

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 1 of House Resolution 1230, the House stands adjourned until 9 a.m. tomorrow.

Thereupon (at 5 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, July 29, 2022, at 9 a.m.

BUDGETARY EFFECTS OF PAYGO LEGISLATION

Pursuant to the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2010 (PAYGO), Mr. YARMUTH hereby submits, prior to the vote on passage, for printing in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, that H.R. 5093, the Wind River Administrative Site Conveyance Act, as amended, would have no significant effect on the deficit, and therefore, the budgetary effects of such bill are estimated as zero.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

EC-4954. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Assertive Community Treatment Grant Program Report to Congress, pursuant to Sec. 9015 of the 21st Century Cures Act (Public Law 114-255); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-4955. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Lebanon that was declared in Executive Order 13441 of August 1, 2007, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 16411, and Sec. 2041 of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-4956. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-480, "Fiscal Year 2022 Second Revised Local Budget Adjustment Temporary Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4957. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-481, "Targeted Historic Preservation Assistance Temporary Amendment Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4958. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-482, "Engineering Licensure Temporary Amendment Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4959. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-483, "Cannabis Employment Protections Amendment Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4960. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-484, "900 55th Street N.E.

and 2327-2341 Skyland Terrace S.E. DC Habitat Real Property Tax Exemption Amendment Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4961. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting D.C. Act 24-486, "Fiscal Year 2023 Local Budget Act of 2022", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4962. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's FAIR Act Inventory Executive Summary for 2021, pursuant to Pub. Law 105-270; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-4963. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Architect of the Capitol, transmitting the Semiannual Report of Disbursements for the Architect of the Capitol for the period January 1, 2022, through June 30, 2022, 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. 117-136); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

EC-4964. A letter from the President, National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, transmitting the Council's 2021 annual independent audit report, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 10101(b)(1) and 150909; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 7778. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to prohibit misuse of the Department of Homeland Security seal, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 117-446). 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 Ms. BONAMICI (for herself and Mr. FITZPATRICK):

H.R. 8548. A bill to amend the Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002 to establish a National Center for Advanced Development in Education at the Institute for Education Sciences, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. COURTNEY (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. PINGREE, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 8549. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include certain individuals who work on farms or ranches as individuals who are employed in public service jobs for purposes of eligibility for loan forgiveness under the Federal Direct Loan program; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ROY (for himself, Mrs. MILLER of Illinois, Mr. NEHLS, Mr. GOOD of Virginia, and Mrs. BOEBERT):

H.R. 8550. A bill to provide that all Federal employees in the executive branch of Government are at-will employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. MCEACHIN (for himself, Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Ms. JAYAPAL):

H.R. 8551. A bill to improve air quality management and the safety of communities using the best available monitoring technology and data; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ALLRED (for himself and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 8552. A bill to provide for the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish grant programs to improve the health and positive youth development impacts of youth sports participation, and for other purposes; 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.

By Mrs. BICE of Oklahoma (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON of Louisiana, and Mr. POSEY):

H.R. 8553. A bill to amend title 37, United States Code, to exempt certain bonuses, incentive pay, and other benefits from repayment in the case of a member of the Armed Forces involuntarily separated for refusing to receive a vaccination against COVID-19; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mrs. BICE of Oklahoma (for herself and Mr. WALTZ):

H.R. 8554. A bill to prohibit the sale of petroleum products from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve to certain entities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 8555. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to stipulate that a parking benefit is not a qualified parking fringe benefit unless an employer offers employees the option to receive an equivalent cash benefit or alternative tax-exempt benefit in lieu of the parking benefit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUDD (for himself, Mr. MOONEY, and Mr. PERRY):

H.R. 8556. A bill to enact the Section 401 Certification Rule, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CARTER of Louisiana (for himself and Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 8557. A bill to amend federal law to create expungement mechanism and a process to petition for expungement for low-level violations of the Controlled Substances Act as it relates to marijuana, to study impact of expungements issued, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COHEN (for himself, Mr. BEYER, Mr. CARSON, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. GARCIA of Illinois, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. JONES, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. NEWMAN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. NADLER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mr. GOMEZ, Ms. NORTON, Ms. PORTER, Ms. TLAIB, Mrs. WATSON

COLEMAN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Ms. PLASKETT, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. MOULTON, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. DESAULNIER):

H.R. 8558. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a minimum tax on certain wealthy taxpayers that takes into account unrealized gains; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. CRAIG:

H.R. 8559. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax relief for certain small business owners, to impose a tax on the repurchase of corporate stock, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CROW (for himself and Mr. MELJER):

H.R. 8560. A bill to direct the Director of National Intelligence to submit to Congress a report relating to analyses of the military will to fight and the national will to fight with respect to the governments of Ukraine, Afghanistan, and Iraq, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Mr. DAVIDSON (for himself, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. TIFFANY, Mr. PERRY, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. CLINE, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. BANKS, Mrs. BOEBERT, Mr. HICE of Georgia, and Mr. BUCK):

