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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—283) Pages S7434–35, S7439

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 5:55 p.m., until 3 p.m. on Monday, October 26, 2015. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7477.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

GLOBAL CHALLENGES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded a hearing to examine global challenges, United States national security strategy, and defense organization, after receiving testimony from Eliot A. Cohen, and Thomas G. Mahnken, Advanced Strategy Program, both of Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, and Kathleen H. Hicks, Center for Strategic and International Studies International Security Program, all of Washington, D.C.; and Walter Russell Mead, The Hudson Institute, New York, New York.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded a hearing to examine Puerto Rico, focusing on the economy, debt, and options for Congress, after receiving testimony from Representative Pierluisi; Antonio Weiss, Counselor to the Secretary, Department of the Treasury; Puerto Rico Governor Alejandro J. Garcia Padilla, and Sergio M.

Marxuach, Center for a New Economy, both of San Juan; and Steven M. Fetter, Regulation UnFettered, Port Townsend, Washington.

PAY FLEXIBILITIES IN THE FEDERAL WORKFORCE

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs and Federal Management concluded a hearing to examine improving pay flexibilities in the Federal workforce, after receiving testimony from Brenda Roberts, Deputy Associate Director, Pay and Leave, Employee Services, Office of Personnel Management; Debra A. Warner, Director of Civilian Force Management, Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower, Personnel and Services, Department of the Air Force, Department of Defense; Linda Jacksta, Assistant Commissioner, Office of the Human Resources Management, Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security; and Anthony M. Reardon, National Treasury Employees Union, and William R. Dougan, National Federation of Federal Employees, both of Washington, D.C.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 2123, to reform sentencing laws and correctional institutions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 18 Public bills, H.R. 3797–3814; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 70; and H. Res. 486–488 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors: Pages H7138–39

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: H.R. 1090, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to provide protections for retail customers, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 114–304, Part 1); and

H.R. 2583, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for greater transparency and efficiency in the procedures followed by the Federal Communications Commission, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 114–305).

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

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Recess: The House recessed at 10:42 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon.

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