

Nancy Bikoff Pettit, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Latvia.

Carlos J. Torres, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps.

Russell C. Deyo, of New Jersey, to be Under Secretary for Management, Department of Homeland Security.

Sarah R. Saldana, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security.

Michael P. Botticelli, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy.

Daniel Henry Marti, of Virginia, to be Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator, Executive Office of the President.

Gilberto de Jesus, of Maryland, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration.

Jeanne E. Davidson, of Maryland, to be a Judge of the United States Court of International Trade.

Haywood Stirling Gilliam, Jr., of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

3 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

7 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Army, Coast Guard, and Navy.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Annette Taddeo-Goldstein, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September

20, 2018, which was sent to the Senate on February 27, 2014.

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Measures Placed on the Calendar:

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Measures Read the First Time: Pages S5371, S5380

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—259) Pages S5364, S5365, S5366

Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 7:27 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, September 9, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5380.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 5401–5416; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 123; and H. Res. 714, 716 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors: Pages H7296–98

Reports Filed:

Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 3670, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to expand and clarify the prohibition on provision of inaccurate caller identification information, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–572);

H.R. 4701, to provide for scientific frameworks with respect to vector-borne diseases, with amendments (H. Rept. 113–573);

H.R. 5057, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to permit exemptions for external

power supplies from certain efficiency standards, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–574);

H.R. 5161, to promote the non-exclusive use of electronic labeling for devices licensed by the Federal Communications Commission (H. Rept. 113–575);

Supplemental report on H.R. 5078, to preserve existing rights and responsibilities with respect to waters of the United States, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–568, Pt. 2);

H.R. 744, to provide effective criminal prosecutions for certain identity thefts, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–576);

H.J. Res. 120, to approve the location of a memorial to commemorate the more than 5,000 slaves and free Black persons who fought for independence in the American Revolution (H. Rept. 113–577);

H.R. 3109, to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to exempt certain Alaskan Native articles from

prohibitions against sale of items containing non-edible migratory bird parts, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–578);

H.R. 4751, to make technical corrections to Public Law 110–229 to reflect the renaming of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–579);

H.R. 3522, to authorize health insurance issuers to continue to offer for sale current group health insurance coverage in satisfaction of the minimum essential health insurance coverage requirement, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–580, Pt. 1); and

H. Res. 715, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5078) to preserve existing rights and responsibilities with respect to waters of the United States, and for other purposes, and providing for consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 644) condemning and disapproving of the Obama administration's failure to comply with the lawful statutory requirement to notify Congress before releasing individuals detained at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and expressing national security concerns over the release of five Taliban leaders and the repercussions of negotiating with terrorists (H. Rept. 113–581). **Page H7295**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Foxx to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H7247**

Member Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Cantor, wherein he resigned as Representative for the Seventh Congressional District of Virginia, effective 6 p.m. on August 18, 2014. **Page H7247**

Whole Number of the House: The Chair announced to the House that, in light of the resignation of the gentleman from Virginia, Mr. Cantor, the whole number of the House is 432. **Page H7248**

Supplemental Report: Agreed that the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure be authorized to file a supplemental report on H.R. 5078, Waters of the United States Regulatory Overreach Protection Act of 2014. **Page H7248**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Multinational Species Conservation Funds Semipostal Stamp Reauthorization Act: S. 231, to reauthorize the Multinational Species Conservation Funds Semipostal Stamp; **Page H7249**

Neil Havens Post Office Designation Act: H.R. 4939, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2551 Galena Avenue in Simi Valley, California, as the “Neil Havens Post Office”; **Pages H7249–50**

Veterans Memorial Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 2819, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 275 Front Street in Marietta, Ohio, as the “Veterans Memorial Post Office Building”; **Pages H7250–51**

Sergeant First Class Daniel M. Ferguson Post Office: H.R. 5089, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2000 Mulford Road in Mulberry, Florida, as the “Sergeant First Class Daniel M. Ferguson Post Office”, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeand-nay vote of 401 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 481; **Pages H7251–52, H7274–75**

Specialist Theodore Matthew Glende Post Office: H.R. 5019, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1335 Jefferson Road in Rochester, New York, as the “Specialist Theodore Matthew Glende Post Office”, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeand-nay vote of 399 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 482; **Pages H7253–54, H7275–76**

Corporal Juan Mariel Alcantara Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 4443, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 90 Vermilyea Avenue, in New York, New York, as the “Corporal Juan Mariel Alcantara Post Office Building”; **Pages H7254–55**

Cynthia Jenkins Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 3957, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 218–10 Merrick Boulevard in Springfield Gardens, New York, as the “Cynthia Jenkins Post Office Building”; **Pages H7255–56**

George Thomas “Mickey” Leland Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 78, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4110 Alameda Road in Houston, Texas, as the “George Thomas ‘Mickey’ Leland Post Office Building”; **Pages H7256–59**

Corporal Christian A. Guzman Rivera Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 5030, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 13500 SW 250 Street in Princeton, Florida, as the “Corporal Christian A. Guzman Rivera Post Office Building”; **Pages H7259–60**

American Super Computing Leadership Act: H.R. 2495, amended, to amend the Department of Energy High-End Computing Revitalization Act of 2004 to improve the high-end computing research and development program of the Department of Energy; **Pages H7260–62**

Tsunami Warning, Education, and Research Act of 2014: H.R. 5309, to authorize and strengthen the tsunami detection, forecast, warning, research,

and mitigation program of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; **Pages H7263–67**

