

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

See Final Résumé of Congressional Activity (including the History of Bills) for the Second Session of the 114th Congress.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S1703–S1751

Measures Introduced: Twenty-one bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 586–606, S.J. Res. 37, and S. Res. 85–86. **Pages S1742–43**

Measures Reported:

S. 419, to require adequate reporting on the Public Safety Officers' Benefits program. **Page S1742**

Measures Passed:

Elementary and Secondary Education Act Rule: By 50 yeas to 49 nays (Vote No. 84), Senate passed H.J. Res. 57, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Education relating to accountability and State plans under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

Pages S1704–14

Recognizing the Contributions of AmeriCorps: Senate agreed to S. Res. 86, recognizing the contributions of AmeriCorps members and alumni to the lives of the people of the United States.

Pages S1750–51

Appointments:

Western Hemisphere Drug Policy Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 114–323, appointed the following individual to serve as a member of the Western Hemisphere Drug Policy Commission: Ambassador Cliff Sobel of Florida.

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United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 99–93, as amended by Public Law 99–151, appointed the following individuals to serve as members of the United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control: Senators Grassley, Cornyn, Risch, and Perdue. **Page S1751**

Dwight D. Eisenhower Memorial Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to provisions of Public Law 106–79, ap-

pointed the following Senator to the Dwight D. Eisenhower Memorial Commission: Senator Cochran vice Senator Moran. **Page S1751**

Verma Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Seema Verma, of Indiana, to be Administrator of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services. **Pages S1714–38**

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

By 54 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 85), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Page S1719**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXII, following Leader remarks on Monday, March 13, 2017, Senate resume executive session for the consideration of the nomination, and that the vote on confirmation of the nomination occur at 5:30 p.m. **Page S1720**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Sonny Perdue, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Agriculture.

Jonathan H. Pittman, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

60 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.
5 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Messages from the House:

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Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

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Additional Statements:

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Authorities for Committees to Meet:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—85) **Pages S1714, S1720**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 5:46 p.m., until 2 p.m. on Monday, March 13, 2017. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S1751.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

U.S. CENTRAL COMMAND AND U.S. AFRICA COMMAND

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded a hearing to examine United States Central Command and United States Africa Command, after receiving testimony from General Joseph L. Votel, USA, Commander, United States Central Command, and General Thomas D. Waldhauser, USMC, Commander, United States Africa Command, both of the Department of Defense.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 327, to direct the Securities and Exchange Commission to provide a safe harbor related to certain investment fund research reports, with an amendment;

S. 444, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to expand the investor limitation for qualifying venture capital funds under an exemption from the definition of an investment company;

S. 462, to require the Securities and Exchange Commission to refund or credit certain excess payments made to the Commission;

S. 484, to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to terminate an exemption for companies located in Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and any other possession of the United States; and

S. 488, to increase the threshold for disclosures required by the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to compensatory benefit plans.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of David Friedman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Israel.

YEMEN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine resolving the conflict in Yemen, focusing on U.S. interests, risks, and policy, after receiving testimony from Thomas Joscelyn, Foundation for Defense of Democracies, Dafna H. Rand, National Defense University Near East South Asia Center for Strategic Studies, and Gerald M. Feierstein, Middle East Institute Center for Gulf Affairs, all of Washington, D.C.

USE OF SCIENCE IN THE RULEMAKING PROCESS

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs and Federal Management concluded a hearing to examine agency use of science in the rulemaking process, focusing on proposals for improving transparency and accountability, after receiving testimony from Susan E. Dudley, The George Washington University Trachtenberg School of Public Policy and Public Administration Regulatory Studies Center, and Nancy B. Beck, American Chemistry Council, both of Washington, D.C.; and Andrew A. Rosenberg, Union of Concerned Scientists Center for Science and Democracy, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 419, to require adequate reporting on the Public Safety Officers' Benefits program; and

The nominations of Danny C. Reeves, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the United States Sentencing Commission for a term expiring October 31, 2019, and Charles R. Breyer, of California, to be a Member of the United States Sentencing Commission for a term expiring October 31, 2021.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Daniel Coats, of Indiana, to be Director of National Intelligence.

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: 68 public bills, H.R.1422–1489; 1 private bill, H.R.1490; and 5 resolutions, and H. Res.184–188 were introduced. **Pages H2017–19**

Additional Cosponsors: **Page H2021**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 654, to direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to carry out a plan for the purchase and installation of an earthquake early warning system for the Cascadia Subduction Zone, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–30);

H.R. 1117, to require the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to submit a report regarding certain plans regarding assistance to applicants and grantees during the response to an emergency or disaster, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–31); and

H.R. 1214, to require the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to conduct a program to use simplified procedures to issue public assistance for certain projects under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–32).

Pages H2016–17

Recess: The House recessed at 11:10 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon. **Page H1958**

Recess: The House recessed at 1:06 p.m. and reconvened at 2:16 p.m. **Page H1967**

Fairness in Class Action Litigation Act of 2017: The House passed H.R. 985, to amend the procedures used in Federal court class actions and multi-district litigation proceedings to assure fairer, more efficient outcomes for claimants and defendants, by a recorded vote of 220 ayes to 201 noes with 1 answering “present”, Roll No. 148.

Pages H1962–68, H1974–H2000

Rejected the Kildee motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a recorded vote of 188 ayes to 234 noes, Roll No. 147. **Pages H1998–99**

Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115–5 shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. **Pages H1963, H1981**

Agreed to:

Goodlatte amendment (No. 1 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that strikes the prohibition on the use of the same class counsel if the named plaintiff is a present or former client, or has a contractual relationship with, the class counsel; carves out private securities litigation class actions from the conflict of

interest and stay of discovery sections, gives federal courts 90 days to review the sufficiency of the allegations verification submissions made in the section on multi-district litigation, and makes other technical, conforming, and clarifying changes. **Pages H1983–84**

Rejected:

Deutch amendment (No. 2 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to strike the provision on conflicts of interest (by a recorded vote of 182 ayes to 227 noes, Roll No. 140);

Pages H1984–85, H1993–94

Deutch amendment (No. 3 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to strike the fee determination based on equitable relief provision (by a recorded vote of 189 ayes to 228 noes, Roll No. 141);

Pages H1985–86, H1994

Soto amendment (No. 4 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to strike section 1721 to allow discovery to proceed while motions are pending (by a recorded vote of 192 ayes to 230 noes, Roll No. 142);

Pages H1986–87, H1994–95

Johnson (GA) amendment (No. 5 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to exempt civil actions alleging fraud (by a recorded vote of 190 ayes to 230 noes, Roll No. 143);

Pages H1987–88, H1995–96

Conyers amendment (No. 6 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to exempt civil rights actions from the bill’s class action provisions (by a recorded vote of 191 ayes to 230 noes, Roll No. 144);

Pages H1988–90, H1996

Jackson Lee amendment (No. 7 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to replace the substantive text of the bill with a requirement that the bankruptcy asbestos trust report quarterly an aggregate list of demands received and payments made (by a recorded vote of 193 ayes to 229 noes, Roll No. 145); and

Pages H1990–92, H1996–97

Espallat amendment (No. 8 printed in part B of H. Rept. 115–29) that sought to exempt a claimant who is or has been living in public housing or any dwelling unit for which rental assistance provided under section 8 (by a recorded vote of 193 ayes to 228 noes, Roll No. 146). **Pages H1992–93, H1997–98**

H. Res. 180, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 720) and (H.R. 985) was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 233 yeas to 184 nays, Roll No. 139, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 233 yeas to 186 nays, Roll No. 138.

Pages H1967–68

Innocent Party Protection Act: The House passed H.R. 725, to amend title 28, United States Code, to prevent fraudulent joinder, by a recorded vote of 224 ayes to 194 noes, Roll No. 152.

