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MEMORANDUM

November 14, 2022

To: Members of the Committee on Oversight and Reform

Fr: Committee Staff

Re: Committee Business Meeting

On Thursday, November 17, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. ET, in room 2154 of the Rayburn House Office Building and over Zoom, the Committee on Oversight and Reform will hold a hybrid business meeting to consider the following:

1. H.R. 1283, the CONTRACT Act of 2021;
2. H.R. 1307, the Vote by Mail Tracking Act;
3. H. Res. 1412, “Of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Treasury to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the projected inflationary impact of the implementation of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, the Build Back Better Act, and the Infrastructure and Jobs Act in conjunction with the Build Back Better Act.”; and
4. Several postal naming measures.

I. H.R. 1283, THE CONTRACT ACT OF 2021

A. Summary

On February 24, 2021, Representative Julia Brownley introduced H.R. 1283, the Continuity for Operators with Necessary Training Required for ATC Contract Towers (CONTRACT) Act of 2021, along with Representative Rodney Davis. The bill would amend title 5 to allow retired federal air traffic controllers who choose to work at contract towers through the Federal Contract Tower Program to continue collecting their full federal retirement annuity.

The Senate companion bill (S. 419) was introduced by Senators Inhofe, Murray, and Moran, and reported favorably by the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs on November 3, 2021.

B. Amendments

The Chairwoman will offer an amendment in the nature of a substitute (ANS).

Staff contact: Christina Parisi at (202) 225-5051.

II. H.R. 1307, THE VOTE BY MAIL TRACKING ACT

A. Summary

The Vote by Mail Tracking Act (H.R. 1307) would help the Postal Service more efficiently and effectively manage mail-in ballots in federal elections by requiring all mail-in ballots to include a Postal Service trackable barcode and other stylistic requirements to make ballots easier to sort and track.

B. Amendments

The Chairwoman will offer an ANS.

Staff contacts: Ethan VanNess at (202) 225-5051.

III. H. RES. 1412, OF INQUIRY DIRECTING THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY TO TRANSMIT CERTAIN DOCUMENTS TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES RELATING TO THE PROJECTED INFLATIONARY IMPACT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND JOBS ACT, THE BUILD BACK BETTER ACT, AND THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND JOBS ACT IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE BUILD BACK BETTER ACT.

A. Summary

On September 30, 2022, Representative Mike Carey introduced H. Res. 1412, a resolution of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Treasury to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the projected inflationary impact of implementing the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, the Build Back Better Act, and the Infrastructure and Jobs Act in conjunction with the Build Back Better Act.

B. Amendments

The Chairwoman will offer an ANS.

Staff contact: Ethan VanNess at (202) 225-5051.

V. POSTAL NAMING MEASURES

- H.R. 6630, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1400 N Kraemer Blvd. in Placentia, California, as the ‘PFC Jang Ho Kim Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 6631, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4770 Eureka Ave in Yorba Linda, California, as the ‘Cottle Centanni Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 6725, “To change the address of the Marilyn Monroe Post Office, and for other purposes.”
- H.R. 7082, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2200 North George Mason Drive in Arlington, Virginia, as the ‘Jesus Antonio Collazos Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 7638, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6000 South Florida Avenue in Lakeland, Florida, as the ‘U.S. Marine Corporal Ronald R. Payne Jr. Post Office.’”
- H.R. 7832, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 396 California Avenue in West Covina, California, as the ‘Esteban E. Torres Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 7873, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 400 Southern Avenue Southeast in Washington, District of Columbia, as the ‘District of Columbia Servicemembers and Veterans Post Office.’”
- H.R. 7988, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 79125 Corporate Centre Drive in La Quinta, California, as the ‘Corporal Hunter Lopez Memorial Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 8026, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 825 West 65th Street in Minneapolis, Minnesota, as the ‘Charles W. Lindberg Post Office.’”
- H.R. 8217, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 430 South Knowles Avenue in New Richmond, Wisconsin, as the ‘Captain Robert C. Harmon and Private John R. Peirson Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 8218, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 619 Hewett Street in Neillsville, Wisconsin, as the ‘Corporal Mitchell Red Cloud, Jr. Post Office.’”
- H.R. 8226, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at

236 Concord Exchange North in South Saint Paul, Minnesota, as the ‘Officer Leo Pavlak Post Office Building.’”

- H.R. 8248, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 609 Portsmouth Avenue in Greenland, New Hampshire, as the ‘Chief Michael Maloney Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 8370, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 415 High Street in Freeport, Pennsylvania, as the ‘Corporal Joseph Rodney Chapman Post Office.’”
- H.R. 8630, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 400 North Main Street in Belen, New Mexico, as the ‘U.S. Senator Dennis Chávez Post Office.’”
- H.R. 8944, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1 East Main Street in Mount Joy, Pennsylvania, as the ‘Harold Billow Post Office Building.’”
- H.R. 8959, “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at N4805 State Highway 32 in Krakow, Wisconsin, as the ‘Romuald “Bud” Brzezinski Post Office.’”

VI. AMENDMENT PROCESS

Committee Rule 2(g) authorizes the chair of the Committee to prioritize the consideration of amendments filed 24 hours in advance of the consideration of matters before the Committee or subcommittees. Pursuant to this rule, and at the chair’s discretion, the Committee may consider amendments that are pre-filed with the Committee clerk prior to amendments offered at a markup.

Members should pre-file amendments with the clerk of the Committee by emailing a searchable, electronic PDF copy of the amendment prepared by the House Legislative Counsel to Oversight_Clerks@mail.house.gov and to Christina Parisi at Christina.Parisi@mail.house.gov at least 24 hours before the scheduled start of the business meeting. Members should include in the email accompanying the amendment text:

1. The name(s) of the Member(s) who will offer the amendment;
2. The name and number of the measure to be amended;
3. A brief, one-sentence description of the amendment; and
4. The name and phone number of a staff member who will serve as the point of contact for the amendment.

Pre-filed amendments will be compiled into a single roster, and the roster will be made available to Committee members prior to business meetings. Any amendment to a measure or matter before the Committee or a subcommittee should be germane to the measure or matter, including in scope, subject matter, and Committee consideration. Votes on amendments likely will be grouped together at a time determined by the chair, pursuant to Committee Rules.