

Navy; to make rules for the government and regulations of the land and naval forces; and to provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining the militia, and for governing such part of them as may be employed in the Service of the United States.

By Mr. BARLETTA:

H.R. 5761.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 4 and 18.

Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 5762.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Constitution of the United States provides clear authority for Congress to pass legislation to provide for the general welfare of the United States. Article I of the Constitution, in detailing Congressional authority, provides that "Congress shall have Power to provide for the . . . general welfare of the United States. . . ." This legislation is introduced pursuant to that grant of authority.

By Mr. DAINES:

H.R. 5763.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, of the United States Constitution reserves to Congress the power to raise and support Armies and provide and maintain a Navy, as well as make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces.

By Mr. JOYCE:

H.R. 5764.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico:

H.R. 5765.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section A.

By Mr. O'ROURKE:

H.R. 5766.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3:

The Congress shall have Power \* \* \* To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. PAULSEN:

H.R. 5767.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8.

By Mr. POE of Texas:

H.R. 5768.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 4.

#### ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

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

H.R. 679: Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 684: Mr. SIMPSON.

H.R. 713: Mr. HUNTER and Mr. ROSKAM.

H.R. 786: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1070: Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 1731: Mr. SCHNEIDER.

H.R. 1734: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1812: Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

H.R. 1910: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1981: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 2146: Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 2368: Mr. JEFFRIES.

H.R. 2502: Mr. JEFFRIES.

H.R. 2737: Mr. YARMUTH.

H.R. 2847: Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 2901: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 3116: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 3426: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 3471: Mr. AL GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 3480: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 3486: Mr. LAMBORN.

H.R. 3512: Mr. FORTENBERRY.

H.R. 3717: Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 3742: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 4163: Mr. KILDEE and Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 4221: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 4347: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 4365: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 4426: Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 4507: Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 4551: Mr. LOEBACK.

H.R. 4679: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 4693: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California.

H.R. 4726: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 4748: Mr. REICHERT.

H.R. 4778: Mr. ELLISON, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. ROHRBACHER.

H.R. 4887: Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 4930: Mr. RUIZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. REED, Mr. CARTER, and Mr. CONAWAY.

H.R. 4960: Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. KILMER, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. COURTNEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. NUNNELLEE, Mr. BARR, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. DENT, Mrs. BUSTOS, and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 4977: Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 5059: Mr. VALADAO.

H.R. 5186: Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois and Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 5227: Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 5229: Mr. GRIJALVA and Mr. GARAMENDI.

H.R. 5267: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 5364: Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. PASCRELL, and Ms. DELBENE.

H.R. 5372: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 5391: Mr. DEUTCH and Mr. BENISHEK.

H.R. 5473: Mr. JONES.

H.R. 5499: Ms. ESHOO and Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 5532: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 5589: Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. MENG, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 5638: Mr. RIBBLE.

H.R. 5648: Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 5655: Mr. TONKO.

H.R. 5656: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 5680: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 5685: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 5690: Mr. FALCOMA.

H.R. 5697: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 5706: Mr. HORSFORD.

H.R. 5710: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 5737: Mr. GOHMERT.

H. Res. 72: Mr. LOEBACK.

H. Res. 755: Mr. VALADAO and Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H. Res. 757: Mr. GOHMERT.

#### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

101. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the National Guard Association, Washington, D.C., relative to urging the Congress to remove the specter of sequestration from defense funding; to the Committee on Armed Services.

102. Also, a petition of the Council of the City of Cincinnati, Ohio, relative to Resolution 050-2014 expressing its desire for Congressional approval of H.R. 965; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

103. Also, a petition of the City of Miami, Florida, relative to Resolution R-14-0343 urging the Congress to enact the "Bella Bill" to advance pediatric cancer research; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

104. Also, a petition of the Township of Berkeley, New Jersey, relative to Resolution No. 14-388-R urging the President to utilize the full powers and authorities of his office to secure the release of United States Marine Sgt. Andrew Tahmooressi from Mexican custody; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

105. Also, a petition of the Blinded Veterans Association, Washington, D.C., relative to Resolution 14-14 urging the Senate to ratify the CRPD treaty; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

106. Also, a petition of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Passaic County, New Jersey, relative to Resolution R-2014-753 urging the President to secure the release of United States Marine Sergeant Andrew Tahmooressi from Mexican prison and custody and transferred to the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

107. Also, a petition of the Council of the District of Columbia, Washington, D.C., relative to Resolution 20-624 to approve the transfer of jurisdiction of a portion of Reservation 497 (Square 3712, Lots 101-104) from the United States, by the Department of the Interior, National Park Services, to the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

108. Also, a petition of the Governor, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, relative to an appeal for action on legislation that will help ensure the continued economic recovery of the islands; jointly to the Committees on Natural Resources and the Judiciary.

109. Also, a petition of Colegio de Abogados y Abogadas de Puerto Rico, Puerto Rico, relative to Resolution No. 2 reaffirming the Association's historic opposition to the death penalty in Puerto Rico or sentences of Puerto Ricans convicted of death penalty crimes in any applicable jurisdiction; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

110. Also, a petition of the Ohio Clerk of Courts Association, Ohio, relative to a petition urging consideration and support for HR 5178; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

111. Also, a petition of the Senior Citizens League, Virginia, relative to a petition to pass the Strengthen Social Security Act S. 567 and H.R. 3118; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Education and the Workforce.

112. Also, a petition of the Blinded Veterans Association, Washington, D.C., relative to Resolution 21-14 supporting legislation to require the President, Vice President, and Members of Congress to enroll for VA medical care services and receive health care exclusively from the VA health care system; jointly to the Committees on House Administration, Oversight and Government Reform, and Veterans' Affairs.