

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3800–3803, and S. Res. 739–740. **Page S7989**

Measures Reported:

Report to accompany S. 3561, to support entrepreneurs serving in the National Guard and Reserve. (S. Rept. No. 115–448)

Report to accompany S. 1995, to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to improve the number of small business investment companies in underlicensed States. (S. Rept. No. 115–449)

Report to accompany S. 1961, to amend the Small Business Act to temporarily reauthorize certain pilot programs under the Small Business Innovation Research Program and the Small Business Technology Transfer Program. (S. Rept. No. 115–450)

Report to accompany S. 785, to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to provide for equitable allotment of land to Alaska Native veterans. (S. Rept. No. 115–451)

Report to accompany S. 526, to amend the Small Business Act to provide for expanded participation in the microloan program. (S. Rept. No. 115–452)

Report to accompany S. 3554, to extend the effective date for the sunset for collateral requirements for Small Business Administration disaster loans. (S. Rept. No. 115–453) **Page S7989**

Measures Passed:

Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act: Senate passed S. 512, to modernize the regulation of nuclear energy, after withdrawing the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S7957–62**

Sullivan (for Barrasso) Amendment No. 4175, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S7962**

Re-refining Used Lubricating Oil: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 1733, to direct the Secretary of Energy to review and update a report on the energy and environmental benefits of the re-

fining of used lubricating oil, and the bill was then passed. **Page S7962**

Orrin G. Hatch United States Courthouse: Senate passed S. 3800, to designate the United States courthouse located at 351 South West Temple in Salt Lake City, Utah, as the “Orrin G. Hatch United States Courthouse”. **Page S7962**

Space Frontier Act: Senate passed S. 3277, to reduce regulatory burdens and streamline processes related to commercial space activities, after withdrawing the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S7966–70**

Cruz Amendment No. 4176, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S7970**

Global Health Innovation Act: Senate passed H.R. 1660, to direct the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development to submit to Congress a report on the development and use of global health innovations in the programs, projects, and activities of the Agency. **Page S8002**

9/11 Memorial Act: Senate passed H.R. 6287, to provide competitive grants for the operation, security, and maintenance of certain memorials to victims of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Page S8002**

McConnell (for Booker) Amendment No. 4177, to modify the definition of the term “covered memorial”. **Page S8002**

National FFA Organization’s Federal Charter Amendments Act: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 2432, to amend the charter of the Future Farmers of America, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Page S8002**

McConnell (for Young) Amendment No. 4178, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S8002**

John Hervey Wheeler United States Courthouse: Committee on Environment and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 3460, to designate the United States courthouse located at

323 East Chapel Hill Street in Durham, North Carolina, as the “John Hervey Wheeler United States Courthouse”, and the bill was then passed.

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Congratulating the Maryland Terrapins Men’s Soccer Team: Senate agreed to S. Res. 739, congratulating the Maryland Terrapins men’s soccer team of the University of Maryland, College Park for winning the 2018 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I men’s soccer national championship.

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Community Health and Clean Transit Act—Referral: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that S. 3720, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to provide loans for the acquisition of electric buses and related infrastructure, be discharged from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Page S8002

Signing Authority—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the Majority Leader and Senator Young be authorized to sign duly enrolled bills or joint resolutions on

Thursday, December 20, 2018 and Friday, December 21, 2018.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m. and adjourned at 6:14 p.m., until 12 noon on Friday, December 21, 2018. (For Senate’s program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today’s Record on pages S8002–03.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

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Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 7356–7387; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 146–147; and H. Res. 1184, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors: Page H10512

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 2425, to support the establishment and improvement of communications sites on or adjacent to Federal lands under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior or the Secretary of Agriculture through the retention and use of rental fees associated with such sites, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–1086, Part 1);

H.R. 3535, to restore Federal recognition to the Ruffey Rancheria of California, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–1087);

H.R. 6510, to establish, fund, and provide for the use of amounts in a National Park Service and Public Lands Legacy Restoration Fund to address the maintenance backlog of the National Park Service, United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of Land Management, and Bureau of Indian Education,

and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–1088, Part 1);

H.R. 6255, to amend title 18, United States Code, to establish measures to combat invasive lionfish, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–1089, Part 1);

H. Res. 1183, providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 695) to amend the National Child Protection Act of 1993 to establish a voluntary national criminal history background check system and criminal history review program for certain individuals who, related to their employment, have access to children, the elderly, or individuals with disabilities, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–1090);

H.R. 502, to permanently reauthorize the Land and Water Conservation Fund, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–1091);

H.R. 6939, to protect and ensure multiple use and public access to public lands in Wyoming per the request of the respective counties, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–1092); and Committee on