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. RAHALL:
H.R. 353.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 and Clause 18 of the Constitution.

By Mr. HANNA:
H.R. 3534.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
The Constitutional authority on which this bill rests is enumerated in Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. POLITIS:
H.R. 3535.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 1.
All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia:
H.R. 3536.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Sec. 8 cl. 1 and cl. 3.

By Mr. REEBERG:
H.R. 3537.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. MICA:
H.R. 3538.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 18, the necessary and proper clause.

By Mr. CANSECO:
H.R. 3539.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution stipulates that funds may not be drawn from the Treasury, unless previously authorized by law. This clause gives Congress the power to authorize spending by law; consequently, Congress has the power to repeal authorization for previously authorized spending by law.

By Mr. CARTER:
H.R. 3540.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8, Clause 1: 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;

By Mr. FRANKS of Arizona:
H.R. 3541.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
The Constitution, Clause; Section 2 of the 13th Amendment; Section 5 of the 14th Amendment; Art. 1, Section 8.

By Mr. GRIJALVA:
H.R. 3542.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
U.S. Const. art. 1, §§1 and 8.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois:
H.R. 3543.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I Section 1; and Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States of America.

By Mr. FITTS:
H.R. 3545.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I Section 8.

By Mr. TURNER of Ohio:
H.R. 3546.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Clauses 3, 14 and 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution

By Mrs. WATERS:
H.R. 3547.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the U.S. Constitution, Article 1. section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution, and Amendment VIII to the U.S. Constitution.

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. 139: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. SPARKS, and Ms. MCDOWELL.
H.R. 266: Mr. RANGEL.
H.R. 267: Mr. RANGEL.
H.R. 329: Ms. BERKLEY.
H.R. 333: Mr. MCCOTTER, Ms. DEGETTE, and Mr. CARTER.
H.R. 363: Mr. BLUMENAUER.
H.R. 389: Mr. HARRIS, Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, and Mr. FLORES.
H.R. 414: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
H.R. 420: Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina and Mr. BASS of New Hampshire.
H.R. 452: Mr. SIMPSON and Mr. GARDNER.
H.R. 512: Mr. KILDER.
H.R. 531: Mr. HIMES.
H.R. 555: Mr. NADLER.
H.R. 593: Mr. ROHY and Mr. KLINE.
H.R. 618: Mr. DURTH.
H.R. 651: Ms. HAHN.
H.R. 665: Mr. CALVERT.
H.R. 718: Mr. McDERMOTT and Ms. HERRERA.
H.R. 719: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.
H.R. 721: Mr. GOMEZ, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. HERRIG, Mr. GOODY, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.
H.R. 808: Ms. HAHN.
H.R. 835: Mr. OWEN of Colorado.
H.R. 880: Mr. LATHAM.
H.R. 885: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1063: Ms. SEWELL, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MARCHANT, and Mr. McDERMOTT.
H.R. 1084: Mr. TOWNS.
H.R. 1311: Ms. WILSON of Florida.
H.R. 1335: Mr. MICHAUD.
H.R. 1148: Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. TONKO, Mr. LANDRY, Mr. MINTTYE, Mr. YOUNG of Indiana, Mr. GOSAR, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. BUCEROSA, Mr. SCALISE, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida.
H.R. 1161: Mr. TURNER of Ohio.
H.R. 1175: Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mrs. MUKCH.
H.R. 1186: Mr. QUAYLE and Mr. FARENTHOLD.
H.R. 1236: Mr. MICA.
H.R. 1238: Ms. WILSON of Florida.
H.R. 1238: Mr. LATHAM.
H.R. 1327: Mr. SCALISE, Mr. DENHAM, Mr. TURNER of New York, Mr. KELLY, Mr. HARPER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. TURNER of Ohio, Mr. ROONEY, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. BASS of New Hampshire, Mr. LATOURRETTE, Mr. NUNES, Mr. FEHLENBYSIEN, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. PERLMUTTER, and Mr. GUNTA.
H.R. 1370: Mr. LABRADOR and Mr. OLSON.
H.R. 1418: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.
H.R. 1433: Mr. KING of Iowa.
H.R. 1489: Mr. YARMUTH.
H.R. 1513: Mr. TONKO and Mr. AMODEI.
H.R. 1513: Mr. MATHYNE, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. BASS of New Hampshire.
H.R. 1544: Mr. REED.
H.R. 1558: Mr. CLEAYER.
H.R. 1580: Mr. TIERRE and Mr. POMPICO.
H.R. 1614: Mr. POSEY.
H.R. 1639: Mr. CARTER.
H.R. 1656: Mr. HOLT.
H.R. 1704: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
H.R. 1734: Mr. WOMACK.
H.R. 1738: Ms. CASTOR of Florida and Ms. KAPTURE.
H.R. 1744: Mr. GRANGER.
H.R. 1834: Mr. STUTZMAN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. HULTGREEN, Mr. GOHMER, Mr. COLLE, Mr. NEUGAEBER, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. LONG, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. YODER, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. MCHENRY, and Mr. GIBBS.
H.R. 1897: Mr. LOBESACK and Mr. WOMACK.
H.R. 1905: Mrs. MALONEY.
H.R. 1905: Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.
H.R. 2002: Mr. LABRADOR.
H.R. 2016: Mr. TONKO, Mr. POLITIS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. COOPER, and Ms. TSONGAS.
H.R. 2070: Mr. HOCK.
H.R. 2082: Mr. POLITIS.
H.R. 2084: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
H.R. 2090: Mr. GRUJALVA.
H.R. 2121: Mrs. MYRICK.
H.R. 2127: Ms. MOORE and Ms. CASTOR of Florida.
H.R. 2245: Mr. PASCHELL.
H.R. 2297: Mr. MckINLEY, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. TIERREY, Mr. TONKO, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. COHEN, Mrs. LUMMIS, Ms. CANTOR of Florida, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Ms. NORTON, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. Tipton, and Mr. WALZ of Minnesota.
H.R. 2298: Mr. PITT.
H.R. 2272: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.
H.R. 2284: Mr. DENHAM.
H.R. 2286: Mr. CLEAYER and Mr. MILLER of Florida.
H.R. 2313: Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. COLE, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. FENCE, Mr. BISHOP of New Mexico, Mr. GOODY, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.
H.R. 2420: Mr. CROOK, Mr. ROBERTS of Florida, Mr. SCLAR, Mr. BUCEROSA, and Mr. HOLT.
H.R. 2316: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.