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Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, March 14, 2022, at 3 p.m.

House of Representatives

FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2022

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Ms. DEGETTE).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,

March 11, 2022.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DIANA DEGETTE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Rabbi Hannah Spiro, Hill Havurah, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Creator of all, at this time when Jews around the world are preparing for Purim—for a time of confronting hate and persecution with courage, pride, and a sense of humor—help us find that laughter and that love for ourselves and one another, even when the world seems to be crashing down around us.

When the world is upside down, teach us how to cartwheel, audaciously adapting and returning rooted, always back to who we truly are.

May our bold open-heartedness bring forth a world of peace, of righteousness, and of jubilation for our families, for our communities, for our Nation, and for all who dwell on Earth.

We know that every soul deserves peace. We know that every soul de-

serves celebration. May we be Your vessels to bring that time about quickly and in our day.

And let us say:
Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(a) of House Resolution 188, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Byrd, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has agreed to without amendment a joint resolution and a concurrent resolution of the House of the following titles:

H.J. Res. 75. Joint Resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, and for other purposes.

H. Con. Res. 79. Concurrent Resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make a correction in the enrollment of H.R. 2471.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the amendment of the

House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2471) entitled "An Act to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti."

The message also announced that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 497. An act to establish the American Fisheries Advisory Committee to assist in the awarding of fisheries research and development grants, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senator to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Airforce Academy:

The Senator from Colorado (Mr. Hickenlooper) (At Large).

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 117-81, the Chair, on behalf of the Ranking Member of the Senate Committee on Armed Services, appoints the following individuals to serve as members of the National Security Commission on Emerging Biotechnology:

The Senator from Indiana (Mr. Young).

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 110-315, the Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, announces the appointment of the following individual to be a member of the National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity:

Zakiya Smith Ellis of New Jersey vice Dr. Paul LeBlanc of New Hampshire.

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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APPOINTMENT OF HON. DIANA DEGETTE TO ACT AS SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON TODAY

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

NANCY PELOSI,
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE,
Washington, DC, March 11, 2022.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DIANA DEGETTE to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the appointment is approved.

There was no objection.

JOINT EXPLANATORY MATERIAL STATEMENT ON THE INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022, SUBMITTED BY MR. SCHIFF, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

The following is the Joint Explanatory Statement (the “Explanatory Statement”) to the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (“the Act”), which has been included as Division X of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022. The Explanatory Statement reflects the result of negotiations and disposition of issues reached between the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence (“SSCI”) and the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (“HPSCI”) (together, the “Committees”). The Explanatory Statement shall have the same effect with respect to the implementation of the Act as if it were a joint explanatory statement of a conference committee.

The Explanatory Statement comprises three parts: an overview of the application of the annex to accompany this statement; a statement on anomalous health incidents; and unclassified congressional direction.

PART I: APPLICATION OF THE CLASSIFIED ANNEX AND SCHEDULE OF AUTHORIZATIONS

The classified nature of U.S. intelligence activities prevents the Committees from publicly disclosing many details concerning their final decisions regarding funding levels and policy direction. Therefore, in addition to the Schedule of Authorizations a classified annex to the Act—referred to here and within the annex itself as the “Agreement”—has been prepared to describe in detail the scope and intent of the Committees’ actions.

The Agreement supersedes the classified annexes that accompanied H.R. 5412 and S. 2610; and reconciles differences between the Committees, with respect to the National Intelligence Program (NIP). The Agreement also makes recommendations for the Military Intelligence Program (MIP) and the Information Systems Security Program (ISSP). The Agreement authorizes the Intelligence Community (IC) to obligate and expend funds not altered or modified by the classified Schedule of Authorizations as requested in the President’s budget, subject to modification under applicable reprogramming procedures.

The classified Schedule of Authorizations is incorporated into the bill pursuant to Section 102. It has the status of law. The Agree-

ment supplements and adds detail to clarify the authorization levels found in the bill and the classified Schedule of Authorizations.

The Committees view direction and recommendations, whether contained in the Explanatory Statement or in the Agreement, as requiring compliance by the Executive Branch.

PART II: STATEMENT REGARDING ANOMALOUS HEALTH INCIDENTS

From the time the Committees received the first “Havana Syndrome” reports, the Committees have focused intently on the anomalous health incidents (“AHIs”) that have afflicted United States Government personnel, including many in the Intelligence Community (IC) and other United States Government personnel. Provisions of the Act reflect that continuing, bicameral and bipartisan effort.

The Biden Administration also has pursued its own initiatives. As directed by Congress, it earlier this year appointed a senior official, within the National Security Council, to oversee the government’s response to AHIs. Additionally, in recent months, a widely-discussed assessment concluded that a majority of reported AHIs can be explained by medical conditions or environmental or technical factors, and that it is unlikely that a foreign actor—including Russia—is engaged in a sustained, global campaign involving hundreds of incidents without detection. But the assessment left other cases unexplained, including a small subset that the IC continues to scrutinize most closely.

Around the same time, an IC panel of experts determined that certain AHIs cannot be explained by environmental or medical conditions, but could be due to external stimuli. While acknowledging important information gaps, the panel further determined that pulsed electromagnetic energy—and, in some cases, ultrasound—plausibly might explain AHIs’ core characteristics; and that psychosocial factors alone could not account for those characteristics, though they might cause some other incidents or contribute to long-term symptoms.