H.R. 8561. A bill to improve the collection of intelligence regarding activities by drug trafficking organizations in certain foreign countries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Intelligence (Permanent Select), Foreign Affairs, Homeland Security, Oversight and Reform, Energy and Commerce, and Financial 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. DONALDS (for himself and Mr. TIMMONS):

H.R. 8562. A bill to provide for disapproval by Congress of the invocation of authorities under the Defense Production Act of 1950; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. EMMER (for himself, Mrs. CAMMACK, Mr. DONALDS, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mr. BANKS, Mr. CLOUD, Mr. TIFFANY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. ELLZEY, Mr. RUTHERFORD, Ms. MACE, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. ROY, and Mr. MULLIN):

H.R. 8563. A bill to amend chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, to provide for Congressional oversight of agency rulemaking, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. GIBBS:

H.R. 8564. A bill to amend the National Defense Authorization Act with respect to funds for expenses necessary to implement the Port and Intermodal Improvement Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GRAVES of Missouri:

H.R. 8565. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permanently extend

the Medicare-dependent hospital and low-volume hospital programs under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HERN:

H.R. 8566. A bill to impose a fee on certain remittance transfers to fund border security; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Homeland Security, Foreign Affairs, Financial Services, 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 Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 8567. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to support apprenticeship programs; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. LIEU (for himself, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Mr. KINZINGER, and Mr. GOLDEN):

H.R. 8568. A bill to provide for the designation of the Russian Federation as a state sponsor of terrorism; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. LURIA:

H.R. 8569. A bill to require a direct causal nexus to remove certain cases to Federal court, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MALINOWSKI (for himself and Ms. KELLY of Illinois):

H.R. 8570. A bill to direct the Federal Trade Commission to conduct an investigation and submit to Congress a report on unfair or deceptive acts or practices that may be prevalent in the advertising or marketing of firearms and to issue regulations to prohibit unfair or deceptive acts or practices related to the advertising or marketing of firearms, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MALLIOTAKIS:

H.R. 8571. A bill to waive sovereign immunity in certain circumstances where jurisdictions have defunded the municipal police department; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 8572. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose an excise tax on fuel based on the carbon content of such fuel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. MATSUI (for herself, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. TONKO, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CARSON, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. JACOBS of California, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. BOWMAN, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. DEMINGS, Mrs. AXNE, Mr. MCNERNEY, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. LAMB, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. KEATING, Mr. VEASEY, and Mr. LEVIN of California):

H.R. 8573. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to classify broadband as telecommunications service; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MCCAUL (for himself and Ms. TITUS):

H.R. 8574. A bill to establish an inter-agency committee on global catastrophic risk, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.

By Mr. MULLIN:

H.R. 8575. A bill to require the Federal Communications Commission to conduct a study and submit to Congress a report examining the feasibility of funding the Universal Service Fund through contributions supplied by edge providers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina (for himself and Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS):

H.R. 8576. A bill to require a study on the effects of travel nurse agencies on the health industry during the COVID-19 pandemic; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PERLMUTTER (for himself and Mr. CASTEN):

H.R. 8577. A bill to provide for accurate energy appraisals in connection with residential mortgage loans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. BEYER, and Mr. CASTEN):

H.R. 8578. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act and the Natural Gas Act with respect to the enforcement of certain provisions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SCHWEIKERT (for himself and Mr. DONALDS):

H.R. 8579. A bill to increase retirement savings, simplify and clarify retirement plan rules, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SEWELL (for herself and Mr. SMITH of Missouri):

H.R. 8580. A bill to amend the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act to provide for a 12-month extension of the Medicare long-term care hospital waiver of the site-neutral IPPS payment rate; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SEWELL (for herself and Mr. BUCHANAN):

H.R. 8581. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure stability in payments to home health agencies under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. SMITH of Washington:

H.R. 8582. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose an excise tax on the acquisition of single-family homes by certain large investors; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Financial 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. STAUBER (for himself and Mr. HUFFMAN):

H.R. 8583. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to exchange certain public lands in Chippewa National Forest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. TENNEY (for herself, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. BACON, Mr. MANN, and Mr. CAWTHORN):

H.R. 8584. A bill to amend section 248 of title 18, United States Code, to provide adequate penalties and remedies for attacks on facilities providing counseling about abortion alternatives and attacks on places of religious worship; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TONKO (for himself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of

New York, Mr. UPTON, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, and Mr. MCKINLEY):

H.R. 8585. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to carry out a national project to prevent and cure Parkinson's, to be known as the National Parkinson's Project, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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

H.R. 8586. A bill to allow the Secretary of Health and Human Services to deny approval of a new drug application for an opioid analgesic drug on the basis of such drug not being clinically superior to other commercially available drugs; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TURNER:

