

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 12, 2981–3007 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 409, waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 112–214).

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative McClintock to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 10:43 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon.

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Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Judith Wright, First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church, Northborough, Massachusetts.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Authorizing the use of Emancipation Hall in the Capitol Visitor Center for an event to award the Congressional Gold Medal: S. Con. Res. 28, to authorize the use of Emancipation Hall in the Capitol Visitor Center for an event to award the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the 100th Infantry Battalion, 442nd Regimental Combat Team, and the Military Intelligence Service, United States Army, in recognition of their dedicated service during World War II, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 424 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 717;

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Christopher S. Bond United States Courthouse Designation Act: S. 846, to designate the United States courthouse located at 80 Lafayette Street in Jefferson City, Missouri, as the Christopher S. Bond United States Courthouse, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 407 yeas to 2 nays with 2 voting “present”, Roll No. 718;

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Short-Term TANF Extension Act: H.R. 2943, to extend the program of block grants to States for temporary assistance for needy families and related programs through December 31, 2011; and

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Child and Family Services Improvement and Innovation Act: H.R. 2883, amended, to amend part B of title IV of the Social Security Act to extend the child and family services program through

fiscal year 2016, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 395 yeas to 25 nays, Roll No. 720.

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Small Business Program Extension and Reform Act of 2011: The House failed to concur in the Senate amendment with an amendment to H.R. 2608, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, by a yea-and-nay vote of 195 yeas to 230 nays, Roll No. 719.

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H. Res. 405, the rule providing for consideration of the Senate amendment, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 185 nays, Roll No. 716, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 237 yeas to 188 nays, Roll No. 715.

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Recess: The House recessed at 7:35 p.m. and reconvened at 7:58 p.m.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress that the national emergency declared with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism is to continue in effect beyond September 23, 2011—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 112–57).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Six yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6316, H6313–14, H6314, H6315, H6328 and H6329. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARMY RESERVE, ARMY NATIONAL GUARD AND AIR NATIONAL GUARD READINESS, TRAINING AND OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing on Army Reserve, Army National Guard and Air National Guard readiness, training and operations. Testimony was heard from Lieutenant General Jasck C. Stultz, USA, Chief, U.S. Army Reserve; Major General Raymond W. Carpenter, USA, Acting Director, Army National Guard; and Lieutenant General Harry M. Wyatt, USAF, Director, Air National Guard.