Report on the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2462 note; Public Law 106-309, Sec. 304; (114 Stat. 1095); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC—2638. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Department Report Number: 004459; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-2639. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report on the United States participation in the United Nations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-2640. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule — Visas: Documentation of Nonimmigrants under the Immigration and Nationality Act; Validity of Visa [Public Notice: 11458] (RIN: 1400-AE82) received October 21, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-2641. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Department's Report to Congress on the Physicians' Comparability Allowance Program, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 5948(j); Public Law 103-114, Sec. 2(a); (107 Stat. 1116); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2642. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-198, "Wilkinson School Disposition Authorization Temporary Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2643. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-200, "Coronavirus Unemployment Compensation Provisions Sunset Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2644. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-201, "Office of Administrative Hearings Unemployment Appeals Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2645. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-202, "Certified Midwife Credential Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2646. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-199, "Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Humanitarian Relief Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2647. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army, Civil Works, Department of the Army, transmitting a letter stating two Mississippi headwaters reservoirs are discharging minimum flows, pursuant to Public Law 100-676, Sec. 21(b) (as amended by Public Law 110-114, Sec. 3175(2); (121 Stat. 1155); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-2648. A letter from the Director, Legal Processing Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Departments' IRB only rule — Funding relief for multiemployer defined benefit pension plans under the American Rescue plan (Notice 2021-57) received October 8, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110

Stat. 868); to the Committee on 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. BEYER (for himself, Mr. Lucas, and Ms. Johnson of Texas):

H.R. 5948. A bill to enhance safety and protect research interests and the environment in Antarctica, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, 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. CORREA:

H.R. 5949. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 615 North Bush Street, in Santa Ana, California, as the "Judge James Perez Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Ms. DEAN (for herself, Mrs. SPARTZ, Ms. SCANLON, and Mr. FITZPATRICK):

H.R. 5950. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to increase the number of days before which certain controlled substances for maintenance or detoxification treatment must be administered, 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 Mrs. FISCHBACH (for herself, Mr. HAGEDORN, Ms. CRAIG, Mr. PHILLIPS, Ms. McCollum, Ms. OMAR, Mr. EMMER, and Mr. STAUBER):

H.R. 5951. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 202 2nd Avenue, in Oklee, Minnesota, as the "Coya Knutson Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mrs. FISCHBACH (for herself, Mr. HAGEDORN, Ms. CRAIG, Mr. PHILLIPS, Ms. McCollum, Ms. OMAR, Mr. EMMER, and Mr. STAUBER):

H.R. 5952. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 123 East Main Street, in Vergas, Minnesota, as the "Jon Glawe Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH (for himself and Mr. MRVAN):

H.R. 5953. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to increase in Governmentwide goal for participation in Federal contracts by small business concerns owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. JACKSON:

H.R. 5954. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1304 4th Avenue in Canyon, Texas, as the "Gary James Fletcher Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. JACKSON:

H.R. 5955. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to submit to Congress reports on the pilot program on acceptance by the Department of Veterans Affairs of donated facilities and related improvements; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KATKO (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi):

H.R. 5956. A bill to amend the National Security Act of 1947 to require the National Security Council's membership to include the

Secretary of Homeland Security; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, and 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 Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. KIL-MER, Ms. STRICKLAND, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. SCHRIER, and Ms. DELBENE):

H.R. 5957. A bill to reduce risks to marine mammals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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 Mr. LIEU (for himself, Ms. BROWNLEY, Ms. PORTER, Mr. LEVIN of California, and Mr. LOWENTHAL):

H.R. 5958. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to increase the civil and criminal penalties for oil spills, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS:

H.R. 5959. A bill to expand opportunity through greater choice in education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. NEGUSE:

H.R. 5960. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to provide for engagements with State, local, Tribal, and territorial governments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. NEGUSE:

H.R. 5961. A bill to make revisions in title 5, United States Code, as necessary to keep the title current, and to make technical amendments to improve the United States Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEGUSE:

H.R. 5962. A bill to manage supply chain risk through counterintelligence training, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Ms. SPANBERGER (for herself, Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio, Mrs. AXNE, Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS, and Ms. MACE):

H.R. 5963. A bill to provide for improvements in the reimbursement of eligible health care providers through the Provider Relief Fund, and for other purposes; 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. SUOZZI:

H.R. 5964. A bill to enhance the policies, procedures, and training for the United States Merchant Marine Academy, to authorize infrastructure replacement and improvement projects at the United States Merchant Marine Academy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, 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 Mr. TONKO (for himself and Mr. McKinley):

H.R. 5965. A bill to direct the Secretary of Energy to establish a pilot program to enter into contracts for payment of costs associated with using eligible hydrogen, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TRONE (for himself and Mr. EMMER):

