

6872. A letter from the Regulations Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (00REG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — VA Acquisition Regulation: Subcontracting Policies and Procedures; Government Property (RIN: 2900-AQ05) received November 6, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

6873. A letter from the Regulations Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (00REG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule — Net Worth, Asset Transfers, and Income Exclusions for Needs-Based Benefits (RIN: 2900-AO73) received November 6, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

6874. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — 2019 Limitations Adjusted As Provided in Section 415(d), etc. [Notice 2018-83] received November 7, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6875. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final regulation and removal of temporary regulation — Tax Return Preparer Due Diligence Penalty under Section 6695(g) [TD 9842] (RIN: 1545-BO63) received November 7, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 6665. A bill to amend the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to apply to territories of the United States, to establish offshore wind lease requirements, to provide dedicated funding for coral reef conservation, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-1029). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3133. A bill to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to reduce unnecessary permitting delays by clarifying associated procedures to increase economic development and support coastal restoration programs, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-1030). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 553. A bill to redesignate Gravelly Point Park, located along the George Washington Memorial Parkway in Arlington County, Virginia, as the Nancy Reagan Memorial Park, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-1031). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1349. A bill to amend the Wilderness Act to ensure that the use of bicycles, wheelchairs, strollers, and game carts is not prohibited in Wilderness Areas, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 115-1032). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ROE of Tennessee: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 1662. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to prohibit smoking in any facility of the Veterans Health Administration, and for other purposes (Rept. 115-1033). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ROE of Tennessee: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 6066. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the productivity of the management of Department of Veterans Affairs health care, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 115-1034). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1675. A bill to establish a national program to identify and reduce losses from landslide hazards, to establish a national 3D Elevation Program, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 115-1035, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. ROE of Tennessee: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 4243. A bill to establish a commission for the purpose of making recommendations regarding the modernization or realignment of facilities of the Veterans Health Administration, to improve construction and management leases of the Department of Veterans Affairs, to amend and appropriate funds for the Veterans Choice Program, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 115-1036, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILLS

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII, the following actions were taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1675. Referral to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology extended for a period ending not later than December 28, 2018.

H.R. 4243. Referral to the Committees on Rules and Appropriations extended for a period ending not later than December 28, 2018.

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. GOHMERT:

H.R. 7139. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide that an alien may only apply for asylum at a designated port of arrival, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. JAYAPAL (for herself, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. RASKIN, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. LEE, Ms. BASS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. POCAN):

H.R. 7140. A bill to improve the anti-corruption and public integrity laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, House Administration, Ways and Means, Financial Services, Intelligence (Permanent Select), Rules, Foreign Affairs, Armed Services, and the Budget, 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. COURTNEY (for himself, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. NORTON, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr.

TAKANO, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. SIREN, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HIMES, Mr. POCAN, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. ESTY of Connecticut, Mr. NORCROSS, and Mr. ESPAILLAT):

H.R. 7141. A bill to direct the Secretary of Labor to issue an occupational safety and health standard that requires covered employers within the health care and social service industries to develop and implement a comprehensive workplace violence prevention plan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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 Ms. MOORE (for herself, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. COHEN, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. NORTON, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Ms. FUDGE):

H.R. 7142. A bill to help train individuals in effective and evidence-based de-escalation techniques to ensure that individuals at diverse levels of society have and retain greater skills to resolve conflicts, manage anger, and control implicit bias without the use of physical or other force, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 7143. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to modernize social security account numbers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DELANEY (for himself, Mr. TROTT, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. COFFMAN, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. KILMER, and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia):

H.R. 7144. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the processing of veterans benefits by the Department of Veterans Affairs, to limit the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to recover overpayments made by the Department and other amounts owed by veterans to the United States, to improve the due process accorded veterans with respect to such recovery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KHANNA (for himself, Ms. GABBARD, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. RASKIN):

H.R. 7145. A bill to prohibit certain large business entities from purchasing the securities of those entities on national securities exchanges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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 Ms. MOORE:

H.R. 7146. A bill to amend title VII of the Social Security Act to establish a procedure to close or reduce access to field offices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ABRAHAM:

H.R. 7147. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to treat certain planted soybean crops as harvested commodity crops under the Market Facilitation Program; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 7148. A bill to provide for USA Retirement Funds, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce,

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 Mrs. DINGELL (for herself and Mr. UPTON):

