

— Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Sablefish in the Bering Sea Subarea of the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No.: 180713633-9174-02] (RIN: 0648-XH079) received September 25, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2484. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in the West Yakutat District of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 180831813-9170-02] (RIN: 0648-XY002) received September 25, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2485. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Kamchatka Flounder in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No.: 180713633-9174-02] (RIN: 0648-XH066) received September 25, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2486. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reallocation of Pollock in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No.: 180713633-9174-02] (RIN: 0648-XH059) received September 25, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2487. A letter from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting the 2018 Annual Report on the Activities and Operations of the Public Integrity Section, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 529(a); Public Law 95-521, Sec. 603(a); (92 Stat. 187); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2488. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Services final regulations — Hardship Distributions of Elective Contributions, Qualified Matching Contributions, Qualified Nonselective Contributions, and Earnings [TD 9875] (RIN: 1545-BO82) received September 25, 2019, 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.

2489. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's Major final regulations — Additional First Year Depreciation Deduction [TD 9874] (RIN: 1545-BO74) received September 25, 2019, 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.

2490. A letter from the Under Secretary, Acquisition and Sustainment, Department of Defense, transmitting notification that the Secretary of Defense will submit the small business strategy, required by Sec. 851 of the Public Law 115-232, by October 31, 2019; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Small Business.

2491. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Regulatory Provisions to Promote Program Efficiency, Transparency, and Burden Reduction; Fire Safety Requirements

for Certain Dialysis Facilities; Hospital and Critical Access Hospital (CAH) Changes to Promote Innovation, Flexibility, and Improvement in Patient Care [CMS-3346-F; CMS-3334-F; CMS-3295-F] (RIN: 0938-AT23) received October 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and 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:

Ms. WATERS: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 3624. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require the disclosure of the total number of domestic and foreign employees of certain public companies, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-220). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. DEFAZIO: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3362. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to require small hub airports to construct areas for nursing mothers, and for other purposes (Rept. 116-221). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRIJALVA: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1373. A bill to protect, for current and future generations, the watershed, ecosystem, and cultural heritage of the Grand Canyon region in the State of Arizona, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-222). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRIJALVA: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2156. A bill to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to provide funds to States and Indian tribes for the purpose of promoting economic revitalization, diversification, and development in economically distressed communities through the reclamation and restoration of land and water resources adversely affected by coal mining carried out before August 3, 1977, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-223). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRIJALVA: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 2181. A bill to provide for the withdrawal and protection of certain Federal land in the State of New Mexico (Rept. 116-224). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRIJALVA: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3405. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to revise the Final List of Critical Minerals, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-225). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GRIJALVA: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 823. A bill to provide for the designation of certain wilderness areas, recreation management areas, and conservation areas in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 116-226). 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 Miss RICE of New York (for herself and Mr. TURNER):

H.R. 4600. A bill to increase reporting of domestic violence records, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STEUBE:

H.R. 4601. A bill to ensure a complete analysis of the potential impacts of rules on small entities; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Small Business, 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. BRADY (for himself, Mrs. WALORSKI, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER):

H.R. 4602. A bill to amend subpart 2 of part B of title IV of the Social Security Act to extend State court funding for child welfare, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CARBAJAL (for himself and Ms. JACKSON LEE):

H.R. 4603. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for Federal student loan reform; to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. DUNN (for himself and Mr. COX of California):

H.R. 4604. A bill to clarify the clearing exemption for small financial institutions under the Commodity Exchange Act; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico (for herself, Mr. KELLY of Mississippi, and Mr. SOTO):

H.R. 4605. A bill to provide compensation to certain residents of the island of Vieques, Puerto Rico for the use of such island for military readiness, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. GOTTHEIMER (for himself and Ms. STEFANIK):

H.R. 4606. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to require silent alarms in elementary schools and secondary schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. HARDER of California (for himself, Mr. COOK, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. CRENSHAW, and Ms. BASS):

H.R. 4607. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include certain employment as a health care practitioner as eligible for public service loan forgiveness, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. KILMER (for himself, Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana, and Mr. PETERS):

H.R. 4608. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to create the Pell Plus program; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. LEVIN of California (for himself and Ms. PORTER):

H.R. 4609. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include a full-time job with a veterans or military service organization as a public service job eligible for public service loan forgiveness; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mrs. MILLER (for herself, Mr. MCKINLEY, and Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia):

H.R. 4610. A bill to designate the New River Gorge National River in the State of West Virginia as the "New River Gorge National Park and Preserve", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. PETERS:

