

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 933–945; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 20; and H. Res. 95–96 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

Pages H950–51

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Messer to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:16 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m.

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Congressional Advisory Panel on the Governance of the Nuclear Security Enterprise—Appointment: Read a letter from Representative Pelosi, Democratic Leader, in which she appointed former Representative Ellen Tauscher of Washington, DC to the Congressional Advisory Panel on the Governance of the Nuclear Security Enterprise.

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United States Group of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Members on the part of the House to the United States Group of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly: Representative Poe (TX), Vice Chair; Representatives Shimkus, Miller (FL), Guthrie, Marino, and Cotton.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:18 p.m. and reconvened at 5:15 p.m.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

Pandemic and All-Hazards Preparedness Reauthorization Act of 2013: Concurred in the Senate amendment to H.R. 307, to reauthorize certain programs under the Public Health Service Act and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to public health security and all-hazards preparedness and response, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 370 yeas to 28 nays, Roll No. 56.

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Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress—Appointment: Read a letter from Representative Pelosi, Democratic Leader, in which she appointed Mr. John A. Lawrence of Washington, DC to the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress.

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Recess: The House recessed at 5:31 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m.

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Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure—Communication: Read a letter from Chairman Shuster wherein he transmitted copies of resolutions to authorize 16 lease prospectuses included in the General Services Administration's FY2012 and FY2013 Capital Investment and Leasing Programs and two resolutions to authorize alteration projects for space consolidations and exigent needs. The resolutions were adopted by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure on February 28, 2013.

Pages H837–H938

Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress of the continuation beyond March 6, 2013 of the national emergency declared with respect to the actions and policies of certain members of the Government of Zimbabwe and other persons to undermine Zimbabwe's democratic processes or institutions—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed (H. Rept. 113–14).

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on pages H822 and H823.

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of today and appears on page H837. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2013

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the U.S. Central Command and U.S. Special Operations Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC–217 following the open session, 9:30 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on the Budget: to hold hearings to examine reducing the deficit by eliminating wasteful spending in the tax code, 10:30 a.m., SD–608.