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## House of Representatives

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. LATOURETTE).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
May 25, 2012.

I hereby appoint the Honorable STEVEN C. LATOURETTE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Patrick J. Conroy, offered the following prayer: Almighty God of the universe, we give You thanks for giving us another day.

As our Nation enters this long Memorial Day weekend, may we all be mindful of the sacrifices made by so many of our citizen ancestors who gave their lives in the service of these United States. May they rest in peace.

May our gratitude be equally transparent to the men and women who currently serve in our Armed Forces. We thank You for their generous gift of self so that we might spend our days in peace and security. May peace prevail in our world so that all our soldiers might return to their families in good health.

On this day, I give You thanks for the distinct honor of serving as the Chaplain of the House of Representatives for this past year.

Bless us this day and every day, and may all that is done within these hallowed Halls be for Your greater honor and glory.  
Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the

last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, May 23, 2012.

Hon. JOHN A. BOEHNER,  
*The Speaker, U.S. Capitol, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on May 23, 2012 at 9:38 a.m.:

Appointments: Congressional Award Board.

With best wishes, I am  
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, May 24, 2012.

Hon. JOHN A. BOEHNER,  
*The Speaker, U.S. Capitol, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on May 24, 2012 at 10:06 a.m.:

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 4097.

That the Senate passed S. 2367.

Appointments: United States Commission on International Religious Freedom.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, May 24, 2012.

Hon. JOHN A. BOEHNER,  
*The Speaker, U.S. Capitol, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on May 24, 2012 at 5:01 p.m.:

That the Senate passed with an amendment H.R. 1905.

That the Senate passed with an amendment H.R. 5740.

That the Senate passed S. 3187.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

### SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 2367. An act to strike the word "lunatic" from Federal law, and for other purposes; the

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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Committee on the Judiciary. In addition, to the Committee on Financial 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.

#### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the House stands adjourned until 2 p.m., May 29, 2012.

There was no objection.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 4 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, May 29, 2012, at 2 p.m.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

6103. A letter from the Acting Director — National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Hispanic-Serving Agricultural Colleges and Universities (HSACU) Certification Process (RIN: 0524-AA39) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

6104. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revisions to the Export Administration Regulations (EAR): Export Control Classification Number 0Y521 Series, Items Not Elsewhere Listed on the Commerce Control List (CCL) [Docket No.: 110310188-2058-03] (RIN: 0694-AF17) received April 13, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

6105. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulated Navigation Area; Memorial Bridge Construction Piscataqua River, Portsmouth, NH [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1097] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6106. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zones; Cruise Ships, San Pedro Bay, California [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0101] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6107. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; City of Beaufort's Tricentennial New Year's Eve Fireworks Display, Beaufort River, Beaufort, SC [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1112] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6108. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations and Safety Zones; Recurring Events in Captain of the Port Boston Zone [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0109] (RIN: 1625-AA08; AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6109. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations; Boca Raton Holiday Boat Parade, Intracoastal Waterway, Boca Raton,

FL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1078] (RIN: 1625-AA8) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6110. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Submarine Cable Installation Project; Chicago River South Branch, Chicago, IL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1122] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6111. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulation; New Jersey Intracoastal Waterway (NJICW), Atlantic City, NJ [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0689] (RIN: 1625-AA09) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6112. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulated Navigation Area; Arthur Kill, NY and NJ [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0727] [RIN: 1625-AA11] received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6113. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulations and Safety Zones; Recurring Events in Captain of the Port New York Zone [Docket No.: USCG-2010-1011] (RIN: 1625-AA00; 1625-AA08) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6114. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Eisenhower Expressway Bridge Rehabilitation Project; Chicago River South Branch, Chicago, IL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1123] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6115. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Upper Mississippi River, Mile 389.4 to 403.1 [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1087] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6116. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Power Line Replacement, West Bay, Panama City, FL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0983] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6117. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Alternate Tonnage Threshold for Oil Spill Response Vessels [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0966] (RIN: 1625-AB82) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6118. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zones; New Year's Eve Fireworks Displays within the Captain of the Port Miami Zone, FL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1091] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6119. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; On the Waters in Kailua Bay, Oahu, HI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1142] (RIN: 1625-

AA87) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6120. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; Passenger Vessel SAFARI EXPLORER Arrival/Departure, Kaunakakai Harbor, Molokai, Hawaii [Docket No.: USCG-2011-1159] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received April 26, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6121. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0565; Directorate Identifier 2010-NM-280-AD; Amendment 39-16977; AD 2012-05-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6122. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0191; Directorate Identifier 2012-NM-035-AD; Amendment 39-16980; AD 2012-05-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6123. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Burl A. Rogers (Type Certificate Previously Held by William Brad Mitchell and Aeronca, Inc.) Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0318; Directorate Identifier 2010-CE-033-AD; Amendment 39-16966; AD 2012-04-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6124. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Airplanes; [Docket No.: FAA-2011-1087; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-032-AD; Amendment 39-16967; AD 2012-04-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6125. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0992; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-126-AD; Amendment 39-16968; AD 2012-04-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6126. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Robinson Helicopter Company Helicopters [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0588; Directorate Identifier 2010-SW-074-AD; Amendment 39-16717; AD 2011-12-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6127. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; General Electric Company (GE) Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2011-0928; Directorate Identifier 2011-NE-09-AD; Amendment 39-16954; AD 2012-03-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 18, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6128. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting