

4060. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Rulings and Determination Letters (Rev. Proc. 2014-7) received December 5, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4061. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Net Investment Income Tax [TD 9644] (RIN: 1545-BK44) received December 5, 2013, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. UPTON (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. TERRY, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. BLIRAKIS):

H.R. 3683. A bill to amend the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 to improve United States-Israel energy cooperation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Foreign Affairs, 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. CAPITO (for herself, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. CRAMER, and Mr. LUETKEMEYER):

H.R. 3684. A bill to prohibit Federal funding of foreign travel by the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency until the Agency conducts public listening sessions on rulemaking targeting carbon dioxide emissions from existing power plants in each of the 15 States with the highest percentage of electricity generated by coal in 2012; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Agriculture, and Science, Space, and Technology, 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. BARLETTA (for himself, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. RUNYAN, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. PERRY, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. LANCE, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. RENACCI, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. JONES, Mr. BACHUS, Mrs. NOEM, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. GRIMM, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HANNA, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mrs. WALORSKI, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. COTTON, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. GARDNER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. MARINO, and Mr. BARR):

H.R. 3685. A bill to ensure that emergency services volunteers are not counted as full-time employees under the shared responsibility requirements contained in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois (for himself, Mr. JOYCE, and Mr. GRAVES of Missouri):

H.R. 3686. A bill to require official White House meals and meals served at White House or Department of Agriculture cafeterias to be in compliance with the nutrition requirements for the school breakfast program and the school lunch program; to the Committee on Oversight and Government

Reform, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. ISSA (for himself, Mr. THORBERRY, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. COFFMAN, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. YOHO, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. NUNNELEE, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. POSEY, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. BENTIVOLIO, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, and Mr. CONAWAY):

H.R. 3687. A bill to amend the National Historic Preservation Act to provide that if the head of the agency managing Federal property objects to the inclusion of certain property on the National Register or its designation as a National Historic Landmark for reasons of national security, the Federal property shall be neither included nor designated until the objection is withdrawn, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. JEFFRIES (for himself and Ms. MENG):

H.R. 3688. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to direct the Bureau of Prisons to provide certain voting information to Federal prisoners upon their release from prison; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. JORDAN (for himself and Mr. BARROW of Georgia):

H.R. 3689. A bill to restore Second Amendment rights in the District of Columbia; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. HONDA):

H.R. 3690. A bill to increase the participation of women, girls, and underrepresented minorities in STEM fields, to encourage and support students from all economic backgrounds to pursue STEM career opportunities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 3691. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require additional disclosures when lending to military members and their dependents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. LOEBSACK:

H.R. 3692. A bill to authorize a competitive grant program to implement and evaluate digital learning in rural locales; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. NOLAN (for himself, Mr. FARR, Mr. SLAUGHTER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. WALZ, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. LOEBSACK):

H. Con. Res. 70. Concurrent resolution recognizing the critical contributions international volunteers provide to the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. DEUTCH (for himself and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H. Res. 435. A resolution calling on the government of Iran to fulfill their promises of assistance in this case of Robert Levinson, one of the longest held United States civilians in our Nation's history; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LOWENTHAL (for himself, Ms. BASS, Mr. CARDENAS, Ms. CHU, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COSTA, Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FARR, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. HAHN, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. KEATING, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr.

MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mrs. NEGRETE MCLEOD, Mr. PETERS of California, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. WAXMAN, and Ms. WILSON of Florida):

H. Res. 436. A resolution recognizing the 65th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the celebration of "Human Rights Day"; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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. UPTON:

H.R. 3683.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 3684.

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

Article I Section 9 Clause 7

No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law

By Mr. BARLETTA:

H.R. 3685.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 1 and 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 3686.

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

Necessary and Proper Clause
Article I, 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 the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

Spending Authorization/General Welfare Clause

Article I, 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.

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 3687.

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

Because this bill affects the national security of the United States, in that it protects Federally-owned land dedicated to national security from regulatory encroachment, Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution which empowers Congress "To . . . provide for the common defence [sic] and general Welfare of the United States," Article 1, Section 8, Clauses 11 through 16 which give Congress additional authorities to ensure the national security of the United States; and Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18, which empowers Congress "To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other