

a recorded vote of 178 ayes to 236 noes, Roll No. 529);

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Waters amendment (No. 18 printed in part B of H. Rept. 112–616) that was debated on July 25th that sought to authorize appropriations (1) to enable the SEC and CFTC to carry out the additional cost/benefit analysis requirements under the bill; (2) for costs of litigation incurred by the Commissions related to the requirements under the bill (by a recorded vote of 171 ayes to 247 noes, Roll No. 530); and

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Maloney amendment (No. 21 printed in part B of H. Rept. 112–616) that was debated on July 25th that sought to mandate that Title VI cannot take effect until the Chair of the SEC certifies that in conducting the cost benefit analysis no resources will be diverted away from the SEC's mission to protect investors, maintain efficient markets and promote access to capital (by a recorded vote of 173 ayes to 243 noes, Roll No. 533).

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H. Res. 741, the rule providing for further consideration of the bill, was agreed to by voice vote.

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Agreed to the Foxx amendment to the rule by voice vote, after agreeing to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 235 yeas to 183 nays, Roll No. 519.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 2 p.m. on Monday, July 30th.

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H5302.

Senate Referral: S. 285 was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and 16 recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5307, H5308, H5308–09, H5309–10, H5310, H5310–11, H5311–12, H5312, H5312–13, H5313–14, H5314, H5314–15, H5315, H5316, H5316–17, H5317, H5319, H5319–20. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 1:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY— CHEMICAL FACILITY ANTI-TERRORISM STANDARDS (CFATS) PROGRAM

Committee on Appropriations: Full Committee held a hearing on the Department of Homeland Security—Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards (CFATS) Program. Testimony was heard from Steve Caldwell, Director, Homeland Security and Justice Issues,

Government Accountability Office; and Suzanne Spaulding, Deputy Under Secretary, National Protection and Programs Directorate, Department of Homeland Security.

CIVILIAN WORKFORCE REQUIREMENTS— NOW AND ACROSS THE FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing on Civilian Workforce Requirements—Now and Across the Future Years Defense Program. Testimony was heard from Frederick E. Vollrath, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Readiness and Force Management, Department of Defense; and Brenda Farrell, Director, Defense Capabilities and Management, Government Accountability Office.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy held a markup of S. 710, the “Hazardous Waste Electronic Manifest Establishment Act”. The bill was forwarded, as amended.

THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Capital Markets held a hearing entitled “The 10th Anniversary of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PREVENTING NUCLEAR TERRORISM

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Infrastructure Protection, and Security Technologies held a hearing entitled “Preventing Nuclear Terrorism: Does DHS Have an Effective and Efficient Nuclear Detection Strategy?”. Testimony was heard from Huban Gowadia, Acting Director, Domestic Nuclear Detection Office, Department of Homeland Security; David Maurer, Director, Homeland Security and Justice Issues, Government Accountability Office; and Vayl Oxford, National Security Executive Policy Advisor, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held a hearing on the U.S. Department of Justice Civil Rights Division. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Perez, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a markup of H.R. 6169, the “Pathway to Job Creation through

a Simpler, Fairer Tax Code Act of 2012". The bill was ordered reported, without amendment.

REVIEW OF DOE VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES PROGRAM MANAGEMENT AND ACTIVITIES: ASSURING APPROPRIATE AND EFFECTIVE USE OF TAXPAYER FUNDING

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy and Environment held a hearing entitled "Review of DOE Vehicle Technologies Program Management and Activities: Assuring Appropriate and Effective Use of Taxpayer Funding". Testimony was heard from Kathleen Hogan, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Energy Efficiency, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; and Rickey R. Hass, Deputy Inspector General for Audits and Inspections, Office of Inspector General, Department of Energy; and a public witness.

FOREIGN TRADE BARRIERS FACING SMALL AGRICULTURE EXPORTERS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Energy and Trade held a hearing entitled "Market Closed: Foreign Trade Barriers Facing Small Agriculture Exporters". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Full Committee held a markup of the following: H.R. 3158, the "Farmers Undertake Environmental Land Stewardship Act"; H.R. 5797, the "Mille Lacs Lake Freedom To Fish Act of 2012"; and approval of General Services Administration Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions. H.R. 5797 was ordered reported, as amended; and H.R. 3158 was ordered reported, without amendment. The Com-

mittee approved 13 of the General Services Administration Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on Ways and Means: Full Committee held a markup of H.R. 6156, "The Russia and Moldova Jackson-Vanik Repeal Act of 2012". The bill was ordered reported, without amendment.

ONGOING INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a hearing on ongoing intelligence activities. This was a closed hearing.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D751)

H.R. 4155, to direct the head of each Federal department and agency to treat relevant military training as sufficient to satisfy training or certification requirements for Federal licenses. Signed on July 23, 2012. (Public Law 112-147)

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY,
JULY 27, 2012**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.