H.R. 8236. A bill to direct the Secretary of Education to award grants to State educational agencies to facilitate the provision of pre-kindergarten programs that reduce the cost of education services and result in positive educational outcomes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. SHERRILL (for herself, Mr. HIMES, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHI, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Ms. TOKUDA):

H.R. 8237. A bill to require a report relating to the provision of certain information in connection with the Russian invasion of Ukraine and the resulting conflict, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, 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 Mrs. STEEL (for herself and Mr. HORSFORD):

H.R. 8238. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense to appropriately consider Taiwan for enhanced defense industrial base cooperation activities; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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 Mrs. WAGNER (for herself, Mr. GARBARINO, Mr. NUNN of Iowa, Mr. MEUSER, Mr. HUIZENGA, and Mr. EMMER):

H.R. 8239. A bill to improve the consideration by the Securities and Exchange Commission of the costs and benefits of regulations and orders of the Commission; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. WAGNER (for herself, Mr. Garbarino, Mr. Meuser, Mr. Huizenga, and Mr. Emmer):

H.R. 8240. A bill to require a GAO audit of the information technology infrastructure of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Commission's handling of data; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. WAGNER (for herself, Mr. GARBARINO, Mr. MEUSER, Mr. HUIZENGA, and Mr. EMMER):

H.R. 8241. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require the Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission to semiannually testify before Congress with regard to the activities of the Commission; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. WILLIAMS of New York:

H.R. 8242. A bill to establish that an individual who is convicted of any offense under any Federal or State law related to the individual's conduct at and during the course of a protest that occurs at an institution of higher education shall be ineligible for forgiveness, cancellation, waiver, or modification of certain Federal student loans; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. SCHIFF:

H. Res. 1192. A resolution recognizing widening threats to freedom of the press and free expression around the world, reaffirming the vital role that a free and independent press plays in countering the growing threats of authoritarianism, misinformation, and disinformation, and reaffirming freedom of the press as a priority of the United States Government in promoting democracy,

human rights, and good governance in commemoration of World Press Freedom Day on May 3, 2024; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY AND SINGLE SUBJECT STATEMENTS

Pursuant to clause 7(c)(1) of rule XII and Section 3(c) of H. Res. 5 the following statements are submitted regarding (1) the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution and (2) the single subject of the bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. BARR:

H.R. 8222.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

The single subject of this legislation is: To amend the Securities Act of 1933 to automatically approve offering statements filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission in connection with certain securities issued under Regulation A tier 2.

By Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER:

H.R. 8223.

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

Article 1, Section 8 of the US Constitution The single subject of this legislation is: Health Care

By Mr. CLINE:

H.R. 8224.

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

Article 1, Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is: This bill eliminates indirect cost reimbursement on federal research grants for institutions with endowments over \$5 billion and caps indirect cost reimbursement for institutions with endowments larger than \$2 billion but less than \$5 billion at 8 percent. It also places caps indirect cost reimbursement for all other institutions at 15 percent. This bill require institutions of higher education that receive indirect cost reimbursement for federal grants to disclose where they spend extra funds on DEI staff.

By Ms. Delbene:

H.R. 8225.

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

Article 1 Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is:

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families By Mr. GARBARINO:

H.R. 8226.

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

lation pursuant to the following: Article 1, Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is:

This bill requires the Comptroller General of the United States to carry out a study regarding major rules issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

By Mr. HERN:

H.R. 8227.

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

Article 1 Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is: Healthcare

By Mr. HUIZENGA:

H.R. 8228.

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

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.

The single subject of this legislation is:

This bill dissolves the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board and creates the Office of Public Accounting Oversight within the Securities and Exchange Commission.

By Mr. JACKSON of Texas:

H.R. 8229.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

The single subject of this legislation is:

To establish additional payments for unborn livestock under the livestock indemnity payment program.

By Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota:

H.R. 8230.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution The single subject of this legislation is:

To streamline the permitting process for communications infrastructure on National Forest System lands.

By Mr. LAWLER:

H.R. 8231

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

Article I, Section 8, clause 7

The single subject of this legislation is:

To award a congressional gold medal to James Earl Jones, an American icon, in recognition of a remarkable life in reshaping perceptions, dismantling racial barriers, and advocating for equal opportunities for people of all backgrounds in film and theatre.