H.R. 8587. A bill to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to require that State agencies contract with more than one infant formula manufacturer under the special supplemental program for women, infants, and children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. WESTERMAN (for himself and Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio):

H.R. 8588. A bill to address the high costs of health care services, prescription drugs, and health insurance coverage in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and Labor, the Judiciary, Oversight and Reform, Rules, the Budget, Armed Services, and House Administration, 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. OWENS (for himself, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. TORRES of New York, Mr. LIEU, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Ms. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CURTIS, Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. LANGEVIN):

H. Res. 1292. A resolution expressing support for the International Olympic Committee to recognize with a minute of silence at every future Olympics Opening Ceremony those who lost their lives at the 1972 Munich Olympics, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. BOEBERT (for herself, Mr. BANKS, Mr. CAREY, Mr. CLYDE, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. HICE of Georgia, Mrs. MILLER of Illinois, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. STEUBE, Mr. VAN DREW, and Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina):

H. Res. 1293. A resolution recognizing and honoring Elisjsha Dicken for his demonstration of courage, self-sacrifice, and fidelity to his fellow Americans; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Ms. DELBENE (for herself, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. BERA, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska):

H. Res. 1294. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should negotiate strong, inclusive, and forward-looking rules on digital trade and the digital economy with like-minded countries as part of its broader trade and economic strategy in order to ensure American values of democracy, rule of law, freedom of speech, human and worker rights, privacy, and a free and open internet are at the very core of digital governance; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

By Ms. FOXX:

H. Res. 1295. A resolution of inquiry directing the Secretary of Education to transmit

certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the Department of Education's cost estimates for the Secretary's waivers related to public service loan forgiveness and income-driven repayment; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. FOXX:

H. Res. 1296. A resolution of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Secretary of Education to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the legal authority to forgive Federal student loan debt; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. GOOD of Virginia (for himself, Mr. BABIN, Mrs. BOEBERT, Mr. BACON, Mr. CLYDE, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mrs. GREENE of Georgia, Mr. LAMALFA, Mrs. MILLER of Illinois, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. HICE of Georgia, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. ROSENDALE, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. MANN, Mr. HUIZENGA, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MOORE of Alabama, Mr. CAWTHORN, Mr. ISSA, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. GREEN of Tennessee, Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina, and Mrs. FLORES):

H. Res. 1297. A resolution designating the week beginning November 7, 2022, as "National Pregnancy Center Week" to recognize the vital role that community-supported pregnancy centers play in saving lives and serving women and men faced with difficult pregnancy decisions; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LUETKEMEYER:

H. Res. 1298. A resolution of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Treasury to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the role of the Department of the Treasury in the Paycheck Protection Program of the Small Business Administration; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. SOTO:

H. Res. 1299. A resolution honoring the Future Forum on its successful second Youth Congress and its commitment to issues that affect young people, recognizes the youth participants in Future Forum's town halls and youth congresses for their commitment to public service, and expresses its best wishes for continued success; to the Committee on House Administration.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

ML-218. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, relative to House Resolution No. 194, urging the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom to take whatever action is necessary to address and rectify the situation described in this resolution, and consider adding Canada to the Special Watch List of countries where the government engages in violations of religious freedom; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

ML-219. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 154, urging the Congress of the United States to permanently extend the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 with commensurate spending cuts to avoid increasing the federal tax burden; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representa-

tives, 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. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 8528.

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

First Amendment "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

Fourteenth Amendment "All citizens born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States[.]"

Fifteenth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-sixth Amendments "The right of citizens of the United States to vote . . ."

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 "To establish Post Offices and post Roads;"

Article I, Section 5, Clause 1 "Each House shall be the Judge of the Elections, Returns and Qualifications of its own Members[.]"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 17 "To exercise exclusive Legislation in all Cases whatsoever, over such District (not exceeding ten Miles square) as may, by Cession of particular States, and the Acceptance of Congress, become the Seat of Government of the United States[.]"

Article I, Section 4, Clause 1 "The Times, Places and Manner of holding Elections for Senators and Representatives, shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof; but the Congress may at any time by Law make or alter such Regulations, except as to the Places of choosing Senators."

Sixteenth Amendment "The Congress shall have the power to lay and collect taxes on incomes,"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 12 "To raise and support Armies[.]"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 13 "To provide and maintain a Navy[.]"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 14 "To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces[.]"

By Ms. BONAMICI:

H.R. 8548.

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

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution

By Mr. COURTNEY:

H.R. 8549.

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

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. ROY:

H.R. 8550.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution—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. McEACHIN:

H.R. 8551.

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

Article 1, Section 8, U.S. Constitution

By Mr. ALLRED:

H.R. 8552.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mrs. BICE of Oklahoma:

H.R. 8553.

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