CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, 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. LANKFORD:

H.R. 3433. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1: "The Congress shall have power ... to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing powers."

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 3434. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress, and to establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States.

By Mr. KINGSTON:

H.R. 3442. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 1. The Congress shall have Power to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York:

H.R. 3443. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 2. The Congress shall have Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or of any particular State.

By Ms. FLEISCHMANN:

H.R. 3444. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 3. The Congress shall have the Power ... To establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 3445. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; and all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. RYAN of Ohio:

H.R. 3446. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

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

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3447. Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18; To provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; and all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 100: Mr. GINGRICH of Georgia and Mr. BOUNTANY.
H.R. 265: Ms. LEE of California.
H.R. 266: Ms. LEE of California.
H.R. 267: Ms. LEE of California.
H.R. 303: Mr. ROE of Tennessee.
H.R. 329: Mr. TOWNS.
H.R. 374: Mr. FINCHER and Mr. BOUNTANY.
H.R. 436: Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois and Mr. PETTIT.
H.R. 531: Ms. ZOE LOFREN of California, Mr. SCHRADE, and Mr. DEFAZIO.
H.R. 631: Mr. CONYERS.
H.R. 692: Mr. ROHRABACHER.
H.R. 708: Mr. GHRAGUE.
H.R. 718: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. RIGELL, and Mr. TOWNS.
H.R. 719: Mr. OLSON.
H.R. 721: Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. MCCULLOCH, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. MCMHARRY, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GARRETT, and Mr. BARTON of Texas.
H.R. 812: Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. MANZULLO, and Ms. BORDALLO.
H.R. 835: Ms. HAYWORTH and Ms. HAIN.
H.R. 855: Mr. CARNAN.
H.R. 850: Mr. CHABOT.
H.R. 972: Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California.
H.R. 1050: Mr. WITTEN.
H.R. 1081: Mr. SCHIFF and Mr. LANCE.
H.R. 1092: Mr. MCCOTTER.
H.R. 1148: Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. PETERSON, Mr. PARKS of Florida, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Mr. BARTON of Texas.
H.R. 1150: Ms. BRIAN of New York, Mr. HEGGS, and Mr. ELLISON.