By Mr. MAST:

H.R. 8232

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

The single subject of this legislation is:

Direct the Secretary of State to retrieve any funds that have been transfered to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA)

By Mr. MAST:

H.R. 8233.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

The single subject of this legislation is: Would require the use of the American flag on all foreign aid.

By Mr. MURPHY:

H.R. 8235.

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

Article I, Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is:

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to modify the distribution of certain additional graduate medical education positions under the Medicare program.

By Mr. NUNN of Iowa:

H.R. 8236.

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

Article 1, Section 8 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 in any Department or Officer thereof.

The single subject of this legislation is:

To direct the Secretary of Education to award grants to State educational agencies to facilitate the provision of pre-kindergarten programs that reduce the cost of education services and result in positive educational outcomes, and for other purposes.

By Ms. SHERRILL:

H.R. 8237.

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

lation pursuant to the following: Clause 16 of Section 8 of Article I of the

U.S. Constitution
The single subject of this legislation is:

This legislation will ensure that sharing information with relevant allies is an engrained DoD tool to prevent and respond to global crises.

By Mrs. STEEL:

H.R. 8238.

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

Article I. Section 8

The single subject of this legislation is: Defense

By Mrs. WAGNER:

H.R. 8239.

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

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

The single subject of this legislation is: This bill improves the consideration by the

This bill improves the consideration by the Securities and Exchange Commission of the costs and benefits of regulations and orders of the Commission.

By Mrs. WAGNER:

H.R. 8240.

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

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

The single subject of this legislation is:

This bill requires a GAO audit of the information technology infrastructure of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Commission's handling of data.

By Mrs. WAGNER:

H.R. 8241.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution
The single subject of this legislation is:

This bill amends the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require the Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission to semiannually testify before Congress with regard to the activities of the Commission.

By Mr. WILLIAMS of New York:

H.R. 8242.

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

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

The single subject of this legislation is:

The single subject of this legislation is:
To establish that an individual who is convicted of any offense under any Federal or
State law related to the individual's conduct at and during the course of a protest that occurs at an institution of higher education shall be ineligible for forgiveness, cancellation, waiver, or modification of certain Federal student loans.

## 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. 251: Mr. OBERNOLTE and Mr. CARBAJAL.

H.R. 1077: Mr. GOMEZ.

H.R. 1776: Ms. Pingree and Ms. Tlaib. H.R. 1831: Mr. Golden of Maine, Ms. McClellan, Mr. Khanna, Mr. DeSaulnier, Mr. Bera, Ms. Eshoo, Ms. Tokuda, Ms. Leger Fernandez, and Ms. Pettersen.

H.R. 2826: Mrs. Harshbarger.

H.R. 3548: Mr. LIEU.

H.R. 4438: Mr. Rogers of Alabama.

H.R. 4845: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 4978: Mr. TRONE.

H.R. 4979: Ms. Stansbury.

H.R. 5403: Mr. McClintock.

H.R. 6179: Ms. SLOTKIN and Mr. NORCROSS.

H.R. 7764: Mr. BACON.

H.R. 7921: Mr. YAKYM and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 7951: Ms. HAGEMAN and Mr. DAVIDSON.

H.R. 8127: Mr. Mfume and Ms. Plaskett.

H.R. 8218: Mr. NORMAN.

H.R. 8219: Mrs. RADEWAGEN.

H.R. 8221: Mr. MEUSER and Mr. ROUZER.

H.J. Res. 135: Mr. STEUBE and Mr. OGLES.

H. Res. 616: Mr. Amo.

H. Res. 1158: Mr. Dunn of Florida and Mr. Garamendi.

## DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 11, April 30, 2024, by Mr. STEUBE on House Resolution 961, was signed by the following Members: Mr. Steube, Mrs. Luna, Mr. Mills, Mrs. Boebert, Mr. Gaetz, Mr. Moskowitz, Mr. Bilirakis, Mrs. Cammack, Mr. Donalds, Mr. Burchett, Mr. LaMalfa, Mrs. Harshbarger, Ms. Porter, Ms. Tokuda, and Mr. Thompson of California.