These findings advance the United States’ understanding of AHIs. But these findings are also heavily qualified, tentative, and based on a developing and incomplete body of evidence and scientific and medical knowledge. Most important, as the Committees wish to stress, these recent developments do not justify shifting the Executive Branch’s AHI-related activities into a lower gear, or discrediting the reports of AHI victims.

The core work on AHIs—to include examination of a potential role by one or more foreign actors—must continue apace. As with prior inquiries into complex and murky intelligence problems, unraveling the AHI mystery fully may take time. It might be years before the United States reaches definitive conclusions about exactly who, or what, is behind AHIs.

The Administration has acknowledged that a great deal remains to be done. Indeed, much more evidence will have to be gathered. Plausible theories regarding responsibility for AHIs will have to be weighed against a record that will grow and change over time, and potentially may have to be revisited if circumstances warrant. And no plausible theory should be ruled out or downplayed prematurely.

Success will depend on many factors. Among other things, it will be important to have a well-resourced cadre of “cross-cleared” individuals, at all relevant IC elements and other Executive Branch organizations, who can readily review and analyze all relevant intelligence and information, and without hindrances. The Committees long

have emphasized this, with respect to AHI and many other priority intelligence matters. However, the Executive Branch has yet to take all necessary steps, to do away with excessive compartmentation and unnecessary bureaucracy; and to ensure that, for AHI and for other vital missions, the right people consistently and easily can access necessary information. That will have to change.

Treatment also must remain a matter of highest priority. All AHI victims must be encouraged to file prompt reports of their experiences, and without fear of being disbelieved or dismissed. They and their families must receive the highest quality medical and other care and must receive that care immediately. Thus far, some bureaucratic roadblocks to the provision of care have been removed—but there is no excuse for any to remain. They must be dismantled. And new ones must not be erected.

Above all, there can be no slowing down, in the investigation into AHIs and in the treatment of AHI victims and their families. To do so would risk signaling—to those individuals, to the broader IC workforce, and to the wider world—that, though it prioritized the issue most highly for a discrete time, the United States is “moving on” from AHIs.

That cannot be allowed to happen. And the Committees will continue to conduct vigorous oversight, to prevent it from happening.

PART III: UNCLASSIFIED CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTION

This Joint Explanatory Statement incorporates by reference, and the Executive Branch shall comply with, all direction contained in the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Report to accompany the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (S. Rept. 117–37) and in the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence Report to accompany the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (H. Rept. 117–156).

The Executive Branch is further directed as follows:

Assessment of Intelligence Community Counternarcotics Capabilities.

The Committees direct the Director of National Intelligence, in consultation with such other Federal Government entities as the Director determines appropriate, to submit an assessment to the congressional intelligence committees within 120 days of enactment of this Act, on the status of the Intelligence Community’s (1) counternarcotics capabilities and resourcing with regard to intelligence collection and analysis; (2) operational support to foreign liaison partners; and (3) operational capacity to support the counternarcotics mission of the Federal Government. The assessment shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.

Assessment of Intelligence Community’s Intelligence-Sharing Relationships with Latin American Partners in Counternarcotics.

The Committees direct the Director of National Intelligence, in consultation with such other Federal Government entities as the Director determines appropriate, to submit an assessment to the congressional intelligence committees within 120 days of enactment of this Act, on the intelligence-sharing relationships of the Intelligence Community with foreign partners in Latin America on counternarcotics matters. The assessment shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.

Report on Intelligence Community Support to Visas Mantis Program.

The Committees direct the Director of National Intelligence, in consultation with

such other Federal Government entities as the Director determines appropriate, to submit a report to the congressional intelligence committees within 120 days of enactment of this Act, on intelligence matters relating to the Visas Mantis program, including efforts by (1) the Intelligence Community to provide and plan for effective intelligence support to such program; and (2) hostile intelligence services to exploit such program or any other program by which visas for admission to the United States are issued. The report shall be submitted in unclassified form but may include a classified annex, as necessary.

Assessment and Report on Interagency Communication Relating to Efforts to Address Anomalous Health Incidents.

The Committees direct the Director of National Intelligence to (1) conduct an assessment of how the various elements of the Intelligence Community are coordinating or collaborating with each other and with elements of the Federal Government that are not part of the Intelligence Community in their efforts to address anomalous health incidents, and (2) submit a report to the congressional intelligence committees within 180 days of enactment of this Act on the findings of the Director with respect to the assessment. The report submitted pursuant to subsection shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.

Reporting on Occurrence of Anomalous Health Incidents.

The Committees direct that, whenever the head of an element of the Intelligence Community becomes aware of a report of an anomalous health incident occurring among the employees or contractors of the element, no later than 90 days after each incident, the head of the element shall submit to the congressional intelligence committees a brief report on the reported incident. The Committees further direct that this reporting requirement shall cease upon joint notice from the congressional intelligence committees to the Director of National Intelligence.

Report on Cooperation by Intelligence Agencies of Key Democratic Countries Regarding Technological Competition with China.

The Committees direct the Director of National Intelligence to submit a report to the congressional intelligence committees within 180 days of enactment of this Act, on the status of current cooperation among the intelligence agencies of key democratic countries and key partners and allies of the United States in order to track and analyze the following:

1. Technology capabilities and gaps among allied and partner countries of the United States;
2. Current capabilities of China in critical technologies and components;
3. The efforts of China to buy startups, conduct joint ventures, and invest in specific technologies globally;
4. The technology development of China in key technology sectors;
5. The efforts of China relating to standard-setting forums; and
6. Supply chain vulnerabilities for key technology sectors;

The Committees further direct that the report shall include a plan to address any deficiencies identified in the report with respect to the cooperation described in such subsection and suggested areas for increased cooperation.

