation of venture exchanges to promote liquidity of venture securities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BLUM (for himself and Mr. MEADOWS):

H.R. 4639. A bill to reauthorize the Office of Special Counsel, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide modifications to authorities relating to the Office of Special Counsel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. JOLLY (for himself, Ms. TITUS, Mr. ABRAHAM, and Ms. GABBARD):

H.R. 4640. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to conduct a review of the deaths of certain veterans who died by suicide, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana (for herself and Mr. KENNEDY):

H.R. 4641. A bill to provide for the establishment of an inter-agency task force to review, modify, and update best practices for pain management and prescribing pain medication, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. COLLINS of New York (for himself and Mr. MCNERNEY):

H.R. 4642. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a Medicare diabetic eye disease prevention and early treatment demonstration project; 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. GRIJALVA (for himself and Mr. HONDA):

H.R. 4643. A bill to improve the literacy and English skills of limited English proficient individuals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GRIJALVA:

H.R. 4644. A bill to establish dual language education programs in low-income communities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 4645. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide support to environmental justice communities and environmental justice projects; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. LOFGREN (for herself, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr.

HOYER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. QUIGLEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. HONDA, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. O'ROURKE, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. VARGAS, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. ADAMS, Mr. POLIS, Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. TORRES, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. NORTON, Ms. HAHN, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. MOORE, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. SIRES, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DEUTCH, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. JEFFRIES, Mr. KIND, Mr. COHEN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. NADLER, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mrs. CAPPS, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 4646. A bill to provide access to counsel for children and other vulnerable populations; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PERLMUTTER (for himself, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. HECK of Washington, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 4647. A bill to establish regulatory relief for certain financial institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. KING of New York (for himself, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. REICHERT):

H. Con. Res. 120. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the 3rd Annual Fallen Firefighters Congressional Flag Presentation Ceremony; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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 Ms. MENG:

H.R. 4633.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. CALVERT:

H.R. 4634.

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

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress).

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 4635.

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

Article I, Section 8; Clause 1 of the Constitution states 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. MULLIN:

H.R. 4636.

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

Article 1, Section 1 of the U.S. Constitution states: All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Mr. SANFORD:

H.R. 4637.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. GARRETT:

H.R. 4638.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1 (“The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States”), 3 (“To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes”), and 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. BLUM:

H.R. 4639.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. JOLLY:

H.R. 4640.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution

By Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana:

H.R. 4641.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. COLLINS of New York:

H.R. 4642.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GRIJALVA:

H.R. 4643.

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

U.S. Const. art. I, §§1 and 8.

By Mr. GRIJALVA:

H.R. 4644.

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

U.S. Const. art. I, §§1 and 8.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 4645.

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 of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Ms. LOFGREN:

H.R. 4646.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4 of the Constitution.

By Mr. PERLMUTTER:

H.R. 4647.

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

Article 1, Section 8

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 93: Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 267: Ms. JUDY CHU of California.

H.R. 528: Mr. WEBSTER of Florida.

H.R. 539: Ms. MENG.

H.R. 542: Mr. HECK of Nevada.

H.R. 592: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 699: Mr. HECK of Nevada.

H.R. 802: Mr. STIVERS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. YODER, and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 816: Mr. LABRADOR.

H.R. 932: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 986: Mr. BRIDENSTINE.

H.R. 997: Mr. YOHO.

H.R. 1170: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 1292: Mr. ASHFORD.

H.R. 1343: Mr. SMITH of Missouri.

H.R. 1397: Mr. HENSARLING.

H.R. 1399: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, and Mr. ZELDIN.

H.R. 1488: Mrs. HARTZLER and Mr. DESJARLAIS.

H.R. 1602: Ms. ESHOO.

H.R. 1769: Mr. ABRAHAM.

H.R. 1941: Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 1977: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida.

H.R. 1995: Mr. BLUM.

H.R. 2124: Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mrs. BUSTOS, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. JENKINS of West Virginia, and Mr. MCNERNEY.

H.R. 2197: Mrs. DAVIS of California.

H.R. 2227: Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 2246: Mr. GUINTA.

H.R. 2264: Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. NOLAN, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 2268: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 2367: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 2403: Mr. NORCROSS.

H.R. 2515: Mr. DEFazio, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. MOULTON, and Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 2655: Mr. YARMUTH.

H.R. 2656: Mr. PERLMUTTER and Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.

H.R. 2698: Mr. MCCLINTOCK.

H.R. 2737: Miss RICE of New York and Mr. BECERRA.

H.R. 2805: Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 2896: Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 2901: Mr. MESSER.

H.R. 2939: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 2963: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 3012: Mr. GROTHMAN.

H.R. 3071: Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 3080: Mr. BUCHANAN.

H.R. 3099: Mr. TAKANO, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. ASHFORD.

H.R. 3110: Mr. PALAZZO.

H.R. 3235: Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. MOORE, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. TSONGAS, and Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 3250: Mr. HUFFMAN and Mr. KATKO.

H.R. 3307: Mr. LONG.

H.R. 3463: Mr. BLUM.

H.R. 3515: Mr. WOMACK.

H.R. 3566: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 3779: Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 3817: Ms. MOORE.

H.R. 3818: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 3861: Mr. BERA, Ms. STEFANK, Mr. DONOVAN, and Mr. WOMACK.

H.R. 3865: Ms. PINGREE.

H.R. 3879: Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 3892: Mrs. HARTZLER and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 3917: Mr. WELCH, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. LEE, Mr. GUTHRIE, and Mr. CARTWRIGHT.

H.R. 3926: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida.

H.R. 4073: Mrs. DINGELL and Mr. DESAULNIER.

H.R. 4088: Mr. KEATING.

H.R. 4126: Mr. DESJARLAIS.

H.R. 4132: Mr. GOSAR.

H.R. 4134: Mr. ZINKE.

H.R. 4219: Mr. GOSAR and Mr. DOLD.