

**Ross Nomination:** Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Eleanor Louise Ross, of Georgia, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia. **Pages S6014–15**

During consideration of this nomination today, Senate also took the following action:

By 66 yeas to 29 nays (Vote No. 279), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Page S6015**

**Bassett, Bernicat, Zumwalt, Allen, and Roebuck Nominations—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding rule XXII, following the vote on confirmation of the nomination of Eleanor Louise Ross, of Georgia, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, Senate begin consideration of the nominations of Leslie Ann Bassett, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Paraguay, Marcia Stephens Bloom Bernicat, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Bangladesh, James Peter Zumwalt, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, Craig B. Allen, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam, and William V. Roebuck, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Bahrain, that there be 2 minutes for debate equally divided between the two Leaders, or their designees, prior to each vote; that upon the use or yielding back of time, Senate vote, without intervening action or debate, on confirmation of the nominations in the order listed; that any roll call votes, following the first in the series, be 10 minutes in length; and that no further motions be in order to the nominations. **Page S6016**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Karen Clark Stanton, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste. **Pages S6015, S6026**

Theodore G. Osius III, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Vietnam. **Pages S6015, S6026**

Erica J. Barks Ruggles, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Rwanda. **Pages S6015, S6026**

Barbara A. Leaf, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates. **Pages S6015, S6026**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

2 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Army, and Navy. **Pages S6025–26**

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**Record Votes:** Four record votes were taken today. (Total—279) **Pages S6013–15**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Howard O. Greene, Jr., former Sergeant at Arms of the United States Senate, in accordance with S. Res. 579, at 7:28 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, November 18, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6025.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 6 public bills, H.R. 5721–5726; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 757, were introduced. **Pages H8032–33**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Page H8033**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows: