

duty service abroad in the Armed Forces, the periods of time to file a petition and appear for an interview to remove the conditional basis for permanent resident status, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2447. An Act to grant the congressional gold medal to the Montford Point Marines.

November 29, 2011:

H.R. 3321. An Act to facilitate the hosting in the United States of the 34th America's Cup by authorizing certain eligible vessels to participate in activities related to the competition, and for other purposes.

SENATE BILLS APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT

The President notified the Clerk of the House that on the following dates he had approved and signed bills (of the Senate) of the following titles:

July 26, 2011

S. 1103. An Act to extend the term of the incumbent Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

August 2, 2011:

S. 365. An Act to provide for budget control.

September 23, 2011:

S. 846. An Act to designate the United States courthouse located at 80 Lafayette Street in Jefferson City, Missouri, as the Christopher S. Bond United States Courthouse.

November 9, 2011:

S. 894. An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for an increase, effective December 1, 2011, in the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans, and for other purposes.

November 12, 2011:

S. 1487. An Act to authorize the Secretary of Homeland Security, in coordination with the Secretary of State, to establish a program to issue Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation Business Travel Cards, and for other purposes.

November 21, 2011:

S. 1280. An Act to amend the Peace Corps Act to require sexual assault risk-reduction and response training, the development of a sexual assault policy, the establishment of an Office of Victim Advocacy, the establishment of a Sexual Assault Advisory Council, and for other purposes.

November 23, 2011:

S. 1412. An Act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 462 Washington Street, Woburn, Massachusetts, as the "Officer John Maguire Post Office".

November 29, 2011:

S. 1637. An Act to clarify appeal time limits in civil actions to which United States officers or employees are parties.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mrs. EMERSON (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of attending her son's ceremony at Fort Stewart, Georgia.

Mr. SCHILLING (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of attending the funeral of PFC Adam E. Dobreiner, who was killed in Afghanistan.

Mr. SESSIONS (at the request of Mr. CANTOR) for today on account of attending a funeral in the district.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GOHMERT. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 3 o'clock and 10 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday, December 5, 2011, at noon for morning-hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4088. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Fenamidone; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2010-0866; FRL-9325-4] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4089. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Polyethylene glycol; Tolerance Exemption [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0606; FRL-8892-1] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4090. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Prohexadione Calcium; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2010-0780; FRL-9326-4] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4091. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting notice that the Department's Fiscal Year 2011 Agency Financial Report will be published electronically; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4092. A letter from the Principal Deputy, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on Redetermination Process for Permanently Incapacitated Dependents of Retired and Deceased Members of the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4093. A letter from the Director, Directorate of Enforcement Programs, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule — Procedures for the Handling of Retaliation Complaints Under Section 806 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, as Amended [Docket Number: OSHA-2011-0126] (RIN: 1218-AC53) received November 15, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

4094. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Delaware; Amendments to the Control of Volatile Organic Compound Emissions from Offset Lithographic Printing and Letterpress Printing [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0603; FRL-9493-1] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4095. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference [VA202-5203; FRL-9490-3] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4096. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental

Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; West Virginia; Determination of Clean Data for the 2006 Fine Particulate Standard for the Charleston Area [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0474; FRL-9494-2] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4097. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; North Carolina; Redesignation of the Hickory-Morganton-Lenoir 1997 Annual Fine Particulate Matter Nonattainment Area to Attainment [EPA-R04-OAR-2009-1010-201158; FRL-9493-5] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4098. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; North Carolina; Redesignation of the Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point 1997 Annual Fine Particulate Matter Nonattainment Area to Attainment [EPA-R04-OAR-2009-1011-201159; FRL-9493-6] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4099. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Texas; Revisions to the New Source Review (NSR) State Implementation Plan (SIP); General Definitions; Definition of Modification of Existing Facility [EPA-R06-OAR-2005-TX-0025; FRL-9489-8] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4100. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases [EPA-HQ-OAR-2011-0147; FRL-9493-9] (RIN: 2060-AQ85) received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4101. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting Transmittal No. 11-48, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4102. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting Transmittal No. 11-40, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4103. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting Transmittal No. 11-41, pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4104. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting proposed amendments to the International Traffic in Arms Regulations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4105. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a Certification and Determination with Respect to the Child Soldiers Prevention Act of 2008; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4106. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report entitled "Report of