STEM Technology Fellowship

The Committees direct the Office of the Director of National Intelligence, in coordination with the Central Intelligence Agency, the National Security Agency, the Defense Intelligence Agency, the National

Geospatial-Intelligence Agency, the National Reconnaissance Office, and any other relevant Intelligence Community elements, to conduct and present to the congressional intelligence committees, within 180 days after enactment of this Act, a feasibility study examining the benefits of creating a Science, Technology, Engineering, Math (STEM) fellowship for the Intelligence Community, and whether such a fellowship would help alleviate the Intelligence Community's workforce shortages and retention challenges in STEM fields. The study shall include:

1. A comprehensive assessment of the IC's current and future workforce needs in high demand STEM fields, such as data science, cybersecurity, computer network exploitation, software development, and artificial intelligence/machine learning, including:
 - a. An assessment of whether the Intelligence Community's current positions and career categories are sufficient to track and retain high demand STEM employees, and
 - b. An assessment of workforce needs by grade, category, and position descriptions.
2. An overview of Intelligence Community programs aimed at developing and recruiting new and mid-career hires in STEM fields;
3. Proposed timelines for converting fellows and interns to permanent employees;
4. Mechanisms by which the Intelligence Community could use such a fellowship or internship to address shortfalls in diversity among the workforce; and
5. An assessment of the authorities and resources required to establish an Intelligence Community-wide STEM technology fellowship.

Signed:

ADAM B. SCHIFF, *Chairman.*

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(b) of House Resolution 188, the House stands adjourned until noon on Tuesday, March 15, 2022, for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, March 15, 2022, at noon for morning-hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-3597. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Jeffrey A. Rockwell, United States Air Force, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1370(c)(1); Public Law 96-513, Sec. 112 (as amended by Public Law 104-106, Sec. 502(b)); (110 Stat. 293); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3598. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of General Jeffrey L. Harrigan, United States Air Force, and his advancement to the grade of general on the retired list, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1370(c)(1); Public Law 96-513, Sec. 112 (as amended by Public Law 104-106, Sec. 502(b)); (110 Stat. 293); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3599. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter

on the approved retirement of Admiral Robert P. Burke, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of admiral on the retired list, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1370(c)(1); Public Law 96-513, Sec. 112 (as amended by Public Law 104-106, Sec. 502(b)); (110 Stat. 293); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3600. A letter from the Senior Advisor, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a notification of an action on nomination, and a discontinuation of service in acting role, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3601. A letter from the Senior Advisor, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a notification of an action on nomination, and a discontinuation of service in acting role, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3602. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — List of Fisheries for 2021 [Docket No.: 210108-0005] (RIN: 0648-BJ72) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3603. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Take of Marine Mammals Incidental to Specified Activities; Taking Marine Mammals Incidental to Seabird Research Activities in Central California [Docket No.: 210519-0111] (RIN: 0648-BJ47) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3604. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Take of Marine Mammals Incidental to Specified Activities; Taking Marine Mammals Incidental to Rocky Intertidal Monitoring Surveys Along the Oregon and California Coasts [Docket No.: 200323-0085] (RIN: 0648-BJ37) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3605. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — 2020 Annual Determination To Implement the Sea Turtle Observer Requirement [Docket No.: 200731-0203] (RIN: 0648-BI91) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3606. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Taking of Marine Mammals Incidental to Commercial Fishing Operations; Atlantic Large Whale Take Reduction Plan Regulations; Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Cooperative Management Act Provisions; American Lobster Fishery [Docket No.: FR-210827-0171] (RIN: 0648-BJ09) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3607. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States, transmitting recommendations adopted by the Assembly of the Administrative Conference of the United States at

its 76th Plenary Session; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-3608. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance, and Acting Assistant U.S. Trade Representative, Office of the United States Trade Representative, and the Department of Commerce, transmitting the annual report on Subsidies Enforcement, pursuant to Sec. 281(f)(4) of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act; 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. NADLER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 963. A bill to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration; with an amendment (Rept. 117-270). 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. BERA (for himself and Mr. MCGOVERN):

H.R. 7054. A bill to direct the Librarian of Congress to establish a program in the American Folklife Center to collect video and audio recordings of personal histories and testimonials of those affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. DINGELL (for herself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER):

H.R. 7055. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with regard to research on asthma, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida (for herself and Mrs. WAGNER):

H.R. 7056. A bill to amend section 214(c)(8) of the Immigration and Nationality Act to modify the data reporting requirements relating to nonimmigrant employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GIMENEZ (for himself, Mrs. HARSHBARGER, Mr. NORMAN, Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS, Mr. VAN DREW, and Mr. GUEST):

H.R. 7057. A bill to revoke Transportation Security Administration directives to implement the Federal mask mandate in public transportation systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. GOOD of Virginia (for himself and Mr. BANKS):

H.R. 7058. A bill to prohibit abuse of the authority of the Secretary of Education under the HEROES Act in connection with the COVID-19 national emergency declaration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mrs. LESKO, and Mr. KELLER):

H.R. 7059. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Homeland Security from enacting certain alternative to detention programs for aliens, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota (for himself, Mr. O'HALLERAN, Ms. HERRELL, and Ms. KUSTER):

