

1679. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Qualifying Advanced Coal Project Program [Notice 2009-24] received April 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1680. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 2009 Calendar Year Resident Population Estimates [Notice 2009-21] received March 30, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1681. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Election and Notice Procedures for Multi-employer Plans under Sections 204 and 205 of WRERA [Notice: 2009-31] received March 30, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1682. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Announcement and Report Concerning Advance Pricing Agreements — received March 30, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1683. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's plan for recovery payments, pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1684. A letter from the Acting Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report on the Fiscal Year 2006 Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program in accordance with section 2610 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (OBRA) of 1981, as amended; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Education and Labor.

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. FILNER: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 23. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish the Merchant Mariner Equity Compensation Fund to provide benefits to certain individuals who served in the United States merchant marine (including the Army Transport Service and the Naval Transport Service) during World War II; with an amendment (Rept. 111-99). 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 Mr. BOEHNER (for himself, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. PENCE, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. CARTER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. MCCARTHY of California, Mr. DREIER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. WOLF, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. COLE, Ms. FALLIN, and Mr. AUSTRIA):

H.R. 2294. A bill to require the approval of the relevant State governor and legislature

and the President's notification and certification before the transfer or release of an individual currently detained at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to a location in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. FARR (for himself, Ms. GRANGER, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 2295. A bill to assist local communities with closed and active military bases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KING of Iowa (for himself and Mr. SPACE):

H.R. 2296. A bill to reform the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives, modernize firearms laws and regulations, protect the community from criminals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. MCGOVERN (for himself and Mrs. EMERSON):

H.R. 2297. A bill to require the President to call a White House Conference on Food and Nutrition; to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. YARMUTH (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, and Mr. ROSKAM):

H.R. 2298. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the exclusion for employer-provided dependent care assistance; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. COHEN, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. CLAY, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. BARROW, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. ROSS, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. WEINER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. LANGEVIN):

H.R. 2299. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to enhance services to small business concerns that are disadvantaged, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. BISHOP of Utah (for himself, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Ms. FOX, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. HELLER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. LEE of New York, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. LATTI, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. THORNBERRY):

H.R. 2300. A bill to provide the United States with a comprehensive energy package to place Americans on a path to a secure economic future through increased energy innovation, conservation, and production; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources, Energy and Commerce, Science and

Technology, Rules, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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. YARMUTH (for himself, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. SCHWARTZ, and Mr. KING of New York):

H.R. 2301. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act with respect to treatment of didactic and scholarly activities and training in outpatient settings for purposes of payment for graduate medical education 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 Ms. SHEA-PORTER (for herself, Mr. HODES, and Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona):

H.R. 2302. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to limit recoupments of separation pay, special separation benefits, and voluntary separation incentive from members of the Armed Forces subsequently receiving retired or retainer pay; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. FALCOMA VAEGA):

H.R. 2303. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to eliminate the restriction on reducing Federal income tax refunds for past-due State income tax obligations of out-of-state residents in the case of States with reciprocal agreements with the Federal Government to reduce State income tax refunds for Federal income tax obligations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BOREN (for himself, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. TAYLOR, Mr. SKELTON, and Mr. CONAWAY):

H.R. 2304. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Defense to prohibit the unauthorized use of names and images of members of the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. GOODLATTE (for himself, Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. HARPER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. CONAWAY, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. HELLER, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SENBRENNER, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. SULLIVAN, and Mr. CANTOR):

H.R. 2305. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the diversity immigrant program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DICKS:

H.R. 2306. A bill to provide for the establishment of a National Climate Service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science and Technology.

By Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas (for himself and Mr. UPTON):

H.R. 2307. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide Medicare beneficiaries with access to geriatric assessments and chronic care management and coordination services, 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. COHEN (for himself, Mr. WHITFIELD, and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 2308. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain interstate conduct relating to exotic animals and certain computer-assisted remote hunting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Ms. MATSUI):

H.R. 2309. A bill to provide authority to the Federal Trade Commission to expedite rulemakings concerning consumer credit or debt and to direct the Commission to examine and promulgate rules with regard to debt settlement and automobile sales, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself, Mr. KIRK, Mrs. DAVIS of California, and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 2310. A bill to authorize assistance to small- and medium-sized businesses to promote exports to the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Small Business, 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. KIRK (for himself, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mrs. DAVIS of California, and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 2311. A bill to provide for increased funding and support for diplomatic engagement with the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ISRAEL (for himself, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. KIRK, and Mrs. DAVIS of California):