Pages H1968, H2003–04

Rejected the Kuster motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a recorded vote of 187 ayes to 233 noes, Roll No. 151. **Pages H2002–03**

Rejected:

Soto amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 115–27) that sought to create an exception for instances of public health risks, including byproducts of hydraulic fracturing, well stimulation, or any water contamination (by a recorded vote of 189 ayes to 233 noes, Roll No. 149); and

Pages H1972–73, H2000–01

Cartwright amendment (No. 2 printed in H. Rept. 115–27) that sought to create a separate exception for plaintiffs seeking compensation resulting from the bad faith of an insurer (by a recorded vote of 187 ayes to 229 noes, Roll No. 150).

Pages H1973–74, H2001–02

H. Res. 175, the rule providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 725) was agreed to yesterday, March 8th.

Migratory Bird Conservation Commission—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Member on the part of the House to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission: Representative Thompson (CA). **Page H2004**

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate and message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H1958–59, H1968.

Senate Referral: S. 496 was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. S.J. Res. 1 was held at the desk. **Page H2016**

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and thirteen recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1967, H1967–68, H1993–94, H1994, H1995, H1995–96, H1996, H1997, H1997–98, H1999, H1999–H2000, H2000–01, H2001–02 H2002–03, H2003. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

THE NEXT FARM BILL: RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENERGY PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit held a hearing entitled "The Next Farm Bill: Rural Development and Energy Programs". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

THE NEXT FARM BILL: SPECIALTY CROPS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research held a hearing entitled "The Next Farm Bill: Specialty Crops". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MEMBERS' DAY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies held a hearing entitled "Members' Day". Testimony was heard from Representatives Blumenauer, Cartwright, Costa, Danny K. Davis of Illinois, DesJarlais, Faso, Gene Green of Texas, Higgins of Louisiana, Kelly of Mississippi, Marshall, McGovern, Panetta, Pittenger, Plaskett, Posey, Rouzer, and Thompson of Pennsylvania.

MEMBERS' DAY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing entitled "Members' Day". Testimony was heard from Representatives Blumenauer, Bordallo, Bridenstine, Byrne, Clay, Cook, Fitzpatrick, Franks of Arizona, Gaetz, Hanabusa, Hunter, Langevin, Ted Lieu of California, Michelle Lujan Grisham of New Mexico, McSally, Meehan, Panetta, Radewagen, Stivers, Suozzi, Thompson of Pennsylvania, Williams, Joe Wilson of South Carolina, Cartwright, Davidson, Gallagher, Hartzler, Johnson of Louisiana, Kelly of Mississippi, Knight, McGovern, Tenney, Wagner, Webster of Florida, and Wenstrup.

MANAGEMENT CHALLENGES AT THE DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION AND THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION: VIEWS FROM THE INSPECTORS GENERAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held a hearing entitled "Management Challenges at the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education and the Social Security Administration: Views from the Inspectors General". Testimony was heard from Scott S. Dahl, Inspector General, Department of Labor; Daniel R. Levinson, Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; Gale Stallworth Stone, Acting Inspector General, Social Security Administration; and Kathleen Tighe, Inspector General, Department of Education.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND FOREIGN OPERATIONS PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs held an oversight hearing on Department of State and Foreign Operations Programs. Testimony was heard from Ann Calvaresi Barr, Inspector General, U.S. Agency for International Development; and Steve Linick, Inspector General, Department of State and Broadcasting Board of Governors.

MEMBERS' DAY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies held a hearing entitled "Members' Day". Testimony was heard from Representatives

Barragán, Bridenstine, Byrne, Cartwright, DeFazio, Espaillat, Gosar, Jackson Lee, Johnson of Louisiana, Lawson of Florida, Panetta, Plaskett, Radewagen, Sires, Suozzi, and Visclosky.

NUCLEAR DETERRENCE—THE DEFENSE SCIENCE BOARD'S PERSPECTIVE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces held a hearing entitled “Nuclear Deterrence—the Defense Science Board’s Perspective”. Testimony was heard from the following Members of the Defense Science Board: Michael Anastasio, Miriam John, and William LaPlante.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Full Committee concluded a markup on a committee print of Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal and Replace of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; and H. Res. 154, of inquiry requesting the President of the United States and directing the Secretary of Health and Human Services to transmit certain information to the House of Representatives relating to plans to repeal or replace the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the health-related measures of the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010. The committee print of Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal and Replace of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act was transmitted to the Committee on the Budget, as amended. H. Res. 154 was ordered reported, without amendment.

FLOOD INSURANCE REFORM: FEMA'S PERSPECTIVE

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Housing and Insurance held a hearing entitled “Flood Insurance Reform: FEMA’s Perspective”. Testimony was heard from Roy Wright, Deputy Associate Administrator, Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Financial Services: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 910, the “Fair Access to Investment Research Act of 2017”; H.R. 1219, the “Supporting America’s Innovators Act of 2017”; H.R. 1257, the “Securities and Exchange Commission Overpayment Credit Act”; H.R. 1366, the “U.S. Territories Investor Protection Act of 2017”; H.R. 1343, the “Encouraging Employee Ownership Act of 2017”; and H.R. 1312, the “Small Business Capital Formation Enhancement Act”. The following legislation was ordered reported, without amendment: H.R. 1219, H.R. 1366, and H.R. 1343. The following legislation was ordered reported, as amended: H.R. 910, H.R. 1257, H.R. 1312.

UNDERMINING DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS AND SPLINTERING NATO: RUSSIAN DISINFORMATION AIMS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Undermining Democratic Institutions and Splintering NATO: Russian Disinformation Aims”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEMOCRACY UNDER THREAT IN ETHIOPIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations held a hearing entitled “Democracy Under Threat in Ethiopia”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

THE CURRENT STATE OF DHS PRIVATE SECTOR ENGAGEMENT FOR CYBERSECURITY

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Protection held a hearing entitled “The Current State of DHS Private Sector Engagement for Cybersecurity”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMPROVING AND EXPANDING INFRASTRUCTURE IN TRIBAL AND INSULAR COMMUNITIES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Indian, Insular, and Alaska Native Affairs held a hearing entitled “Improving and Expanding Infrastructure in Tribal and Insular Communities”. Testimony was heard from Nikolao Pula, Acting Assistant Secretary, Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

REVIEWING ATF'S FAILURES IN THE DEATH OF ICE AGENT JAIME ZAPATA

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Reviewing ATF’s Failures in the Death of ICE Agent Jaime Zapata”. Testimony was heard from Michael E. Horowitz, Inspector General, Department of Justice; and Thomas E. Brandon, Acting Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 1430, the “Honest and Open New EPA Science Treatment Act of 2017”; and H.R. 1431, the “EPA Science Advisory Board Reform Act of 2017”. H.R. 1430 and H.R. 1431 were ordered reported, without amendment.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION PART I: OVERVIEW AND OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Research and Technology held a hearing entitled “National Science Foundation Part I: Overview and Oversight”. Testimony was heard from

France Córdova, Director, National Science Foundation; and Allison Lerner, Inspector General, National Science Foundation.

AN OVERVIEW OF SBA'S 7(A) LOAN PROGRAM

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Investigations, Oversight, and Regulations held a hearing entitled "An Overview of SBA's 7(a) Loan Program". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUILDING A 21ST CENTURY INFRASTRUCTURE FOR AMERICA: THE ROLE OF FEDERAL AGENCIES IN WATER INFRASTRUCTURE

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment held a hearing entitled "Building a 21st Century Infrastructure for America: The Role of Federal Agencies in Water Infrastructure". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Ways and Means: Full Committee concluded a markup on Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Remuneration from Certain Insurers; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Tanning Tax; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Certain Consumer Taxes; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Net Investment Income Tax; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal and Replace of Health-Related Tax Policy. The Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Remuneration from Certain Insurers; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Tanning Tax; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Certain Consumer Taxes; Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal of Net Investment Income Tax; and Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Repeal and Replace of Health-Related Tax Policy were successfully transmitted to the Committee on the Budget, as amended.

Joint Meetings

VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS LEGISLATIVE PRESENTATIONS

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs concluded a joint hearing with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentation of multiple veterans service organizations, after receiving testimony from Al Kovach, Jr., Paralyzed Veterans of America, Coronado, California; Rear Admiral Garry E. Hall, USN (Ret.), Association of the United States Navy, and Harold Chapman, AMVETS, both of Washington, D.C.; John Rowan, Vietnam Veterans of America, Middle Village, New York; Vincent W. Patton III, Non Commissioned Officers Association of the United States of America, Alexandria, Virginia; Misty J. Brammer, Gold Star Wives of America, Inc., Aurora, Colorado; Randy Reeves, National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs, Pearl, Mississippi; Lieutenant General Michael S. Linnington, (Ret.), Wounded Warrior Project, Jacksonville, Florida; and Major General Gus Hargett, USA (Ret.), National Guard Association of the United States, Arlington, Virginia.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2017

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Tactical Air and Land Forces, hearing entitled "The Effect of Sequestration and Continuing Resolutions on Marine Corps Modernization and Readiness", 9 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 1293, to amend title 5, United States Code, to require that the Office of Personnel Management submit an annual report to Congress relating to the use of official time by Federal employees; H.R. 1364, the "Official Time Reform Act of 2017"; H.R. 653, the "Federal Intern Protection Act of 2017"; H.R. 680, the "Eliminating Pornography from Agencies Act"; H. Res. 38, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that offices attached to the seat of Government should not be required to exercise their offices in the District of Columbia; the "SOAR Reauthorization Act"; H.R. 745, the "Federal Records Modernization Act of 2017"; and the "Electronic Message Preservation Act of 2017" (continued), 9 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 4, 2016 through January 3, 2017

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	165	131	..
Time in session	780 hrs., 58'	633 hrs., 15'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	7,184	7,641	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	1,743	..
Public bills enacted into law	73	141	214
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference	2	2	..
Measures passed, total	485	659	1,144
Senate bills	97	75	..
House bills	141	450	..
Senate joint resolutions	1	1	..
House joint resolutions	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	13	7	..
House concurrent resolutions	17	27	..
Simple resolutions	215	98	..
Measures reported, total	*329	*495	824
Senate bills	242	10	..
House bills	49	413	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	6	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	5	..
Simple resolutions	31	65	..
Special reports	12	27	..
Conference reports	3	3	..
Measures pending on calendar	462	144	..
Measures introduced, total	1,466	2,714	4,180
Bills	1,121	2,224	..
Joint resolutions	13	29	..
Concurrent resolutions	32	78	..
Simple resolutions	300	383	..
Quorum calls .....	..	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes	163	275	..
Recorded votes .....	..	346	..
Bills vetoed	2	3	..
Vetoes overridden	1	1	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 4, 2016 through January 3, 2017

Civilian nominations, totaling 354 (including 181 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		91
Withdrawn		12
Returned to White House		251
Other Civilian nominations, totaling 2,412 (including 97 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		2,367
Withdrawn		1
Returned to White House		44
Air Force nominations, totaling 7,568 (including 181 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		7,495
Returned to White House		73
Army nominations, totaling 5,899 (including 1,740 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		5,878
Returned to White House		21
Navy nominations, totaling 4,408 (including 5 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		4,401
Withdrawn		2
Returned to White House		5
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,246 (including 3 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:		
Confirmed		1,245
Returned to White House		1

Summary

Total nominations carried over from the First Session	2,207
Total nominations received this Session	19,680
Total confirmed	21,477
Total unconfirmed	0
Total withdrawn	15
Total returned to the White House	395

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 232 written reports have been filed in the Senate, 525 reports have been filed in the House.

