

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

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## Senate

### Chamber Action

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**Measures Introduced:** Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2410–2413. **Page S3341**

#### Measures Reported:

S. 2410, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2015 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year. (S. Rept. No. 113–176)

S. 364, to establish the Rocky Mountain Front Conservation Management Area, to designate certain Federal land as wilderness, and to improve the management of noxious weeds in the Lewis and Clark National Forest. (S. Rept. No. 113–177)

S. 974, to provide for certain land conveyances in the State of Nevada, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 113–178)

S. 1300, to amend the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 to provide for the conduct of stewardship end result contracting projects, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 113–179)

S. 1301, to provide for the restoration of forest landscapes, protection of old growth forests, and management of national forests in the eastside forests of the State of Oregon, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 113–180)

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#### Measures Considered:

**Bipartisan Sportsmen’s Act:** Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 2363, to protect and enhance opportunities for recreational hunting, fishing, and shooting.

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**Harper Nomination—Agreement:** Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Keith M. Harper, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his

tenure of service as United States Representative to the UN Human Rights Council.

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

By 51 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 164), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination, post-cloture, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, June 3, 2014, with the time until noon equally divided and controlled in the usual form and that at noon, all post-cloture time be considered expired and Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination; that all time during morning business count post-cloture on the nomination; and that at the conclusion of the cloture vote on the nomination of Sharon Y. Bowen, of New York, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Senate recess until 2:15 p.m., on Tuesday, June 3, 2014, to allow for the weekly caucus meetings.

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

Julian Castro, of Texas, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Shaun L. S. Donovan, of New York, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

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**Messages from the House:** **Pages S3338–39**

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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today.  
(Total—164) Page S3331

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 7:24 p.m., until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 3, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks

of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3343.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 4 public bills, H.R. 4796-4799; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 611 were introduced. Page H5068

**Additional Cosponsors:** Pages H5068-69

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

H.R. 935, to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify Congressional intent regarding the regulation of the use of pesticides in or near navigable waters, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113-467, Pt. 1) and

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Thornberry to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H5067

**Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Loren Lasch, St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Washington, DC. Page H5067

**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 adjourned at 12:03 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D550)

H.R. 685, to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the American Fighter Aces, collectively, in recognition of their heroic military service and defense of our country's freedom throughout the history of aviation warfare. Signed on May 23, 2014. (Public Law 113-105)

H.R. 1209, to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the World War II members of the "Doolittle Tokyo Raiders", for outstanding heroism, valor, skill, and service to the United States in conducting the bombings of Tokyo. Signed on May 23, 2014. (Public Law 113-106)

H.R. 862, to authorize the conveyance of two small parcels of land within the boundaries of the Coconino National Forest containing private improvements that were developed based upon the reliance of the landowners in an erroneous survey conducted in May 1960. Signed on May 24, 2014. (Public Law 113-107)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, business meeting to mark up proposed legislation making appropriations for fiscal year 2015 for Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, 10:30 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, business meeting to mark up proposed legislation making appropriations for fiscal year 2015 for Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, 11 a.m., SD-192.