H.R. 2312. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Energy to make grants to encourage cooperation between the United States and China on joint research, development, or commercialization of carbon capture and sequestration technology, improved energy efficiency, or renewable energy sources; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science and Technology, 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. DAVIS of California (for herself, Mr. KIRK, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 2313. A bill to support programs that offer instruction in Chinese language and culture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ABERCROMBIE (for himself and Ms. HIRONO):

H.R. 2314. A bill to express the policy of the United States regarding the United States relationship with Native Hawaiians and to provide a process for the recognition by the United States of the Native Hawaiian governing entity; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. AUSTRIA (for himself, Mr. LATTA, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, and Mrs. SCHMIDT):

H.R. 2315. A bill to prohibit the use of funds to transfer enemy combatants detained at Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to facilities in Ohio or to construct facilities in Ohio for such enemy combatants; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BACA (for himself and Mrs. NAPOLITANO):

H.R. 2316. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of water resources in the State of California, and for

other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. KAGEN, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. KIND, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. PETRI):

H.R. 2317. A bill to authorize the President to posthumously award a gold medal on behalf of the Congress to Robert M. La Follette, Sr., in recognition of his important contributions to the Progressive movement, the State of Wisconsin, and the United States; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. KAGEN, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. KIND, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. PETRI):

H.R. 2318. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of Robert M. La Follette, Sr., in recognition of his important contributions to the Progressive movement, the State of Wisconsin, and the United States; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. WU, Mr. KIND, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 2319. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make all veterans eligible for home loans under the veterans mortgage revenue bond program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BOREN:

H.R. 2320. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Army to retain funds collected from recreation fees at Lake Texoma to repair flood-damaged recreation facilities; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. BOUSTANY, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LAMBORN, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. OLSON, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. SHIMKUS):

H.R. 2321. A bill to continue the application of certain procedures in the House of Representatives applicable to medicare funding legislation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa (for himself, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. LOEBACK, and Mr. HARE):

H.R. 2322. A bill to amend section 18 of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to establish a pilot program that requires schools to post nutritional content information regarding foods served at schools and to teach students how to make healthy food selections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mrs. CAPPS (for herself, Ms. MATSUI, and Ms. BALDWIN):

H.R. 2323. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to develop a national strategic action plan to assist health professionals in preparing for and responding to the public health effects of climate change, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CASTLE (for himself, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. KIRK, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H.R. 2324. A bill to require criminal background checks on all firearms transactions occurring at gun shows; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CUELLAR (for himself, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. CULBERSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. REYES, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. OLSON, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. CARTER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. GRANGER, and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 2325. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1300 Matamoros Street in Laredo, Texas, as the "Laredo Veterans Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself and Mr. BARTLETT):

H.R. 2326. A bill to promote the national security and stability of the United States economy by reducing the dependence of the United States on foreign oil, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HENSARLING (for himself, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. PITTS, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. OLSON, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. FLEMING, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. POSEY, and Mr. FOX):

H.R. 2327. A bill to preserve consumer choice and access to credit and enhance consumer disclosures; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HIGGINS (for himself, Mr. REICHERT, Mr. ARCURI, and Mr. MCHUGH):

H.R. 2328. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for the installation of residential micro-combined heat and power property; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KISSELL:

H.R. 2329. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the deduction for certain expenses of elementary and secondary school teachers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAMBORN:

H.R. 2330. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing Camp Hale as a unit of the National Park System; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LATTA:

H.R. 2331. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the 10 percent penalty on distributions from qualified retirement plans for mortgage payments on qualified residences and in respect of unemployment and to increase the age at which distributions from qualified retirement plans are required to begin from 70 1/2 to 75; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCMAHON (for himself, Mr. SARBANES, and Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia):

H.R. 2332. A bill to amend the Peace Corps Act and the National and Community Service Trust Act to increase the affordability of medical education; to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. NORTON:

H.R. 2333. A bill to establish a District of Columbia National Guard Educational Assistance Program to encourage the enlistment and retention of persons in the District of Columbia National Guard by providing financial assistance to enable members of the National Guard of the District of Columbia to attend undergraduate, vocational, or technical courses; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 2334. A bill to extend to the Mayor of the District of Columbia the same authority over the National Guard of the District of Columbia as the Governors of the several States exercise over the National Guard of those States with respect to administration of the National Guard and its use to respond to natural disasters and other civil disturbances, while ensuring that the President retains control of the National Guard of the District of Columbia to respond to homeland defense emergencies; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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. OBERSTAR (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi):

