

Rejected:

DeGette amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 112–668) that sought to make changes to the findings section of the bill (by a recorded vote of 169 ayes to 238 noes, Roll No. 581) and

**Pages H6018–19, H6021**

Waxman amendment (No. 2 printed in H. Rept. 112–668) that sought to strike the subsection preventing DOE from issuing a new loan guarantee for applications submitted after December 31, 2011 (by a recorded vote of 170 ayes to 231 noes, Roll No. 582).

**Pages H6019–22**

H. Res. 779, the rule providing for consideration of the bill, was agreed to yesterday, September 13th.

**Reauthorizing the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act:** Agreed by unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table and pass S. 3552, to reauthorize the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

**Pages H6024–42**

**Meeting Hour:** Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12 noon on Tuesday, September 18th and when the House adjourns on that day, it adjourn to meet at 12 noon on Wednesday, September 19th for morning hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

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**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate today appears on page H6012.

**Senate Referrals:** S. 3552 was held at the desk and S.J. Res. 44 was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6021, H6021–22, H6023–24 and H6024. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUDITABILITY CHALLENGES

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Department of Defense Auditability Challenges. Testimony was heard from Elizabeth A. McGrath Deputy Chief Management Officer Department of Defense; Robert F. Hale, Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), Department of Defense; Gladys J. Commons, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Financial Management and Comptroller, Department of the Navy; Mary Sally Matiella, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Financial Management and Comptroller, Department of the Army; Marilyn M. Thomas, Deputy Assistant

Secretary for Financial Management and Comptroller, Department of the Air Force.

### TITLE 42—A REVIEW OF SPECIAL HIRING AUTHORITIES

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Title 42—A Review of Special Hiring Authorities”. Testimony was heard from Robert Goldenkoff, Director, Strategic Issues, Government Accountability Office; and Robert Cramer, Managing Associate General Counsel, Government Accountability Office.

### HOUSING FOR HEROES: EXAMINING HOW FEDERAL PROGRAMS CAN BETTER SERVE VETERANS

*Committee on Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity held a hearing entitled “Housing for Heroes: Examining How Federal Programs Can Better Serve Veterans”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### LESSONS FROM FORT HOOD: IMPROVING OUR ABILITY TO CONNECT THE DOTS

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Management held a hearing entitled “Lessons From Fort Hood: Improving our Ability to Connect the Dots”. Testimony was heard from Douglas Winter, Deputy Chair, William H. Webster Commission; Kshemendra Paul, Program Manager, Information Sharing Environment, Office of the Director of National Intelligence; and public witnesses.

### PER CAPITA ACT AND FEDERAL TREATMENT OF TRUST PER CAPITA DISTRIBUTIONS

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Indian and Alaska Native Affairs held a hearing entitled “Per Capita Act and Federal Treatment of Trust Per Capita Distributions”. Testimony was heard from Christy J. Jacobs, Director, Office of Indian Tribal Governments, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

### RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN NASA'S COMMERCIAL CREW ACQUISITION STRATEGY

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Recent Developments in NASA's Commercial Crew Acquisition Strategy”. Testimony was heard from William H. Gerstenmaier, Associate Administrator, Human Exploration and Operations Mission Directorate, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and a public witness.

**VA FEE BASIS CARE: FLAWED POLICIES  
NOT A FIX FOR A FLAWED SYSTEM**

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled "VA Fee Basis Care: Flawed Policies not a Fix for a Flawed System". Testimony was heard from Robert A. Petzel, Under Secretary for Health Veterans, Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

**SECURING THE FUTURE OF THE SOCIAL  
SECURITY DISABILITY INSURANCE  
PROGRAM**

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing entitled "Securing the Future of the Social Security Disability Insurance Program". Testimony was heard from Daniel

Bertoni, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security, Government Accountability Office; and public witnesses.

***Joint Meetings***

No joint committee meetings were held.

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**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR MONDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 17, 2012**

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

**Senate**

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

**House**

No hearings are scheduled.