H.R. 7060. A bill to modify conditions of funding for the distance learning, telemedicine, and broadband program of the Rural Utilities Service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. KHANNA:

H.R. 7061. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a windfall profits excise tax on crude oil and to rebate the tax collected back to individual taxpayers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of

New York (for herself, Ms. ADAMS, Mr. BACON, Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. BASS, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. BOWMAN, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Ms. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. BUSH, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARSON, Mr. CARTER of Louisiana, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mrs. CHERFILUS-McCORMICK, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. COOPER, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. DELBENE, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. DONALDS, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. GALLEG0, Mr. GARBARINO, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HARRIS, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HORSFORD, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. JACOBS of California, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KAHELE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KATKO, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. KILMER, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. LIEU, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MEIJER, Ms. MENG, Mr. MFUME, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. NEWMAN, Ms. NORTON, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PRESSLEY, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. RASKIN, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SCANLON, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, Ms. SEWELL, Ms. SLOTKIN, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. STEVENS, Ms. STRICKLAND, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. SWALWELL, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. TENNEY, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. TITUS, Ms. TLAIB, Mr. TONKO, Mr. TORRES of New York, Mr. TRONE, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. VEASEY, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. WELCH, Ms. WILD, and Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia):

H.R. 7062. A bill to direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Harriet Tubman and to place the statue in National Statuary Hall in the United States Capitol; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. PERRY (for himself, Mrs. MILLER of Illinois, Mr. GOOD of Virginia, Mr. GARCÍA of California, and Mrs. BOEBERT):

H.R. 7063. A bill to codify Executive Order 13876, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and the Judiciary, 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 Ms. PORTER (for herself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, and Mr. PENCE):

H.R. 7064. A bill to require the Secretary of Transportation, in consultation with the Secretary of Energy, to establish a grant program to demonstrate the performance and reliability of heavy-duty fuel cell vehicles that use hydrogen as a fuel source, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Ms. PORTER (for herself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 7065. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to establish a grant program to support hydrogen-fueled equipment at ports and to conduct a study with the Secretary of Transportation and the Secretary of Homeland Security on the feasibility and safety of using hydrogen-derived fuels, including ammonia, as a shipping fuel; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. SHERMAN:

H.R. 7066. A bill to require United States financial institutions to ensure entities and persons owned or controlled by the institution comply with financial sanctions on the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus to the same extent as the institution itself, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. SHERMAN:

H.R. 7067. A bill to impose sanctions with respect to the use of cryptocurrency to facilitate transactions by Russian persons subject to sanctions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Financial 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 Ms. SLOTKIN (for herself, Ms. SHERRILL, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Mr. MEIJER):

H.R. 7068. A bill to prohibit United States persons from engaging in transactions with foreign persons that purchase or transact in gold from the Russian Federation; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. COSTA, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BACON, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. TITUS, and Ms. PORTER):

H.R. 7069. A bill to establish the Commission on the COVID-19 Pandemic; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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 Ms. STEFANIK (for herself, Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS, Mr. JACOBS of New York, and Mr. GARBARINO):

H.R. 7070. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act with respect to the types of milk offered under the school lunch program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ (for herself, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York,

Ms. NORTON, Mrs. CHERFILUS-MCCORMICK, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. SOTO, and Mr. VARGAS):

H.R. 7071. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the educator expense deduction and allow early childhood educators to take the deduction, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BALDERSON:

H. Res. 976. A resolution commemorating the celebration of Purim by the Jewish community of the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mrs. TRAHAN:

H. Res. 977. A resolution commemorating the life and legacy of Jean-Louis de Kérouac on the centennial of his birth on March 12, 2022; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN (for herself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. CHENEY, Mrs. RODGERS of Washington, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. GARBARINO, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. KIM of California, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Ms. MACE, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. PLASKETT, Ms. PRESSLEY, Ms. ROSS, Ms. SCANLON, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. SPANBERGER, and Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia):

H. Res. 978. A resolution recognizing Girl Scouts of the United States of America on its 110th birthday and celebrating its legacy of providing girls with a safe, inclusive space while supporting the next generation of women leaders; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

ML-146. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Office of the Governor of New Jersey, relative to a notice of the State of New Jersey's intention to withdraw from the Waterfront Commission Compact; which was referred 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 Mr. BERA:

H.R. 7054.

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

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

By Mrs. DINGELL:

H.R. 7055.

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

The Constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida:

H.R. 7056.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. GIMENEZ:

H.R. 7057.

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

Article I, Section 8. To make 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 Mr. GOOD of Virginia:

H.R. 7058.

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

Article I Section 8

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 7059.

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

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 9

By Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota:

H.R. 7060.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution in that the legislation exercises legislative powers granted to Congress by that clause "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 any Department or Office thereof."

By Mr. KHANNA:

H.R. 7061.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 7062.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. PERRY:

H.R. 7063.

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

Article I, Section VIII of the United States Constitution

By Ms. PORTER:

H.R. 7064.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Ms. PORTER:

H.R. 7065.

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

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. SHERMAN:

H.R. 7066.

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

By Mr. SHERMAN:

H.R. 7067.

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

By Ms. SLOTKIN:

H.R. 7068.

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

Article 1, Section 8, Necessary and Proper Clause: "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 Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 7069.

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 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. STEFANIK:

H.R. 7070.

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

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 7071.

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

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to . . . provide for the . . . general Welfare of the United States; . . .

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 82: Ms. SALAZAR and Mr. LUCAS.

