

AE49) received April 24, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4682. A letter from the Program Specialist, LRAD, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Real Estate Appraisals [Docket No.: OCC-2017-0011] (RIN: 1557-AE18) received April 24, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4683. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Good Guidance Practices; Technical Amendment [Docket No.: FDA-2018-N-1097] received April 24, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4684. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revision of Organization; Technical Amendment [Docket No.: FDA-2018-N-0011] received April 24, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4685. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report on progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus question, covering the period June 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2373(d); Public Law 87-195, Sec. 620(d); (92 Stat. 739); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4686. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser, Office of Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting reports concerning international agreements other than treaties entered into by the United States to be transmitted to the Congress within the sixty-day period specified in the Case-Zablocki Act, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); Public Law 92-403, Sec. 1(a) (as amended by Public Law 108-458, Sec. 7121(b)); (118 Stat. 3807); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4687. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's FY 2017 No FEAR Act report, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 2301 note; Public Law 107-174, 203(a) (as amended by Public Law 109-435, Sec. 604(f)); (120 Stat. 3242); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4688. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison/Regulatory Specialist, Office of Natural Resources Revenue, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Inflation Adjustments to Civil Monetary Penalty Rates for Calendar Year 2018 [Docket No.: ONRR-2017-0003; DS63644000 DR2PS0000.CH7000 189D0102R2] (RIN: 1012-AA23) received April 24, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. GOODLATTE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 5447. A bill to modernize copyright law, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-651). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HENSARLING: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4270. A bill to amend the

Federal Reserve Act to ensure transparency in the conduct of monetary policy, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-652). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. CHABOT: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 3170. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to require cyber certification for small business development center counselors, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-653). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. CHABOT: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 4668. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide for the establishment of an enhanced cybersecurity assistance and protections for small businesses, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 115-654). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MOORE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mrs. BUSTOS, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Ms. BARRAGÁN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. MENG, Ms. GABBARD, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. WELCH, Mr. CARBAJAL, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. YARMUTH, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. NADLER, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, and Mr. CARSON of Indiana):

H.R. 5609. A bill to establish a trust fund to provide for adequate funding for water and sewer infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Ways and Means, and Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. KNIGHT (for himself, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. WELCH, Mr. CURBELO of Florida, Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. MIMI WALTERS of California, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCNERNEY, and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER):

H.R. 5610. A bill to amend the United States Energy Storage Competitiveness Act of 2007 to direct the Secretary of Energy to establish new goals for the Department of Energy relating to energy storage and to carry out certain demonstration projects relating to energy storage; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 5611. A bill to prohibit the importation into the United States of paper products that are not manufactured in accordance with requirements that are at least as stringent as the requirements under the Clean Air Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LIPINSKI (for himself and Mr. ROSKAM):

H.R. 5612. A bill to require the Secretary of State, in coordination with the Director of National Intelligence, to report on Iranian

expenditures supporting foreign military and terrorist activities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. YODER (for himself and Mr. CLEAVER):

H.R. 5613. A bill to designate the Quindaro Townsite in Kansas City, Kansas, as a National Historic Landmark, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. BUDD:

H.R. 5614. A bill to increase transparency of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board and the Municipal Securities Rule-making Board; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CÁRDENAS (for himself and Mr. LOWENTHAL):

H.R. 5615. A bill to provide for the study and evaluation of net metering, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. CLARKE of New York (for herself, Mr. RUSH, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Ms. KELLY of Illinois):

H.R. 5616. A bill to require the National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities to submit to Congress a report on the impact of the opioid epidemic on minority communities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DONOVAN (for himself, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. BUCK, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. PERRY, and Mr. BARLETTA):

H.R. 5617. A bill to prohibit sanctuary jurisdictions from receiving Federal funds under the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FASO (for himself and Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas):

H.R. 5618. A bill to exempt properties located in flood hazard areas that are participating in an approved buy-out program from the mandatory purchase requirement under the National Flood Insurance Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. O'ROURKE (for himself and Ms. STEFANK):

H.R. 5619. A bill to provide emergency funding for port of entry personnel and infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PANETTA (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 5620. A bill to direct the Attorney General to make grants to States to develop systems to retrieve firearms from armed prohibited persons; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mrs. COMSTOCK, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. LOWENTHAL):

H.R. 5621. A bill to advance United States national interests by prioritizing the protection of internationally-recognized human rights and development of the rule of law in relations between the United States and Vietnam, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. TURNER (for himself and Ms. TSONGAS):