**Totals include Roll Call 44, which was vacated by unanimous consent on January 13, 2016.

HISTORY OF BILLS ENACTED INTO PUBLIC LAW

(114th Cong., 2D Sess.)

BILLS ENACTED INTO PUBLIC LAW (114TH, 2D SESSION)

Law No.	Law No.	Law No.	Law No.	Law No.	Law No.
S. 8	S. 2152	H.R. 907	H.R. 3953	H.R. 5309	
S. 32	S. 2234	H.R. 960	H.R. 3969	H.R. 5325	
S. 125	S. 2276	H.R. 1132	H.R. 4010	H.R. 5356	
S. 142	S. 2328	H.R. 1150	H.R. 4046	H.R. 5392	
S. 184	S. 2393	H.R. 1428	H.R. 4056	H.R. 5509	
S. 192	S. 2426	H.R. 1475	H.R. 4188	H.R. 5578	
S. 238	S. 2487	H.R. 1493	H.R. 4238	H.R. 5588	
S. 246	S. 2512	H.R. 1670	H.R. 4336	H.R. 5591	
S. 337	S. 2577	H.R. 1755	H.R. 4352	H.R. 5612	
S. 483	S. 2683	H.R. 1762	H.R. 4372	H.R. 5676	
S. 524	S. 2754	H.R. 1831	H.R. 4419	H.R. 5687	
S. 546	S. 2755	H.R. 2028	H.R. 4425	H.R. 5722	
S. 612	S. 2840	H.R. 2137	H.R. 4437	H.R. 5785	
S. 719	S. 2845	H.R. 2212	H.R. 4465	H.R. 5790	
S. 764	S. 2854	H.R. 2458	H.R. 4511	H.R. 5798	
S. 795	S. 2873	H.R. 2494	H.R. 4605	H.R. 5873	
S. 817	S. 2893	H.R. 2576	H.R. 4618	H.R. 5877	
S. 818	S. 2943	H.R. 2607	H.R. 4665	H.R. 5883	
S. 1004	S. 2971	H.R. 2615	H.R. 4680	H.R. 5889	
S. 1115	S. 2974	H.R. 2722	H.R. 4721	H.R. 5936	
S. 1172	S. 3028	H.R. 2726	H.R. 4747	H.R. 5937	
S. 1180	S. 3055	H.R. 2733	H.R. 4761	H.R. 5944	
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H.R. 3762, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 2002 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2016. Vetoed Jan. 8, 2016.

S.J. Res. 22, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the definition of “waters of the United States” under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. Vetoed Jan. 20, 2016.

H.J. Res. 88, disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to the definition of the term “Fiduciary”. Vetoed June 8, 2016.

H.R. 1777, to amend the Act of August 25, 1958, commonly known as the “Former Presidents Act of 1958”, with respect to the monetary allowance payable to a former President, and for other purposes. Vetoed July 22, 2016.

S. 2040, to deter terrorism, provide justice for victims, and for other purposes. Vetoed Sept. 23, 2016. Veto Overridden and became Public Law 114-222, Sept. 28, 2016.

