

[Docket No.: USCG-2011-0348] (RIN: 1625-AA01) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8139. A letter from the Attorney—Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Cocoa Beach Air Show, Atlantic Ocean, Cocoa Beach, FL [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0633] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8140. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Bay Bridge Load Transfer Safety Zone, San Francisco Bay, San Francisco, CA [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0706] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8141. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Milwaukee Air and Water Show, Lake Michigan, Milwaukee, WI [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0688] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8142. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Dredge Arthur J. Lake Huron, Lakeport, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0709] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8143. A letter from the Director of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance and Veterans' Group Life Insurance-Slayer's Rule Exclusion (RIN: 2900-AN40) received October 7, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

8144. A letter from the Director of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of 30-Day Residency Requirement for Per Diem Payments During an In-Patient Hospital Stay (RIN: 2900-AO36/WP2011-037) received October 2, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

8145. A letter from the Director of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final

rule—Fisher House and Other Temporary Lodging (RIN: 2900-AN79) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

8146. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of the Inwood Valley Viticultural Area [Docket No.: TTB-2011-0011; T.D. TTB-107; Ref: Notice No. 125] (RIN: 1513-AB83) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8147. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of the Middleburg Virginia Viticultural Area [Docket No.: TTB-2011-0009; T.D. TTB-106; Ref: Notice Nos. 123 and 123A] (RIN: 1513-AB67) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8148. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision to Vintage Date Requirements [Docket No.: TTB-2011-0008; T.D. TTB-105; Ref: Notice No. 122] (RIN: 1513-AB84) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); 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. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3973. A bill to facilitate the development of energy on Indian lands by reducing Federal regulations that impede tribal development of Indian lands, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-692). 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 Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS (for herself, Mr. KLINE, and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California):

H.R. 6578. A bill to exempt decorative hearth products from energy efficiency regulation under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.J. Res. 121. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to increase by 29 votes the number of electoral votes awarded to the candidate for President who receives the largest percentage of the popular vote; 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 Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS:

H.R. 6578.

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

The Constitutional authority in which this bill rests is the power of the Congress to regulate Commerce as enumerated by Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.J. Res. 121.

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

Article V of the United States Constitution

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 860: Mr. ADERHOLT.
 H.R. 1621: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 2052: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 2600: Mr. LYNCH.
 H.R. 3307: Mr. MICHAUD and Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 3324: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.
 H.R. 3661: Mr. SHIMKUS and Mr. BILBRAY.
 H.R. 3849: Mr. STUTZMAN.
 H.R. 4205: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. TOWNS.
 H.R. 4215: Mr. WHITFIELD.
 H.R. 5943: Ms. HIRONO.
 H.R. 6043: Mr. DEFAZIO.
 H.R. 6527: Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 6575: Mr. HANNA and Ms. MCCOLLUM.
 H.J. Res. 106: Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California and Mr. MARCHANT.
 H.J. Res. 110: Mr. GUTHRIE and Mr. HUELSKAMP.