H.R. 492: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 903: Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ and Ms. BROWN of Ohio.

H.R. 1145: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 1179: Mr. BUDD, Mr. SCHNEIDER, and Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 1210: Ms. LETLOW.

H.R. 1361: Mr. EVANS and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 1474: Ms. SÁNCHEZ.

H.R. 1522: Ms. TENNEY.

H.R. 1548: Mr. GOTTHEIMER and Mr. MALINOWSKI.

H.R. 1643: Mr. BOWMAN.

H.R. 1730: Ms. STANSBURY and Mr. O'HALLERAN.

H.R. 1735: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 1956: Mr. O'HALLERAN.

H.R. 2011: Mr. PAPPAS and Mr. CARBAJAL.

H.R. 2021: Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ.

H.R. 2050: Mr. COOPER, Mr. POSEY, and Mr. BACON.

H.R. 2215: Ms. PORTER.

H.R. 2294: Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER, and Mr. DOGETT.

H.R. 2350: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2499: Ms. MENG and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.

H.R. 2549: Mr. RASKIN, Mr. BOWMAN, Mr. CARTER of Louisiana, and Mrs. DINGELL.

H.R. 2712: Ms. MACE.

H.R. 2718: Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. MOOLENAAR, and Mr. MCHENRY.

H.R. 2750: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 2800: Mr. MAST.

H.R. 3079: Mr. SIMPSON.

H.R. 3173: Ms. BONAMICI and Mr. HORSFORD.

H.R. 3465: Mr. C. SCOTT FRANKLIN of Florida.

H.R. 3525: Mrs. HAYES and Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 3550: Ms. MANNING.

H.R. 3586: Mrs. CHERFILUS-MCCORMICK.

H.R. 3671: Mrs. AXNE and Ms. ESCOBAR.

H.R. 3764: Mrs. MCBATH and Mr. VARGAS.

H.R. 3807: Mrs. CHERFILUS-MCCORMICK.

H.R. 3870: Mrs. HAYES.

H.R. 4058: Mr. LAMALFA.

H.R. 4108: Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. EVANS, Ms. JAYAPAL, and Mr. MFUME.

H.R. 4214: Ms. SALAZAR and Mr. GOTTHEIMER.

H.R. 4310: Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY.

H.R. 4472: Mr. HIGGINS of New York and Mr. FORTENBERRY.

H.R. 4872: Ms. SCANLON.

H.R. 5062: Mrs. BOEBERT.

H.R. 5141: Mr. HIMES.

H.R. 5189: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 5203: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.
 H.R. 5309: Ms. ADAMS and Mr. EVANS.
 H.R. 5414: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.
 H.R. 5450: Mr. BENTZ.
 H.R. 5526: Mr. LIEU.
 H.R. 5754: Ms. STRICKLAND.
 H.R. 5769: Mrs. FLETCHER and Mr. MORELLE.
 H.R. 5842: Ms. TITUS.
 H.R. 5912: Mr. SESSIONS.
 H.R. 5937: Mr. SOTO.
 H.R. 6015: Ms. PLASKETT, Mrs. CHERFILUS-McCORMICK, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. VICENTE GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. HIMES, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. AGUILAR, Mr. CASE, Mr. DOGGETT, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. NADLER, Ms. SEWELL, Ms. SPANBERGER, and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.
 H.R. 6059: Mr. CARSON and Mr. GOTTHEIMER.
 H.R. 6203: Mr. CRAWFORD.
 H.R. 6207: Mr. SIRES.
 H.R. 6375: Ms. SHERRILL.
 H.R. 6394: Mr. FEENSTRA.
 H.R. 6414: Mr. BENTZ.
 H.R. 6536: Mrs. McCLAIN.
 H.R. 6573: Ms. STEVENS.
 H.R. 6590: Ms. TENNEY.
 H.R. 6613: Ms. ROSS, Ms. STEVENS, Mrs. MCBATH, and Mr. HORSFORD.
 H.R. 6671: Mr. ROY and Mr. BENTZ.
 H.R. 6748: Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina, Mr. TIMMONS, and Ms. STEFANIK.
 H.R. 6783: Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY.
 H.R. 6787: Ms. KUSTER and Mr. CRIST.
 H.R. 6829: Mr. MOORE of Alabama.

H.R. 6851: Mrs. HAYES.
 H.R. 6916: Mr. GARBARINO.
 H.R. 6926: Mr. BACON.
 H.R. 6937: Mr. MULLIN.
 H.R. 6940: Mr. WALTZ.
 H.R. 6945: Mrs. HARSHBARGER, Mr. TIMMONS, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PFLUGER, Mr. MULLIN, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska.
 H.R. 6969: Mrs. LESKO.
 H.R. 6970: Mr. FALLON, Mr. BROOKS, Mr. BUCHSHON, Mrs. RODGERS of Washington, Mr. CLYDE, and Mr. MULLIN.
 H.R. 6981: Mr. TIMMONS.
 H.R. 7050: Mr. STAUBER.
 H. Con. Res. 72: Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 78: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. BERA, Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. GARCIA of Illinois, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. STRICKLAND, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mr. AUCHINCLOSS, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. PORTER, Mr. GOMEZ, and Mr. CARBAJAL.
 H. Res. 183: Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.
 H. Res. 888: Ms. DELAURO.
 H. Res. 936: Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas.
 H. Res. 961: Mr. COMER.
 H. Res. 963: Mr. RUTHERFORD and Mr. NORMAN.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

PT-104. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the New York City Council, relative to Resolution No. 1222, calling upon the United

States Congress to pass and the President to sign the Green New Deal for Public Housing Act; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

PT-105. Also, a petition of the New York City Council, relative to Resolution No 1201-A, calling on Congress to pass and the President to sign, H.R. 235, the Public Housing Emergency Response Act; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS— ADDITIONS AND WITHDRAWALS

The following Members added their names to the following discharge petitions:

Petition 3 by Mr. ROY on House Resolution 292: Mr. Loudermilk, and Mr. Smith of Missouri.

