Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1458. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the 2010-2011 Annual Report for the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, pursuant to 30 U.S.C. 1211(f), 1267(g), and 1295; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1459. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's 2012 Report to Congress for the North Slope Science Initiative; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1460. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Pasquotank River; Elizabeth City, NC [Docket Number: USCG-2013-0259] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received May 1, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1461. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; General Electric Company Turbofan Engines [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0817; Directorate Identifier 99-NE-24-AD; Amendment 39-17438; AD 2013-08-20] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received May 6, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1462. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0935; Directorate Identifier 2011-NM-256-AD; Amendment 39-17428; AD 2013-08-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received May 6, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1463. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Kelowana Flightcraft R&D Ltd. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2013-0330; Directorate Identifier 2013-NM-051-AD; Amendment 39-17427; AD 2013-08-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received May 6, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1464. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2012-0880; Directorate Identifier 2012-CE-004-AD; Amendment 39-17422; AD 2013-08-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received May 6, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

## 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. HENSARLING: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 1062. A bill to improve the consideration by the Securities and Exchange Commission of the costs and benefits of its regulations and orders (Rept. 113–53). 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. LUCAS (for himself and Mr. PETERSON):

H.R. 1947. A bill to provide for the reform and continuation of agricultural and other programs of the Department of Agriculture through fiscal year 2018, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. MICA (for himself, Mr. RAHALL, and Mr. GIBBS):

H.R. 1948. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to preserve the authority of each State to make determinations relating to the State's water quality standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. MESSER (for himself, Mr. KLINE, Mr. PETRI, Ms. FOXX, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BUCSHON):

H.R. 1949. A bill to direct the Secretary of Education to convene the Advisory Committee on Improving Postsecondary Education Data to conduct a study on improvements to postsecondary education transparency at the Federal level; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. TURNER (for himself, Mr. MICA, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. BONNER, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. BRIDENSTINE, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. RICE of South Carolina, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. LANCE, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. ROSS, Mr. SALMON, and Mr. MEEHAN):

H.R. 1950. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent discriminatory misconduct against taxpayers by Federal officers and employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. MORAN):

H.R. 1951. A bill to ensure compliance with the 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction by countries with which the United States enjoys reciprocal obligations, to establish procedures for the prompt return of children abducted to other countries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Financial Services, the Judiciary, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 1952. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require the Securities and Exchange Commission to allow publicly traded companies with a certain sized public float to change their stocks' tick sizes to increase liquidity by incentivizing capital commitment, research coverage, and brokerage support, thereby increasing the stocks' liquidity and investor interest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. DEUTCH (for himself, Mr. BUCHANAN, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 1953. A bill to establish an advisory office within the Bureau of Consumer Protection of the Federal Trade Commission to prevent fraud targeting seniors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HUDSON:

H.R. 1954. A bill to amend chapter 7 of title 31, United States Code, to require the Comptroller General to assist Congress and the President in eliminating agencies and programs in Executive departments that no longer serve a public need, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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 Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York (for herself, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. MEEKS):

H.R. 1955. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of alternatives for commemorating Long Island's aviation history, including a determination of the suitability and feasibility of designating parts of the study area as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. OWENS:

H.R. 1956. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide for the issuance of War on Debt Bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PERRY:

H.R. 1957. A bill to amend titles 10 and 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to accept voluntary services from veterans and veterans service organizations at national cemeteries; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed 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.

By Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. LANCE, Mr. CASSIDY, Mrs. ELLMERS, Mr. BARBER, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. CHU, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FARR, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HONDA, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. KUSTER, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Ms. MATSUI, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. MOORE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PETERS of California, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SABLAN, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. TONKO, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. ESTY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. VELA, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Ms. HAHN, Mr. PETERS of Michigan, Mr. DUFFY, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. YOHO, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mrs. ROBY, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. BUCHANAN, and Mr. HECK of Nevada):

H. Res. 212. A resolution expressing support for designation of May 2013 as Mental Health Month; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## 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 Mr. LUCAS:

H.R. 1947.

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

The ability to regulate interstate commerce and with foreign Nations pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3 includes the power to regulate commodity prices, practices affecting them and the trading or donation of the commodities to impoverished nations. In addition, the Congress has the power to provide for the general Welfare of the United States under Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 which includes the power to promote the development of Rural America through research and extension of credit.