H.R. 5622. A bill to improve the ability of the Department of Defense to address sexual offenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. HARPER (for himself and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania):

H. Con. Res. 118. Concurrent resolution authorizing the printing of “United States Capitol Grounds: Landscape Architect Frederick Law Olmstead’s Design for Democracy” as a House document; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. WOODALL:

H. Res. 844. A resolution electing a Member to a certain standing committee of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CORREA, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. SOTO, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, and Ms. BARRAGÁN):

H. Res. 845. A resolution recognizing April 30, 2018, as “El Día de Los Niños-Celebrating Young Americans”; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. CONAWAY:

H. Res. 846. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on support for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. CONAWAY:

H. Res. 847. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on support for Georgia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LOWENTHAL (for himself, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. CORREA, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. KILMER, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. BEYER, Mr. COFFMAN, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mr. BUDD):

H. Res. 848. A resolution recognizing the 43rd anniversary of the Fall of Saigon on April 30, 1975; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania introduced A bill (H.R. 5623) for the relief of Carmela Apolonio Hernandez, Edwin Artillero Apolonio, Yoselin Artillero Apolonio, Keyri Artillero Apolonio, and Fidel Artillero Apolonio; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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. ELLISON:

H.R. 5609.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution of the United States, which states:

The Congress shall have the power to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this

Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Office thereof.

By Mr. KNIGHT:

H.R. 5610.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 5611.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress)

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 5612.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. YODER:

H.R. 5613.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution

By Mr. BUDD:

H.R. 5614.

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

Under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. CÁRDENAS:

H.R. 5615.

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

Article 1, 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 Ms. CLARKE of New York:

H.R. 5616.

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

the power granted to Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. DONOVAN:

H.R. 5617.

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

United States Constitution, Article I, Section 8

By Mr. FASO:

H.R. 5618.

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

According to Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. O'ROURKE:

H.R. 5619.

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

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Office thereof.

By Mr. PANETTA:

H.R. 5620.

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

clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 5621.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. TURNER:

H.R. 5622.

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

Military Regulation: Article I, Section 8, Clauses 14 and 18

To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces; and

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States or in any Department or Office thereof.

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5623.

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

Article I, section 8, clause 4 of the Constitution provides that Congress shall have power to “establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization”. The Supreme Court has long found that this provision of the Constitution grants Congress plenary power over immigration policy. As the Court found in *Galvan v. Press*, 347 U.S. 522, 531 (1954), “that the formulation of policies [pertaining to the entry of aliens and their right to remain here] is entrusted exclusively to Congress has become about as firmly imbedded in the legislative and judicial tissues of our body politic as any aspect of our government.” And, as the Court found in *Kleindienst v. Mandel*, 408 U.S. 753, 766 (1972) (quoting *Boutilier v. INS*, 387 U.S. 118, 123 (1967)), “[t]he Court without exception has sustained Congress’ plenary power to make rules for the admission of aliens and to exclude those who possess those characteristics which Congress has forbidden.”

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 60: Mr. NORCROSS.

H.R. 421: Mr. ISSA.

H.R. 820: Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. HOLDING, and Mr. BYRNE.

H.R. 846: Mr. KILDEE, Ms. DEGETTE, Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana, and Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 949: Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 959: Mr. SABLAN and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 1036: Mr. SOTO.

H.R. 1098: Mr. GUTIÉRREZ.

H.R. 1171: Mr. KENNEDY and Ms. ESTY of Connecticut.

H.R. 1300: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H.R. 1311: Mrs. WAGNER.

H.R. 1318: Mr. COHEN and Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 1424: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 1542: Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH.

H.R. 1550: Mr. HOLDING.

H.R. 1606: Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 1661: Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. UPTON, and Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 1683: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 1861: Mr. BIGGS.

H.R. 1911: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 1928: Ms. FUDGE.

H.R. 1939: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 2077: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. POCAN, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, and Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 2267: Ms. TENNEY, Mr. TONKO, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. NOLAN.

H.R. 2293: Mr. RUTHERFORD.

H.R. 2309: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 2319: Mr. WALBERG.

H.R. 2327: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 2332: Mr. COOPER.

H.R. 2701: Mr. SCHNEIDER and Mr. KENNEDY.

H.R. 2723: Mr. CURTIS.

H.R. 2735: Mr. POLTIS.

H.R. 2748: Mr. FITZPATRICK and Ms. GABBARD.