Petition 9 by Mr. BUCK on House Resolution 823: Mr. Bergman.

Petition 10 by Mr. DUNCAN on House Joint Resolution 67: Mr. Keller, Mrs. Greene of Georgia, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Kelly of Pennsylvania, Mr. Gibbs, and Mr. Wilson of South Carolina.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 11, March 9, 2022, by Mr. SCHWEIKERT on bill (H.R. 6009), was signed by the following Members: Mr. Schweikert, Mr. Good of Virginia, and Mr. Griffith.

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

DAVE MURPHY

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Dave Murphy for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Dave Murphy is a student at Arvada West High School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Dave Murphy is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Dave Murphy for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

IN HONOR OF THE EXTRAORDINARY LIFE AND LEGACY OF
MRS. BEATRICE PRICE

TERRI A. SEWELL

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Ms. SEWELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the remarkable life and legacy of Beatrice Muse Price, a pioneering Army nurse to the Tuskegee Airmen during World War II, who passed away at age 98 on March 4, 2022.

Mrs. Price was born the second of six children on January 21, 1924, in Bessemer, Alabama, to the late Henry and Frances Muse. Graduating from Hale County Training School, she went on to attend Grady Memorial School of Nursing in Atlanta, Georgia, where she graduated in 1944 as a Registered Nurse. She continued her education at the University of Maryland, Tuskegee University, and Miles College.

Mrs. Price began her career in nursing, serving as a chief nurse for a private hospital in Detroit, Michigan. She then joined the Army Nurses Corps in WWII, serving as a 2nd Lieutenant then later as 1st Lieutenant. During her time in the military, Mrs. Price was assigned to care for the famed Tuskegee Airmen, the first African American military aviator unit in the United States Army. From 1944 to 1948, Mrs. Price showed exemplary courage and service to the Tuskegee Airmen, earning her the prestigious Congressional Gold Medal along with the men she cared for. Her heroic military service to our country broke many barriers for future generations of Black nurses.

Mrs. Price had a stellar 42-year career in nursing. After her discharge in 1948, she went on to work in the U.S. Public Health Service for three years. Then, she spent the next 34 years working as a nurse at the Birmingham VA Medical Center. She was ultimately promoted to be the Night Nursing Supervisor, a position she held for twenty years until she retired on January 2, 1988.

Mrs. Price received countless awards for her remarkable leadership and contributions to the nursing profession. In 1985, VA department heads in Birmingham selected Mrs. Price as the first recipient of the distinguished Administrator's Award for Excellence in Nursing. In 2011, Mrs. Price was selected by America's oral history project, StoryCorps, to create an audio recording of her incredible life story. She also received national recognition in 2013, from the international Black nurse's sorority, Chi Eta Phi, for being a True Nursing Pioneer.

Throughout her life, Mrs. Price was a faithful servant leader. She was an active member of the Sixth Avenue Baptist Church, serving for over sixty years as a member of the Deaconess Board, founder of the Wellness Ministry, and co-founder of a Sunday School class.

Mrs. Price is preceded in death by her husband of 37 years, Charles E. Price, Sr.; parents Henry and Mary Frances Muse; sister, Ruth Outland; two brothers Eugene Muse and Theodore Muse, Sr.; two stepdaughters Norma Jean Price and Charlotte Price; and granddaughter, April Price. She is survived by one daughter Gill Hickman (G. Michael); two sons Joseph Diop (Betty Ann) and Michael Price (Anita); two surrogate daughters Karen Beverly West (John "Bev") and Amelia Jones; a daughter-in-law Sherrell Price; one brother Henry Muse, Sr. (Eulasteen); one sister Annie Bell Dawson; ten grandchildren Angela Terry (Anthony), Kimberly Crago (Stephen), Michael B. Hickman, Bennie Stephen Hurst (Fred-erica), Manny Franklin (Preston), Arianne Price, Ashley Price, Tyler Price, Serena James, and Yolanda Roberts; one surrogate granddaughter Anniko "Nicole" Richardson (Jay); seven nieces and nephews John Outland, Jr. (Patricia), Monica Chambers, Kenneth Muse, Theodore Muse Jr. (Marquita), Arleen Livingston, Darlene Davis, Anita Muse; best friend and colleague Juanita Hixon; dear friends Leona Steward and Veronica Pettway; and a host of great-grandchildren, cousins, friends and church members.

On a personal note, Mrs. Price was a source of great inspiration for me and so many young black women. A trailblazer and pioneer in the field of nursing, she was devoted to her church, her family, and her service to this nation. A woman of tremendous faith, Mrs. Price served honorably during World War II alongside the legendary Tuskegee Airmen. As Alabama's first Black Congresswoman, it was my high honor to bestow upon her a Congressional Gold Medal for her courage, bravery, and exemplary service. I was also elated to host Mrs. Price in Washington at the State of the Union in 2013. For

all of her accomplishments, Mrs. Price was always gracious, sweet, compassionate, and humble—always helping others with a smile and an extended hand. I am eternally grateful for our friendship, mentorship, and special bond. I want to thank her family for sharing her with the world. May we find comfort in knowing that she lived a full blessed life, and her legacy will live on in the hearts and actions of those she impacted. Rest in Peace and Power, thy good and faithful servant.

