idexing of certain assets; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 534. A bill to encourage the continued exploration for and production of domestic energy resources, to remove certain Federal controls over domestic energy production and utilization, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. ARMEY (for himself, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. GUN-DERSON, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. TAUKE, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HENRY, Mr. VALEN-TINE, Mrs. SMITH of Nebraska, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. BLILEY. Mr. ARCHER, Mr. MACK, Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire, Mr. FRENZEL, Mrs. Bentley, Mr. Wolf, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. DELAY, Mr. BOUL-TER. Mr. PORTER, Mr. LUNGREN, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. Hyde, Mr. Edwards of Oklahoma, Mr. Barton of Texas, Mr. Lago-MARSINO, Mr. BLAZ, Mr. CRANE, Mr. WEBER, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. COATS):

H.R. 535. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to facilitate industrial homework, including sewing, knitting, and craftmaking; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ARMEY (for himself, Mr. AuCoin, Mr. Boulter, Mr. Bryant, Mr. DioGuardt, Mr. Dornan of California, Mr. Fawell, Mr. Gunderson, Mr. Henry, Mr. Mack, and Mr. Denny Smith:

H.R. 536. A bill to increase Government economy and efficiency and to reduce the deficit by implementing certain recommendations of the President's private sector survey on cost control regarding the improvement of executive agency mail management, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. BENNETT:

H.R. 537. A bill to improve efforts to monitor, assess and reduce the adverse impacts of driftnets; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. BIAGGI:

H.R. 538. A bill to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain interstate shipments of ammunition; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LOTT:

H.R. 539. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, and the Rules of the House of Representatives and Senate to ensure a more rational and cost-effective regulatory process; and increased agency and congressional review and control over regulations, including the approval of major regulations and disapproval of the other regulations by the enactment of joint resolutions; jointly, to the Committee on the Judiciary and Rules.

By Mrs. COLLINS:

H.R. 540. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage under part B of the Medicare Program for routine Papanicolaou tests and mammograms; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BIAGGI:

H.R. 541. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit against tax for employers who provide onsite dependent care assistance for dependents of their employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 542. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax to individuals for maintaining a household a member of which is a dependent of the taxpayer who has attained

age 65; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BIAGGI (for himself, Mr. Jeffords, Mr. Kildee, Mr. Williams, Mr. Hayes of Illinois, Mr. Perkins, Mr. Owens of New York, Mr. Martinez, Mr. Dymally, Mr. Boucher, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Akaka, Mr. Rahall, Mr. Savage, Mr. Traficant, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Eckart, and Mr. Chandler):

H.R. 543. A bill to establish a Federal program to strengthen and improve the capability of State and local educational agencies and private nonprofit schools to identify gifted and talented children and youth and to provide those children and youth with appropriate educational opportunities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. BOEHLERT (for himself, Mr. STALLINGS, Mr. MARTIN OF NEW YORK, Mrs. JOHNSON OF CONNECTICUL, Mr. MACK, Mrs. COLLINS, Mr. ECKART, Mr. HOPKINS, Mr. DICKS, Mr. WORTLEY, Mr. WEBER, Mr. SLATTERY, Mr. BERTLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. DIOGUARDI, Mr. TAUKE, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. SMITH OF FIORIDA, Mr. RINALDO, Mr. PENNY, Mr. ROE, Mr. DAUB, Mr. PORTER, Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Mr. MCKINNEY, Mr. MORRISON OF CONNECTION, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. BUSTAMANTE, and Mr. McGRATH):

H.R. 544. A bill to allow homeowners to deduct the full amount of prepaid interest paid in connection with the refinancing of their principal residence for the taxable year in which paid; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CARPER (for himself, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Dreier of California, Mr. Erdreich, Mr. Garcia, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Hiler, Mr. Kanjorski, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. Kolbe, Mr. Leach of Iowa, Mr. McCollum, Mr. Ridge, Mr. Roemer, Mrs. Roukema, Mr. Roth, Mr. Schumer, and Mr. Shumway):

H.R. 545. A bill to improve the quality of examinations of depository institutions, and for other purposes, to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mrs. COLLINS:

H.R. 546. A bill to amend the Education Consolidation and Improvement Act of 1981 to authorize programs of child abuse education and prevention and to establish demonstration projects of child abuse education and prevention; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

H.R. 547. A bill to make it an unfair practice for any retailer to increase the price of certain consumer commodities once he marks the price on any such consumer commodity, and to permit the Federal Trade Commission to order any such retailer to refund any amounts of money obtained by so increasing the price of such consumer commodity; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CONTE:

H.R. 548. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to provide that the duty to bargain collectively includes bargaining with respect to retirement benefits for retired employees; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

H.R. 549. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to authorize the Secretary of Labor to prohibit the awarding of Federal contracts to persons who have violated certain judicial orders or orders issued by the National Labor Relations Board; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. PANETTA (for himself, Mr. Roybal, Mr. Bevill, Mrs. Boxer, Mr. Frank, Mr. Mrazek, and Mr. Udall):

H.R. 550. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of adult day care under the Medicare Program; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CONTE:

H.R. 551. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that a monthly insurance benefit thereunder shall be paid for the month in which the recipient dies and that such benefit shall be payable for such month only to the extent proportionate to the number of days in such month preceding the date of the recipient's death; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COYNE:

H.R. 552. A bill to provide for the designation of, and provision of assistance to, economic growth zones for purposes of promoting economic growth within economically distressed communities; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

H.R. 553. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to permit the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to change a State's priority list of wastewater construction projects if the Administrator determines that Federal funds for such projects have not been equitably distributed within such State; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

H.R. 554. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to make grants to the city of Pittsburgh, PA, to pay the costs of constructing the uncompleted portion of the Saw Mill relief sewer; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. DYMALLY (for himself, Mr. HORTON, and Mrs. Schroeder):

H.R. 555. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to extend to certain employees in the excepted service the same procedural and appeal rights as are afforded to employees in the competitive service with respect to certain adverse personnel actions; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. ENGLISH:

H.R. 556. A bill to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow producers of wheat and feed grain the opportunity to enter into contracts for 3-year periods to lock in the target prices of \$4.38 per bushel of wheat, \$3.03 per bushel of corn, \$2.88 per bushel of grain sorghums, \$2.60 per bushel of barley, and \$1.60 per bushel of oats, and to allow producers to not plant 100 percent of their acreage base; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. FISH (for himself, Mr. Frank, Mr. Moorhead, Mr. Synar, Mr. Lungren, Mr. Hyde, and Mr. Dannemeyer):

H.R. 557. A bill to modify the application of the antitrust laws so as to encourage the licensing and other use of certain intellectual property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FOLEY (for himself, Mr. McKinney, Mr. Gray of Pennsylvania, Mr. Wylie, Mr. Coelho, Mr. Oakar, Mr. Bonior of Michigan, Mr. St Germain, Mr. Howard, Mr. Waxman, Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. Sunia, Mr. Leach of Iowa, Mr. Vento, Mr. Lowry of Washington, Mr. Ridge, Mr. Oberstar, Mr. Wyden, Mr. Miller of Washington, Mr. Frank, Mr. Leland, Mr. Stokes, Mrs. Burton of California, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Miller of California, Mrs. Boxer, Mr. Hawkins, Mr. Fazio, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Visclosky, Mr. Hayes of Illinois, Mr. Weiss, Mr. Morrison