H.R. 5966. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to repay the estates of deceased beneficiaries for certain benefits paid by the Secretary and misused by fiduciaries of such beneficiaries; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

> By Ms. OMAR (for herself, Ms. TLAIB, and Mr. McGovern):

H.J. Res. 63. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval of the proposed direct commercial sale to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia of certain weaponry and munitions; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. BUDD (for himself, Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina, Mr. HUDSON, Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina, ROUZER, and Mr. CAWTHORN):

H. Con. Res. 61. Concurrent resolution establishing deadlines for the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library to approve or deny the statue of the Reverend William Franklin "Billy" Graham, Jr. for placement in the National Statuary Hall; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself, Mr. Coo-PER, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Ms. ESCOBAR, Ms. Garcia of Texas, Ms. Wasserman SCHULTZ, Mr. SWALWELL, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, PRESSLEY, Mr. YARMUTH, Ms. NOR-TON, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. COHEN, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. EVANS, Ms. LEE of Ms. Lofgren, California, Mr.AUCHINCLOSS, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. Blumenauer, Ms. OMAR, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. NADLER, Mr. Castro of Texas, Mr. Torres of New York, Mr. Carson, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. LIEU, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. McNerney, Ms. Jackson Lee, Mr. Welch, Mr. Bowman, Ms. Pingree, Mrs. Watson Coleman, Mr. Pocan, Mr. Crow, Mr. Doggett, Ms. Chu, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. Cartwright. Ms. Scanlon. Ms. Jacobs of California, Ms. Adams, Ms. DEAN, Ms. MENG, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania. Mr.LYNCH. GARAMENDI, Mr. RASKIN, and Mr.

CÁRDENAS): H. Res. 789. A resolution censuring Representative Paul Gosar; to the Committee on Ethics.

> By Mr. CARSON (for himself, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. McKinley, Mrs. McClain, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. NORTON, Mr. COHEN, Mr. KEATING. Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, and Ms. LEE of California):

H. Res. 790. A resolution expressing support for the designation of November, 2021 as "Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. ESPAILLAT (for himself, Mr. MEEKS, and Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALO-NEY of New York):

H. Res. 791. A resolution honoring and remembering the victims of the crash of American Airlines Flight 587 in Rockaway Queens. New York, on November 12, 2001, and extending the sincerest condolences of the citizens of the United States to the families and friends of those individuals; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. HARDER of California (for himself and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER):

H. Res. 792. A resolution honoring the individuals fighting and the individuals who have fallen responding to wildland fires during the ongoing 2021 wildfire season; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas:

H. Res. 793. A resolution to express the support of the House of Representatives that no governmental entity should designate what jobs are deemed essential and nonessential; to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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.

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. BEYER:

H.R. 5948.

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

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

By Mr. CORREA:

H.R. 5949.

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

Clause 7 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Ms. DEAN:

H.R. 5950.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mrs. FISCHBACH:

H.R. 5951.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mrs. FISCHBACH:

H.R. 5952.

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

Article 1. Section 8

By Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH:

H.R. 5953.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. JACKSON:

H.R. 5954

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. JACKSON:

H.R. 5955.

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

Article I Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. KATKO:

H.R. 5956.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitu-

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington:

H.R. 5957.

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

Article 1, Section 1-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. LIEU:

H.R. 5958.

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

Article 1, Section 8.

By Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS:

H.R. 5959.

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

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

By Mr. NEGUSE: H.R. 5960.

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

Article 1. Section 8

By Mr. NEGUSE:

H.R. 5961.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. NEGUSE:

H.R. 5962.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Ms. SPANBERGER:

H.R. 5963.

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

Article 1 Section 8 of the US Constitution By Mr. SUOZZI:

H.R. 5964.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution, Congress has the power "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 any Department or Officer thereof".

By Mr. TONKO:

H.R. 5965.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have power to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States. or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. TRONE:

H.R. 5966.

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

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

By Ms. OMAR:

H.J. Res. 63

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

Article I, Section 8

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 69: Mr. GIMENEZ.

H.R. 188: Mr. Brooks.

H.R. 217: Mr. WOMACK.

H.R. 255: Mr. HIMES.

H.R. 712: Ms. Jacobs of California.

H.R. 876: Mrs. Hartzler. H.R. 954: Mr. Donalds.

H.R. 1068: Mr. DEFAZIO. H.R. 1100: Mr. NORMAN.

H.R. 1179: Mr. MANN, Mr. SWALWELL, and Mr. Phillips.

H.R. 1401: Ms. JACKSON LEE and Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 1437: Mr. LUCAS and Mrs. BICE of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1439: Mr. CÁRDENAS.

H.R. 1454: Mr. BOWMAN.