

Matthew Stuart Butler, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2015.

Ann Donnelly, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York.

Roseann A. Ketchmark, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Missouri.

Travis Randall McDonough, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Tennessee.

9 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

7 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Coast Guard nomination in the rank of admiral.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Foreign Service, and Navy.

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Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—366)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned sine die, pursuant to the provisions of H. Con. Res. 125, at 11:25 p.m., until 12 p.m. on Tuesday, January 6, 2015. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6930.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 5887–5888; were introduced. **Page H10325**

Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: A report was filed on December 15, 2014 as follows:

H.R. 2131, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to enhance American competitiveness through the encouragement of high-skilled immigration, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–676, Part 1).

Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 1772, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make mandatory and permanent requirements relating to use of an electronic employment eligibility verification system, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–677, Part 1) and

H.R. 2278, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to improve immigration law enforcement within the interior of the United States, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–678, Part 1).

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Neugebauer to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Br. Thomas More Garrett, Dominican House of Studies, Washington, DC. **Page H10319**

Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12 noon on Friday, December 19th, unless it sooner has received a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 125, in which case the House shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H10320.

Senate Referrals: S. 706 and S. 1744 were held at the desk.

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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 12 noon and at 12:08 p.m., the House stands adjourned until noon on Friday, December 19, 2014, unless it sooner has received a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 125, in which case the House shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2014

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Clean Air and Nuclear Safety, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Environmental Protection Agency's proposed National Ambient Air Quality Standards for ozone, 2:30 p.m., SD-406.

House

No hearings are scheduled.