

By Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas:

H.J. Res. 9. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the electoral college and to provide for the direct popular election of the President and Vice President of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H.J. Res. 10. A joint resolution denouncing the practices of female genital mutilation, domestic violence, "honor" killings, acid burnings, dowry deaths, and other gender-based persecutions, expressing the sense of Congress that participation, protection, recognition, and equality of women is crucial to achieving a just, moral and peaceful society, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. MILLER of Michigan:

H.J. Res. 11. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide that Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to their respective numbers, counting the number of persons in each State who are citizens of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. EMERSON:

H. Con. Res. 4. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the need to prevent the closure or consolidation of post offices; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 5. Concurrent resolution expressing that Congress has the sole and exclusive power to declare war; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 6. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Government of Iraq should not grant blanket amnesty to persons known to have attacked, killed, or wounded members of the United States Armed Forces in Iraq; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 7. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the people of the United States should grieve for the loss of life that defined the Third Reich and celebrate the continued education efforts for tolerance and justice, reaffirming the commitment of the United States to the fight against intolerance and prejudice in any form, and honoring the legacy of transparent procedure, government accountability, the rule of law, the pursuit of justice, and the struggle for universal freedom and human rights; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 8. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued honoring Barbara Charline Jordan; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 9. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued in honor of George Thomas "Mickey" Leland; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Con. Res. 10. Concurrent resolution supporting the observance of World Stroke Awareness Day, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. HOYER:

H. Res. 23. A resolution providing for the attendance of the House at the Inaugural Ceremonies of the President and Vice President of the United States; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H. Res. 24. A resolution electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas:

H. Res. 25. A resolution expressing the support of the House of Representatives for the goals and ideals of National Internet Safety Month; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas:

H. Res. 26. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States Postal Service should issue a postage stamp commemorating Juan Nepomuceno Seguin; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas:

H. Res. 27. A resolution honoring the accomplishments and legacy of Juan Nepomuceno Seguin; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H. Res. 28. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Transportation Security Administration should, in accordance with the congressional mandate provided for in the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007, enhance security against terrorist attack and other security threats to our Nation's rail and mass transit lines; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. LATTA:

H. Res. 29. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that any comprehensive plan to reform our national energy policy must promote the expanded use of renewable and alternative energy sources; increase our domestic refining capacity; promote conservation and increased energy efficiency; expand research and development, including domestic exploration; and, enhance consumer education; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science 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. LATTA:

H. Res. 30. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that in order to continue aggressive growth in our Nation's telecommunications and technology industries, the United States Government should "Get Out of the Way and Stay Out of the Way"; to the Committee on En-

ergy and Commerce, 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. PRICE of North Carolina (for himself and Mr. STEARNS):

H. Res. 31. A resolution expressing support for designation of January 28, 2009, as "National Data Privacy Day"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas introduced a bill (H.R. 287) for relief of Enrique Soriano and Areli Soriano; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 16: Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. GORDON of Tennessee.

H.R. 31: Mr. SKELTON, Mr. WATT, Ms. CLARKE, and Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 72: Ms. WATSON.

H.R. 81: Mr. PALLONE and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 104: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. BALDWIN, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.

H.R. 109: Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida.

H.R. 111: Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 124: Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. MCCOUL, and Mr. MCCOTTER.

H.R. 137: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 138: Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. MCCOUL, and Mr. MCCOTTER.

H.R. 140: Mr. CAMPBELL and Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H.R. 143: Mr. BURGESS and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 144: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 146: Mr. FALCOMA-VAEGA.

H.R. 156: Mr. KIND, Mr. LEE of New York, Mr. PERRIELLO, Mr. MASSA, Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana, and Mrs. BLACKBURN.

H. Res. 18: Mr. GRJALVA.

H. Res. 20: Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. MCCOTTER.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

1. The SPEAKER presented a petition of Platte County, relative to a resolution supporting the NCLB Recess Until Reauthorization Act; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.