H.R. 4611. A bill to modify permitting requirements with respect to the discharge of any pollutant from the Point Loma Wastewater Treatment Plant in certain circumstances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, 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. PHILLIPS:

H.R. 4612. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit foreign nationals from making disbursements for communications promoting, supporting, attacking, or opposing the election of a candidate for public office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. ROSE of New York (for himself and Mr. CISNEROS):

H.R. 4613. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish and maintain a website of the Department that allows the public to obtain electronic copies of certain legislatively requested reports of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SABLAN (for himself and Mrs. RADEWAGEN):

H.R. 4614. A bill to amend the PROTECT Act to expand the national AMBER Alert system to territories of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. SHALALA (for herself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. CASTEN of Illinois, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. MOULTON, and Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ):

H.R. 4615. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require an institution of higher education to submit a teach-out plan under certain circumstances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. CLARKE of New York:

H. Res. 614. A resolution expressing support for the recognition of October 7, 2019, through October 11, 2019, as "Smart Cities Week" and supporting the further research, development, and adoption of technology designed to improve efficiency, connectivity, sustainability, and mobility in transportation, infrastructure, and workforce opportunity in American cities and communities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, 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. COSTA (for himself, Mr. COX of California, Mr. MORELLE, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mr. TONKO, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. GABBARD, and Mr. LEVIN of California):

H. Res. 615. A resolution Expressing support for the designation of October 8, 2019, as

"National Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Day"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mrs. FLETCHER (for herself, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. BRADY, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. McCAUL, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. OLSON, Mr. CLOUD, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. BABIN, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. COX of California, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. STEVENS, and Mr. GARAMENDI):

H. Res. 616. A resolution expressing the sense of Congress honoring the life and mourning the loss of Lieutenant Sandeep Singh Dhaliwal of the Harris County Sheriff's Office; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCANLON (for herself and Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania):

H. Res. 617. A resolution congratulating the Project Management Institute on the 50th anniversary of its founding; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. VISCLOSKY (for himself, Mr. BANKS, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. WRIGHT):

H. Res. 618. A resolution congratulating the peoples of the Czech Republic and the Slovak Republic on the 30th anniversary of the Velvet Revolution, on the 26th anniversary of their countries' independence, and on the 101st anniversary of Czechoslovakia's declaration of independence; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

139. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Alaska, relative to House Joint Resolution 10, supporting the completion of the Northern Rail Extension; supporting the increase in defensive capabilities at Fort Greely, Alaska; and encouraging the development of critical Arctic infrastructure; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Armed Services.

140. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Alaska, relative to House Joint Resolution 12, supporting development of the road belt electrical transmission line; and urging members of the Alaska delegation in Congress to pursue the development of this high-voltage electrical line in the interior of the state; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Armed Services.

141. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, urging the Congress and the President of the United States to work together to enact the robust bipartisan federal infrastructure legislation necessary to restore California's and other states' crumbling road and freight infrastructure, respond to growing traffic congestion, and increase investment in public transportation, most particularly, by expanding paratransit services for the elderly and those with special needs; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Ways and Means.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. DAVID P. ROE of Tennessee introduced a bill (H.R. 4616) for the relief of Uwe Romeike, Hannelore Romeike, Daniel Romeike, Lydia Romeike, Josua Romeike, Christian Romeike, and Damaris Romeike; 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 Miss RICE of New York:
H.R. 4600.

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

Article I, Section VIII

By Mr. STEUBE:

H.R. 4601.

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

Article 1, Section 8

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; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

To borrow money on the credit of the United States;

To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;

To establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States;

To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures;

To provide for the Punishment of counterfeiting the Securities and current Coin of the United States;

To establish Post Offices and Post Roads;

To promote the Progress of Science and useful Arts, by securing for limited Times to Authors and Inventors the exclusive Right to their respective Writings and Discoveries;

To constitute Tribunals inferior to the supreme Court;

and Offenses against the Law of Nations;

To declare War, grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal, and make Rules concerning Captures on Land and Water;

To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years;

To provide and maintain a Navy;

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

To provide for calling forth the Militia to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections and repel Invasions;

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, reserving to the States respectively, the Appointment of the Officers, and the Authority of training the Militia according to the discipline prescribed by Congress;

To exercise exclusive Legislation in all Cases whatsoever, over such District (not exceeding ten Miles square) as may, by Cession of particular States, and the acceptance of Congress, become the Seat of the Government of the United States, and to exercise like Authority over all Places purchased by