

8230. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the 2011 Annual Report of the Office of Privacy and Civil Liberties; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8231. A letter from the Acting Chief Privacy and Civil Liberties Officer, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Privacy Act of 1974: Implementation (CPCLD Order No.: 014-2012) received October 11, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8232. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army, Civil Works, Department of Defense, transmitting the 2012 list of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers projects that have been identified as candidates for de-authorization; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8233. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Elizabeth River, Eastern Branch, Norfolk, VA [USCG-2012-0357] (RIN: 1525-AA09) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8234. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Jet Express Triathlon, Sandusky Bay, Lake Erie, Lakeside, OH [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0072] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8235. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Antique Boat Show, Niagara River, Grand Island, NY [Docket No.: USCG-2012-0043] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received October 1, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8236. A letter from the General Counsel, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the Board's final rule — Rules of Practice in Air Safety Proceedings; Rules Implementing the Equal Access to Justice Act of 1980 [Docket No.: NTSB-GC-2011-0001] received October 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8237. A letter from the General Counsel, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the Board's final rule — Rules of Practice in Air Safety Proceedings [Docket No.: NTSB-GC-2011-0001] received October 17, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8238. 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 — Extension of Statutory Period for Compensation for Certain Disabilities Due to Undiagnosed Illnesses and Medically Unexplained Chronic Multi-Symptom Illnesses (RIN: 2900-AO09) received October 11, 2012, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII,

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN introduced A bill (H.R. 6585) to amend subtitle B of title I of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to extend the temporary high-risk insurance pool program to the territories; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representa-

tives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 6585.

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

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress to enact bills pursuant to clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution. Pursuant to this clause, Congress has the authority to "provide for the . . . general welfare of the United States." Included in the concept of 'general welfare' is Congress's authority to spend money to provide for the health of the citizenry.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 4373: Mr. HONDA and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 6291: Mr. ROE of Tennessee and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 6549: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan and Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 6575: Mr. OWENS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BOREN, and Mr. POMPEO.

H.R. 6579: Mr. BACHUS, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Ms. SEWELL, Mrs. ROBY and Mr. MILLER of Florida.