On behalf of Alabama's 7th Congressional District, I ask my colleagues to join me in recognizing the extraordinary life and legacy of Mrs. Beatrice Muse Price and her dedicated service that helped transform American History.

FRIEDA MARTINEZ

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Frieda Martinez for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Frieda Martinez is a student at Jefferson Jr./Sr. High School and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Frieda Martinez is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Frieda Martinez for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING MR. TOM WALKER

ROBERT B. ADERHOLT

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. ADERHOLT. Madam Speaker, today I would like to recognize and congratulate Mr. Tom Walker, founder and president of the American Village in Montevallo, Alabama, on his retirement after almost 35 years as an educator, civic leader and inspiration to children and adults alike across the southeast and the nation.

In the late 1980's, Tom conceived the idea of the American Village to be an American history and civics educational campus to inspire and prepare young people for their roles as citizens and leaders. Under Tom's leadership,

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American Village, an 188-acre campus in Montevallo, Alabama, became chartered in 1995 and has since educated and inspired over 750,000 children as well as adults across the southeastern United States. American Village has welcomed thousands of public visitors each year for a true American Experience.

Before founding American Village, Tom earned his bachelor's degree, with honors, in history and political science from the University of Montevallo and his master's degree in political science from Mississippi State University.

Tom Walker is the former City Manager of Northport, Alabama, and served as the Special Assistant to the President of the University of Montevallo. He is also the former Vice Chair of the Board of Trustees at the University of Montevallo and was the founding chair of the AL Higher Education Partnership.

Since founding the American Village, Tom has received numerous awards and honors. In 2017, he was one of only sixteen private citizens appointed to the Semiquincentennial Commission to organize the 250th birthday celebration of the United States of America. In December of 2020, Tom was conferred the Honorary Doctor of Laws by Troy University. He is a past recipient of the American Bar Association's highest national award for excellence in K-12 law-related education. He is the recipient of the DAR Medal of Honor and the SAR Gold Citizenship Medal, the highest national honors awarded by the National Societies of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and of the Sons of the American Revolution, respectively. He has received numerous other state, regional and national awards and was named as Birmingham Citizen of the Year by The Women's Committee of Birmingham in 2014.

Tom once said, We must build good citizens and leaders who will cherish these ideals, and thereby learn to love our country, and what an incredible job of that he has done these past 35 years working with the students of the southeast.

Upon his retirement, Tom looks forward to spending more time with his wife, Betty, three children: his son, Matt and wife Candace; his daughter, Jane Herndon and her husband Josh; and his son Jefferson, along with his grandson, Wells Thomas Herndon. He will continue to maintain an office and an active part-time Founder and Director-Emeritus position at the American Village, as he continues to prepare the nation's youth to become leaders.

Since my own appointment to the United States Semiquincentennial Commission, I have had the honor to serve alongside Tom. I have grown to admire and respect his great love for American history, his solid values and his strong faith in God, which are the foundations that have made this nation great. It has been a privilege to work with him on this commission, but more importantly to call him my friend. I look forward to his continued service in that role.

As a community leader, educator, and friend, Tom Walker has touched the lives of countless Americans, including myself. Therefore, I ask you to join with me in congratulating Tom Walker on an inspirational 35 years of work and service to Montevallo, the State of Alabama, and the United States of America.

ZARIA TELL

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Zaria Tell for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Zaria Tell is a student at Oberon Middle School and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Zaria Tell is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Zaria Tell for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. PAUL A. GOSAR

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. GOSAR. Madam Speaker, on Thursday, March 3, 2022, this body considered amendments and final passage of H.R. 3967, the Honoring our PACT Act. One amendment voted on before this chamber was Mr. Ryan of Ohio's amendment number 23 which added the text of the SFC Heath Robinson Burn Pit Transparency Act to the bill.

While I did not support final passage of this bill, I did support several of amendments offered to it. Amendment 23 was one such amendment. Due to error on the House floor, my amendment was incorrectly cast as no.

This was an error and I rise today to correct my vote and indicate that I intended to vote yes, in favor of amendment 23. While I have issues with the underlying bill, this amendment was a strong addition to ensure we provide an adequate level of care to our nation's veterans who are suffering from toxic exposure during their service to this country.

Madam Speaker, I reiterate that I intended to vote in favor of amendment 23.

MATTHEW ZULLO

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Matthew Zullo for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Matthew Zullo is a student at Jefferson Jr./Sr. High School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Matthew Zullo is exemplary of the type of achievement

that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Matthew Zullo for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

IN HONOR OF MICHAEL J.
BRADLEY JR.

HON. BRENDAN F. BOYLE

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania. Madam Speaker, on behalf of the United States House of Representatives, I recognize and celebrate Michael J. Bradley Jr., on the occasion of his service as Grand Marshal of the Philadelphia St. Patrick's Day Parade.

The United States Congress is privileged to honor individuals who work to enrich Philadelphia's communities, and is proud to honor our Irish and Irish-American communities as we celebrate St. Patrick's Day at one of the oldest and largest St. Patrick's Day parades in our country.