Stopping Tax Offenders and Prosecuting Identity Theft Act: H.R. 744, amended, to provide effective criminal prosecutions for certain identity thefts; **Pages H7267–69**

Amending the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to exempt certain Alaskan Native articles from prohibitions against sale of items containing nonedible migratory bird parts: H.R. 3109, to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to exempt certain Alaskan Native articles from prohibitions against sale of items containing nonedible migratory bird parts; **Pages H7269–70**

Amending the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to maintain or replace certain facilities and structures for commercial recreation services at Smith Gulch in Idaho: H.R. 4283, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to maintain or replace certain facilities and structures for commercial recreation services at Smith Gulch in Idaho, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nay vote of 398 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 483; **Pages H7270–71, H7276**

Removing a use restriction on land formerly a part of Acadia National Park that was transferred to the town of Tremont, Maine: H.R. 4527, to remove a use restriction on land formerly a part of Acadia National Park that was transferred to the town of Tremont, Maine; **Pages H7271–72**

Approving the location of a memorial to commemorate the more than 5,000 slaves and free Black persons who fought for independence in the American Revolution: H.J. Res. 120, to approve the location of a memorial to commemorate the more than 5,000 slaves and free Black persons who fought for independence in the American Revolution; **Pages H7273–74**

Philmore Graham Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 5106, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 100 Admiral Callaghan Lane in Vallejo, California, as the “Philmore Graham Post Office Building”; **Page H7277**

Sergeant Shawn T. Hannon and Master Sergeant Jeffrey J. Rieck and Veterans Memorial Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 4189, amended, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4000 Leap Road in Hilliard, Ohio, as the “Sergeant Shawn T. Hannon and Master Sergeant Jeffrey J. Rieck and Veterans Memorial Post Office Building”; and **Pages H7277–78**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4000 Leap Road in Hilliard, Ohio, as the “Master Sergeant Shawn T. Hannon, Master Sergeant Jeffrey J. Rieck and Veterans Memorial Post Office Building’.” **Page H7278**

Specialist Keith Erin Grace Jr. Memorial Post Office Designation Act: H.R. 4651, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 601 West Baker Road in Baytown, Texas as the “Specialist Keith Erin Grace Jr. Memorial Post Office”. **Pages H7278–79**

Recess: The House recessed at 4:19 p.m. and reconvened at 5:30 p.m. **Page H7269**

Recess: The House recessed at 6:05 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H7274**

Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

Larcenia J. Bullard Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 2678, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10360 Southwest 186th Street in Miami, Florida, as the “Larcenia J. Bullard Post Office Building” and **Pages H7252–53**

Making technical corrections to Public Law 110–229 to reflect the renaming of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial: H.R. 4751, to make technical corrections to Public Law 110–229 to reflect the renaming of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial. **Pages H7272–73**

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H7247.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeas-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H7275, H7275–76, H7276. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES REGULATORY OVERREACH PROTECTION ACT OF 2014; RESOLUTION CONDEMNING AND DISAPPROVING OF THE OBAMA ADMINISTRATION'S FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE LAWFUL STATUTORY REQUIREMENT TO NOTIFY CONGRESS BEFORE RELEASING INDIVIDUALS DETAINED AT UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION, GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA, AND EXPRESSING NATIONAL SECURITY CONCERNS OVER THE RELEASE OF FIVE TALIBAN LEADERS AND THE REPERCUSSIONS OF NEGOTIATING WITH TERRORISTS

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 5078, the “Waters of the United States Regulatory Overreach Protection Act of 2014”; and H. Res. 644, condemning and disapproving of the Obama administration’s failure to comply with the lawful statutory requirement to notify Congress before releasing individuals detained at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and expressing national security concerns over the release of five Taliban leaders and the repercussions of negotiating with terrorists. The committee granted, by record vote of 7–3, a structured rule for H.R. 5078. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments printed in the report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Additionally, the rule grants a closed rule for H. Res. 644. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Armed Services. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the resolution. The rule provides that the amendments to the resolution and the preamble recommended by the Committee on Armed Services now printed in the resolution

shall be considered as adopted and the resolution, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from the following: Chairman Shuster, Chairman McKeon, and Representatives Smith of Washington, and Jackson Lee.

ONGOING INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “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. D911)

H.J. Res. 76, making an emergency supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, to provide funding to Israel for the Iron Dome defense system to counter short-range rocket threats. Signed on August 4, 2014. (Public Law 113–145)

H.R. 3230, to improve the access of veterans to medical services from the Department of Veterans Affairs. Signed on August 7, 2014. (Public Law 113–146)

H.R. 606, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 815 County Road 23 in Tyrone, New York, as the “Specialist Christopher Scott Post Office Building”. Signed on August 8, 2014. (Public Law 113–147)

H.R. 1671, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6937 Village Parkway in Dublin, California, as the “James ‘Jim’ Kohnen Post Office”. Signed on August 8, 2014. (Public Law 113–148)

H.R. 2291, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 450 Lexington Avenue in New York, New York, as the “Vincent R. Sombrotto Post Office”. Signed on August 8, 2014. (Public Law 113–149)

H.R. 3212, to ensure compliance with the 1980 Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction by countries with which the United States enjoys reciprocal obligations, to establish procedures for the prompt return of children abducted to other countries. Signed on August 8, 2014. (Public Law 113–150)

H.R. 3472, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 13127 Broadway Street in Alden, New York, as the “Sergeant Brett E. Gorniewicz Memorial Post Office”. Signed on August 8, 2014. (Public Law 113–151)