U.S. Citizen Expropriation Claims and Certain Other Commercial and Investment Disputes", pursuant to Public Law 103-236, section 527(f); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4107. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting as required by section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), and pursuant to Executive Order 13313 of July 31, 2003, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Burma that was declared in Executive Order 13047 of May 20, 1997; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4108. A letter from the Executive Secretary, Agency for International Development, transmitting 4 reports pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4109. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Inspector General's semiannual report to Congress for the reporting period April 1, 2011 through September 30, 2011; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4110. A letter from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2011; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4111. A letter from the Director, Trade and Development Agency, transmitting the Agency's Performance and Accountability Report including audited financial statements for fiscal year 2011; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4112. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Function and Reliability Flight Testing for Turbine-Powered Airplanes Weighing 6,000 pounds or Less [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0218; Amdt. No. 21-95] (RIN: 2120-AJ56) received October 28, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4113. A letter from the Trial Attorney, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety and Health Requirements Related to Camp Cars [Docket No.: FRA-2009-0042, Notice No. 2] (RIN: 2130-AC13) received October 28, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4114. A letter from the Trial Attorney, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Conductor Certification [Docket No.: FRA-2009-0035, Notice No. 2] (RIN: 2130-AC08) received October 28, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4115. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Oil Pollution Prevention; Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC) Rule-Compliance Date Amendment for Farms [EPA-HQ-OPA-2011-0838; FRL-9494-8] received November 16, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4116. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting a draft bill; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4117. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting a draft bill; jointly to the Committees on Financial Services 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:

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2471. A bill to amend section 2710 of title 18, United States Code, to clarify that a video tape service provider may obtain a consumer's informed, written consent on an ongoing basis and that consent may be obtained through the Internet; with an amendment (Rept. 112-312). 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. TERRY (for himself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. LATTA, Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. BERG, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. OLSON, Mr. GARDNER, Mr. POMPEO, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. CARTER, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. MARINO, Mr. KELLY, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mr. TURNER of Ohio, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. FORBES, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. BARTON of Texas, and Mr. SHUSTER):

H.R. 3548. A bill to facilitate United States access to North American oil resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and 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. BACHUS (for himself and Mr. DUFFY):

H.R. 3549. A bill to amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to require Members of Congress to place their stocks, bonds, commodities futures, and other forms of securities in a blind trust; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. DUFFY:

H.R. 3550. A bill to amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to require certain individuals subject to that Act to either place their securities in a blind trust or to report the sale, purchase, or exchange of securities; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, and 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. LANDRY (for himself, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, and Mr. MULVANEY):

H.R. 3551. A bill to amend the extension of the temporary employee payroll tax holiday to give individuals the choice of whether to participate; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 3552. A bill to extend the additional duty on ethanol; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KUCINICH (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. MORAN, Mr. POLIS, Ms. PINGREE of Maine, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. STARK, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. WATERS, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 3553. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, the Federal Meat Inspection Act, and the Poultry Products Inspection Act to require that food that contains a genetically engineered material, or that is produced with a genetically engineered material, be labeled accordingly; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. KUCINICH (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 3554. A bill to prohibit the open-air cultivation of genetically engineered pharmaceutical and industrial crops, to prohibit the use of common human food or animal feed as the host plant for a genetically engineered pharmaceutical or industrial chemical, to establish a tracking system to regulate the growing, handling, transportation, and disposal of pharmaceutical and industrial crops and their byproducts to prevent human, animal, and general environmental exposure to genetically engineered pharmaceutical and industrial crops and their byproducts, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to the safety of genetically engineered foods, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. KUCINICH (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 3555. A bill to provide additional protections for farmers and ranchers that may be harmed economically by genetically engineered seeds, plants, or animals, to ensure fairness for farmers and ranchers in their dealings with biotech companies that sell genetically engineered seeds, plants, or animals, to assign liability for injury caused by genetically engineered organisms, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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. HIGGINS (for himself, Ms. HOCHUL, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. HANNA, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. HAYWORTH, Mr. REED, Mr. TONKO, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. NADLER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. GRIMM, Ms. BUERKLE, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. TURNER of New York):

H.R. 3556. A bill to designate the new United States courthouse in Buffalo, New York, as the "Robert H. Jackson United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. KING of Iowa (for himself, Mr. GOHMBERT, Mr. ROSS of Florida, and Mr. COBLE):