H.R. 2335. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to carry out a program to ensure fair treatment in the security screening of individuals with metal implants traveling in air transportation; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. PERLMUTTER (for himself, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HODES, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. MARKEY of Massachusetts, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SIREN, Ms. TSONGAS, and Mr. HIMES):

H.R. 2336. A bill to encourage energy efficiency and conservation and development of renewable energy sources for housing, commercial structures, and other buildings, and to create sustainable communities; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. TEAGUE (for himself and Mr. REYES):

H.R. 2337. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to make grants for certain transportation feasibility studies for southern New Mexico and west Texas; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. TIAHRT (for himself, Mr. HERGER, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana):

H.R. 2338. A bill to prohibit any alien formerly detained at the Department of Defense detention facility at Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and brought into the United States from receiving any Federal, State, or local public benefit; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. WOOLSEY:

H.R. 2339. A bill to establish a program that supports the efforts of States to provide partial or full wage replacement to new parents, so that the new parents are able to spend time with a new infant or newly adopted child, and to other employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 2340. A bill to resolve the claims of the Bering Straits Native Corporation and the State of Alaska to land adjacent to Salmon Lake in the State of Alaska and to provide for the conveyance to the Bering Straits Native Corporation of certain other public land in partial satisfaction of the land

entitlement of the Corporation under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. BROUN of Georgia (for himself, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. TAYLOR, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. PENCE, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. TIAHRT, and Mr. ROGERS of Alabama):

H.J. Res. 50. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to marriage; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOHMERT (for himself, Mr. ROONEY, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. FLEMING, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. PITTS, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. POSEY, and Mr. GINGREY of Georgia):

H.J. Res. 51. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to permit the penalty of death for the rape of a child; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BROUN of Georgia (for himself, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. FORBES, Mr. PENCE, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. WAMP, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. CARTER, Mr. AKIN, and Mr. MCCOTTER):

H. Con. Res. 121. Concurrent resolution encouraging the President to designate 2010 as "The National Year of the Bible"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself and Mr. BILIRAKIS):

H. Con. Res. 122. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Parthenon Marbles should be returned to Greece; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. DREIER (for himself, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. SHUSTER, and Ms. SCHWARTZ):

H. Res. 414. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should initiate negotiations to enter into a free trade agreement with the country of Georgia; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. POMEROY:

H. Res. 415. A resolution commending the heroic efforts of the people fighting the floods in North Dakota and Minnesota; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia (for himself, Mr. MARKEY of Massachusetts, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HONDA, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mr. RANGEL):

H. Res. 416. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should become an international human rights leader by ratifying and implementing certain core international conventions; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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 Ms. BALDWIN:

H. Res. 417. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that

President Barack Obama should immediately work to reverse damaging and illegal actions taken by the Bush/Cheney Administration and collaborate with Congress to proactively prevent any further abuses of executive branch power; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, 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. BOUSTANY (for himself, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. CAO, Mr. JONES, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. GUTHRIE, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. ROSS, and Mr. WALZ):

H. Res. 418. A resolution congratulating Jockey Calvin Borel for his victory at the 135th Kentucky Derby; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Ms. LEE of California):

H. Res. 419. A resolution fostering resilience in African American youth; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LATTA:

H. Res. 420. A resolution celebrating the symbol of the United States flag and supporting the goals and ideals of Flag Day; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ROE of Tennessee (for himself and Mr. DUNCAN):

H. Res. 421. A resolution recognizing and commending the Great Smoky Mountains National Park on its 75th year anniversary; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. SUTTON (for herself, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. KILROY, Mr. WILSON of Ohio, Mr. SPACE, and Mr. BOCCIERI):

H. Res. 422. A resolution congratulating LeBron James for being named the 2009 Most Valuable Player in the National Basketball Association; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. WAMP:

H. Res. 423. A resolution expressing support for a national day of remembrance for the workers of the nuclear weapons program of the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of Rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

42. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the State Senate of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 31 TO URGE CONGRESS TO ENACT A WAIVER OR EXCLUSION FOR YOUTH MOTORCYCLES, ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES, AND SNOWMOBILES FROM THE LEAD REQUIREMENTS OF THE CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY IMPROVEMENT ACT AND TO ENCOURAGE THE CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION TO EXCLUDE THOSE PRODUCTS UNDER THEIR REGULATORY AUTHORITY; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

43. Also, a memorial of the State Senate of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 21 TO MEMORIALIZE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS TO FULLY FUND