Now, therefore, Congressman BRENDAN F. BOYLE, on behalf of the United States House of Representatives, offers his best wishes and appreciation to Michael J. Bradley, Jr., as he leads the Philadelphia St. Patrick's Day Parade as Grand Marshal, and issues this proclamation on Sunday, March 13, 2022.

RYLEY SUNDBYE

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Ryley Sundbye for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Ryley Sundbye is a student at Oberon Middle School and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Ryley Sundbye is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Ryley Sundbye for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

HONORING FEDERAL HEALTH
WORKERS DEPLOYED TO SPAR-
ROW HOSPITAL IN LANSING

HON. ELISSA SLOTKIN

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Ms. SLOTKIN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the heroic caregivers at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing, Michigan, including the Department of Defense medical team which has been providing critical assistance as the hospital has grappled with a surge in COVID patients over the last few months.

In early February 2022, as the omicron variant drove case levels to new heights, a team of 23 federal medical personnel, including physicians, registered nurses, and respiratory therapists, arrived in Lansing to provide much-needed help to Sparrow's staff. The team has spent the past month providing invaluable aid to the hospital's overtaxed Emergency Department, and in other areas of the hospital overwhelmed by extraordinarily high patient volumes. This team has worked alongside Sparrow's staff with grace, grit, and professionalism, and they have been invaluable to the hospital's service to the Greater Lansing area. Michigan's healthcare heroes, including the staff at Sparrow Hospital, have been on the frontlines of this battle for the past two years under the most intense and stressful conditions. But their commitment to the safety and health of our community never wavered. I've heard stories of caregivers who have held the phone to the ear of a dying patient so a family could say goodbye; others who have developed special relationships with patient's loved ones; and some who have worked with tireless dedication only to break down in their cars at the end of the day from what they're living through.

Sparrow Specialty Hospital leaders even organized a wedding ceremony—bringing decorations from home and filling in the wedding party—for a COVID patient who realized the shortness of life and decided to marry his longtime love as soon as possible. While the dedication shown by our health workers is remarkable, so too is the emotional and physical strain they've been put under.

The brave men and women of the military are called to serve their country, and we are so grateful to this team for the immense relief they have provided in the battle against this invisible enemy. I will never forget the cheers and tears I saw firsthand as the team arrived, in uniform, marching down Sparrow's hallway. I knew immediately they would feel right at home alongside the mission-driven team at Sparrow, and that this partnership would yield much-needed hope and relief.

We are so grateful to all who have cared for and comforted COVID patients and their families through two years of unrelenting demands, and to this remarkable partnership between the Department of Defense medical team and Sparrow Hospital. On behalf of a grateful community and nation, it is my great honor to record their remarkable service to Mid-Michigan so that their actions may be known to all.

ABEL UBALLE

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Abel Uballe for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Abel Uballe is a student at Jefferson Jr./Sr. High School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Abel Uballe is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Abel Uballe for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. TOM EMMER

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. EMMER. Madam Speaker, I was regrettably unable to vote on March 8, 2022. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes" on H.R. 5681 and "yes" on H. Con. Res. 70.

NA'JAILAH SILLEMON

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Na'jailah Sillemmon for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Na'jailah Sillemmon is a student at Mandalay Middle School and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Na'jailah Sillemmon is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Na'jailah Sillemmon for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

BIANCEN ESTRASDA

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Biancen Estrasda for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Biancen Estrasda is a student at Mandalay Middle School and received this award because her determination and hard work have allowed her to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Biancen Estrasda is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Biancen Estrasda for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt she will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of her future accomplishments.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. BYRON DONALDS

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. DONALDS. Madam Speaker, unfortunately, I missed two of yesterday's votes. Had I been present, I would have voted yea on roll-call No. 65.

OBETH PEREZ LUNA

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Obeth Perez Luna for receiving the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Obeth Perez Luna is a student at Jefferson Jr./Sr. High School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Obeth Perez Luna is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Obeth Perez Luna for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

ELIJAH MONRTENSEN-MEDINA

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, March 11, 2022

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Elijah Monrtensen-Medina for receiving the Arvada

Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth award.

Elijah Monrtensen-Medina is a student at Jefferson Jr./Sr. High School and received this award because his determination and hard work have allowed him to overcome adversities.

The dedication demonstrated by Elijah Monrtensen-Medina is exemplary of the type of achievement that can be attained with hard

work and perseverance. It is essential students at all levels strive to make the most of their education and develop a work ethic which will guide them for the rest of their lives.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Elijah Monrtensen-Medina for winning the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassador for Youth award. I have no doubt he will exhibit the same dedication and character in all of his future accomplishments.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session and stands adjourned until 3 p.m., on Monday, March 14, 2022.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 7054–7071; and 3 resolutions, H. Res. 976–978, were introduced. **Pages H3712–13**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H3713–14**

Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows:

H.R. 963, to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–270). **Page H3712**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative DeGette to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H3709**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Rabbi Hannah Spiro, Hill Havurah, Washington DC. **Page H3709**

Speaker Pro Tempore Designation: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative DeGette to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions on this day. **Page H3710**

Senate Referral: S. 497 was held at the desk. **Page H3709**

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H3709.

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:03 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR MONDAY, MARCH 14, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

3 p.m., Monday, March 14

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12 noon, Tuesday, March 15

Senate Chamber

Program for Monday: Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Shalanda D. Young, of Louisiana, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 5:30 p.m.

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: To be announced.

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