By Mr. MICA:

H.R. 1948.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 3 (related to regulation of Commerce among the several States).

By Mr. MESSER:

H.R. 1949.

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

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States

By Mr. TURNER:

H.R. 1950.

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

The 14th Amendment, Section 5; Article I, Section 8, Clauses 3 and 18 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 1951.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SCHWEIKERT:

H.R. 1952.

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

Article 1 Section 8 of the Constitution

By Mr. DEUTCH:

H.R. 1953.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. HUDSON:

H.R. 1954.

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

Article One, section 8, clause 1:

The Congress shall have power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

Article One, section 8, clause 18:

The Congress shall have Power—To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 1955.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the powers granted to the Congress by Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. OWENS:

H.R. 1956.

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

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Sections 7 and 8, of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. PERRY:

H.R. 1957.

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

Article I, Section VIII

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 32: Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. POLIS, Mr. KLINE, and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama.

H.R. 45: Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. BENTIVOLIO, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. KLINE, Mr. COBLE, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. TERRY, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, and Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 97: Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 111: Mr. LOWENTHAL.

H.R. 129: Ms. WILSON of Florida and Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 182: Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 184: Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 194: Mr. GARAMENDI.

H.R. 262: Mr. ELLISON.

H.R. 292: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 362: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 363: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 485: Ms. MENG.

H.R. 503: Mr. ROSS and Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 508: Mr. RENACCI.

H.R. 685: Mr. WESTMORELAND and Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 701: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 755: Mr. KILMER and Ms. KELLY of Illinois.

H.R. 778: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 792: Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 808: Ms. EDWARDS.

H.R. 822: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa and Ms. ESTY.

H.R. 850: Mr. BENISHEK, Mr. BARTON, Mr. KIND, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. BUCSHON, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. HUELSKAMP.

H.R. 851: Mr. GARAMENDI.

H.R. 924: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. DELANEY.

H.R. 961: Mr. SCHNEIDER and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1015: Mr. LIPINSKI and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.

H.R. 1062: Mr. COTTON, Mr. BARR, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. KLINE, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. STUTZMAN, Mr. PEARCE, and Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 1094: Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. MENG, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. HORSFORD, and Mr. NEAL.

H.R. 1151: Mr. ENYART, Mr. HARPER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. LONG, and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1240: Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 1340: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 1366: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 1384: Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 1413: Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 1416: Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, and Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 1461: Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. GINGREY of Georgia.

H.R. 1462: Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. STOCKMAN, and Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 1609: Ms. WILSON of Florida.

H.R. 1693: Mrs. LUMMIS.

H.R. 1727: Ms. KUSTER and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 1762: Mr. MCCAUL.

H.R. 1768: Mr. MARINO and Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 1771: Mr. RADEL, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. COTTON, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. MESSER, Mr. WOLF, Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. HOLDING, and Ms. GABBARD.

H.R. 1797: Mr. KLINE and Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1825: Mr. ROSS.

H.R. 1845: Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MOORE, Ms. DELAURO, and Ms. PINGREE of Maine.

H.R. 1855: Ms. TITUS, Mr. ENYART, and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 1864: Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. STOCKMAN, and Mr. NUGENT.

H.R. 1871: Mr. ROKITA.

H.R. 1874: Mr. BUCSHON.

H.R. 1886: Mr. MAFFEI.

H.R. 1897: Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 1916: Mr. GARDNER.

H. Con. Res. 29: Mr. VEASEY.

H. Res. 36: Mr. MARINO, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. COLE, Mr. DUFFY, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, and Mr. GUTHRIE.

H. Res. 102: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.

H. Res. 131: Mr. ENGEL and Ms. BONAMICI.

H. Res. 171: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H. Res. 182: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H. Res. 196: Mr. MORAN.

H. Res. 200: Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. SABLAN, and Mr. SCHOCK.

H. Res. 201: Mr. LEVIN and Mr. DOGGETT.

H. Res. 203: Mr. COHEN, Ms. KUSTER, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. WATT, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. JEFFRIES, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. CLEAVER, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. LEWIS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. CRAMER, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. HOLT, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. HECK of Washington, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. MATSUI, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WALZ, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. KILMER, and Mr. MCGOVERN.