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House of Representatives

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

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
August 23, 2011.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JEFF DENHAM to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Mark Farr, Faith & Politics Institute, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

God of the nations, to this House is given leadership of a journey upon which the people of this land have embarked: A quest for a more perfect union, and from many to make one.

To this House has been entrusted the hearts of a traveling, passionate, pilgrim people.

O God, therefore, we pray Thee, be with those who pilot our course. Visit with those who keep watch in this place. To those who steer the ship of our Nation, endow a clear mind and a gentle tongue. Bestow a generosity of spirit to reason together, even while acknowledging great differences, that as we journey, we may not become strangers to each other but see in every life a valued fellow pilgrim, and may the Captain of our souls guide us into safe harbor at the last.

In His name we pray. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5 of House Resolution 375, 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.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4 of House Resolution 375, no legislative business will be conducted on this day.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to sections 3 and 4 of House Resolution 375, the House stands adjourned until 10:30 a.m. on Friday, August 26, 2011.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 4 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until Friday, August 26, 2011, at 10:30 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

2799. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Chlorantraniliprole; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2010-0888; FRL-8875-5] received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2800. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Identification of Critical Safety Items (DFARS Case 2010-D022) (RIN: 0750-AG92) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

2801. A letter from the Director, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Bank Secrecy Act Regulations — Definitions and Other Regulations Relating to Prepaid Access (RIN: 1506-AB07) received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2802. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medical Devices; Exception from General Requirements for Informed Consent [Docket No. FDA-2003-N-0212; (formerly Docket No.: 2003N-0355)] received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2803. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medical Devices; Neurological Devices; Clarification of Classification for Human Dura Mater; Technical Amendment [Docket No.: FDA-1997-N-0040] (formerly Docket No.: 1997N-0484P) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2804. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Interim Final Determination to Defer Sanctions, San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District, California [EPA-R09-OAR-2011-0571; FRL-9444-7] received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2805. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Determinations of Attainment of the 1997 Fine Particle Standard for the Harrisburg-Lebanon-Carlisle, Johnstown, Lancaster, York, and Reading Nonattainment Areas [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0419; FRL-9445-1] received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2806. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Placer County Air Pollution Control District and Feather

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

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River Air Quality Management District [EPA-R09-OAR-2011-0461; FRL-9439-1] received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2807. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Agency, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Northern Sierra Air Quality Management District, Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District, Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District, and South Coast Air Quality Management District [EPA-R09-OAR-2011-0042; FRL-9279-3] received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2808. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment to the International Traffic in Arms Regulations: Electronic Payment of Registration Fees (RIN: 1400-AC74) received July 25, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2809. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Western Pacific Pelagic Fisheries; Prohibiting Longline Fishing Within 30 nm of the Northern Mariana Islands [Docket No.: 0808051054-1319-02] (RIN: 0648-AW67) received July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2810. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zones; July 4th Fireworks Displays within the Captain of the Port Miami Zone, FL [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0439] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2811. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; New York Water Taxi 10th Anniversary Fireworks, Upper New York Bay, Red Hook, NY [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0222] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2812. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Nicole Cerrito Birthday Fireworks, Detroit River, Detroit, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0416] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2813. A letter from the Attorney, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; The Pacific Grove Feast of Lanterns, Fireworks Display, Pacific Grove, CA [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0159] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2814. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Michigan Bankers Association Fireworks, Lake Huron, Mackinac Island, MI [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0265] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2815. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Augusta Southern Nationals Drag Boat Race, Savannah River, Augusta, GA [Docket No.: USCG-2011-0438] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received July 22, 2011, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2816. A letter from the Senior Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Standards; Rotor Overspeed Requirements [Docket No.: FAA-2010-0398; Amendment No. 33-31] (RIN: 2120-AJ62) received July 27, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2817. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Applicable Federal Rates — August 2011 (Rev. Rul. 2011-16) received July 20, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 613: Mr. DEFAZIO and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 674: Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. AMASH, and Mr. BONNER.

H.R. 1179: Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 1342: Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.

H.R. 1747: Ms. SEWELL.

H.R. 1754: Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 1848: Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 1905: Mr. WOODALL.

H.R. 1946: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 2106: Mrs. MALONEY, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 2250: Mr. BROOKS.

H.R. 2286: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 2492: Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 2499: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 2541: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.