H.R. 7149. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to remove an institutional bias by making permanent the protection for recipients of home and community-based services against spousal impoverishment; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. ESHOO (for herself and Ms. LOFGREN):

H.R. 7150. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to continue to apply the rule entitled "Allowing Certain H-4 Dependent Spouses to Apply for Employment Authorization", and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY:

H.R. 7151. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for measures to reduce the number of unlawful robocalls and unlawful spoofed calls received by consumers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico:

H.R. 7152. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the San Felipe Pueblo certain Federal land in Sandoval County, New Mexico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. McCAUL:

H.R. 7153. A bill to foster commercial relations with foreign countries and support American business interests abroad in the conduct of foreign policy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 7154. A bill to replace drinking water fountains in playgrounds and parks under the Reducing Lead in Drinking Water Grant Program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 7155. A bill to reauthorize appropriations for the creation and analysis of national drinking water standards; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. NORTON (for herself and Mr. BEYER):

H.R. 7156. A bill to require uniformed federal police officers to wear body cameras and have dashboard cameras in marked vehicles; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PAULSEN:

H.R. 7157. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide Medicare coverage for all physicians' services furnished by doctors of chiropractic within the scope of their license, and for other purposes; 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 Miss RICE of New York (for herself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. CORREA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. ESTY of Connecticut, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. MOULTON, and Mr. MAST):

H.R. 7158. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a mission statement of the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FRANCIS ROONEY of Florida (for himself and Mr. ROKITA):

H.R. 7159. A bill to clarify the rights of not-for-profit religious employers under the National Labor Relations Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. TONKO:

H.R. 7160. A bill to prohibit the circumvention of control measures used by Internet retailers to ensure equitable consumer access to products, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. WELCH:

H.R. 7161. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to make a permanent program for the procurement of unprocessed fruits and vegetables to provide healthier school meals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ROYCE of California:

H. Res. 1149. A resolution recognizing that the United States-Republic of Korea alliance serves as a linchpin of regional stability and bilateral security, and exemplifies the broad and deep military, diplomatic, economic, and cultural ties shared between the United States and the Republic of Korea; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. GOMEZ (for himself, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Ms. MENG, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. LEE):

H. Res. 1150. A resolution commending Korean and Korean-American veterans for their service to the United States during the Vietnam conflict; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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. YARMUTH (for himself, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Ms. TITUS):

H. Res. 1151. A resolution expressing support for designation of the week of November 18 through 24, 2018, as National Family Service Learning Week; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ADERHOLT (for himself, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. JOHNSON of Louisiana, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mrs. COMSTOCK, Mr. COMER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. HUIZENGA, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. COOPER, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Ms. BASS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. MITCHELL, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. GALLAGHER, Mr. WITTMAN, Mr. MOOLENAAR, and Mr. LONG):

H. Res. 1152. A resolution expressing support for the goals of National Adoption Day and National Adoption Month by promoting national awareness of adoption and the children awaiting families, celebrating children and families involved in adoption, and encouraging the people of the United States to secure safety, permanency, and well-being for all children; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KING of New York (for himself, Mr. SUOZZI, and Mr. ENGEL):

H. Res. 1153. A resolution honoring Jacob Anthony deGrom, starting pitcher for the New York Mets, for winning the 2018 National League Cy Young Award; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. LANCE (for himself, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Ms. ESHOO):

H. Res. 1154. A resolution affirming the importance of the Orphan Drug Act, applauding its lifesaving contributions over its 35-year history, and recognizing the need to continue supporting research and development for rare diseases; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. NEAL (for himself, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. LYNCH, Ms.

TSONGAS, Mr. KEATING, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, and Mr. MOULTON):

H. Res. 1155. A resolution congratulating the Boston Red Sox on winning the 2018 World Series; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. NOLAN introduced a bill (H.R. 7162) for the relief of David Beasley; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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. GOHMERT:

H.R. 7139.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 4: To establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States

By Ms. JAYAPAL:

H.R. 7140.

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 of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. COURTNEY:

H.R. 7141.

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

Article 1, section 8.

By Ms. MOORE:

H.R. 7142.

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

the General Welfare Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl.1), the Commerce Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl. 3), and the Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. 1 Sec. 8 Cl. 18).

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 7143.

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

Clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution to "provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States."

By Mr. DELANEY:

H.R. 7144.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 7145.

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 Ms. MOORE:

H.R. 7146.

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

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