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			House	Senate	House	Senate	House 114—	Senate 114—	House	Senate	Date approved	No. 114—
To require special packaging for liquid nicotine containers, and for other purposes. To close out expired grants.	S. 142 S. 1115 S. 1629	Jan. 8, 2015 Apr. 28, 2015 June 18, 2015		CST HS&GA HS&GA		Apr. 13, 2015 Nov. 30, 2015 Aug. 3, 2015		12 169 110	Jan. 11, 2016 Jan. 11, 2016 Jan. 11, 2016	Dec. 10, 2015 Dec. 18, 2015 Sept. 10, 2015	Jan. 28, 2016 Jan. 28, 2016 Jan. 28, 2016	116 117 118
To protect children and others from sexual abuse and exploitation, including sex trafficking and sex tourism, by providing advance notice of intended travel by registered sex offenders outside the United States to the government of the country of destination, requesting foreign governments to notify the United States when a known sex offender is seeking to enter the United States, and for other purposes.	H.R. 515	Jan. 22, 2015	FA Jud	FR	Nov. 17, 2015		0	Jan. 26, 2015	Dec. 17, 2015	Feb. 8, 2016		119
To authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal years 2016 and 2017, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4188	Dec. 8, 2015	TI					Dec. 10, 2015	Dec. 18, 2015	Feb. 8, 2016		120
To establish a comprehensive United States Government policy to encourage the efforts of countries in sub-Saharan Africa to develop an appropriate mix of power solutions, including renewable energy, for more broadly distributed electricity access in order to support poverty reduction, promote development outcomes, and drive economic growth, and for other purposes.	S. 2152	Oct. 7, 2015	FA	FR	Nov. 5, 2015		176	Feb. 1, 2016	Dec. 18, 2015	Feb. 8, 2016		121
To improve the enforcement of sanctions against the Government of North Korea, and for other purposes.	H.R. 757	Feb. 5, 2015	FA WM Jud FS	FR	Jan. 11, 2016		392	Jan. 12, 2016	Feb. 10, 2016	Feb. 18, 2016		122
To improve defense cooperation between the United States and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.	H.R. 907	Feb. 12, 2015	OGR FA	FR				July 7, 2015	Feb. 3, 2016	Feb. 18, 2016		123
To require the President's annual budget request to Congress each year to include a line item for the Research in Disabilities Education program of the National Science Foundation and to require the National Science Foundation to conduct research on dyslexia.	H.R. 3033	July 13, 2015	SST	HEL&P				Oct. 26, 2015	Feb. 3, 2016	Feb. 18, 2016		124
To reauthorize trade facilitation and trade enforcement functions and activities, and for other purposes.	H.R. 644	Feb. 2, 2015	WM		Feb. 9, 2015		18	Feb. 12, 2015	May 14, 2015	Feb. 24, 2016		125
To extend Privacy Act remedies to citizens of certified states, and for other purposes.	H.R. 1428	Mar. 18, 2015	Jud OGR	Jud	Oct. 20, 2015		294	Oct. 20, 2015	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 24, 2016		126
To allow the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma to lease or transfer certain lands.	H.R. 487	Jan. 22, 2015	NR	IA	Sept. 8, 2015		205	Sept. 16, 2015	Feb. 11, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016		127
To revise the boundaries of certain John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System units in Florida.	H.R. 890	Feb. 11, 2015	NR	EPW	Feb. 9, 2016		417	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016		128

To provide for the conveyance of land of the Illinois Health Care System of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Danville, Illinois.	H.R.	3262	July 28, 2015	VA	VA	.....	.....	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016	129
To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to convey to the Florida Department of Veterans Affairs all right, title, and interest of the United States to the property known as "The Community Living Center" at the Lake Baldwin Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic, Orlando, Florida.	H.R.	4056	Nov. 18, 2015	VA	VA	.....	.....	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016	130
To extend the deadline for the submittal of the final report required by the Commission on Care.	H.R.	4437	Feb. 2, 2016	VA	VA	.....	.....	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016	131
To direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to develop an integrated plan to reduce administrative costs under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, and for other purposes.	S.	2109	Sept. 30, 2015	HS&GA	TI	.....	.....	Feb. 23, 2016	Feb. 9, 2016	Feb. 29, 2016	132
To amend title 18, United States Code, to authorize the Director of the Bureau of Prisons to issue oleoresin capsicum spray to officers and employees of the Bureau of Prisons.	S.	238	Jan. 22, 2015	Jud	Jud	.....	.....	Feb. 24, 2016	Dec. 16, 2015	Mar. 9, 2016	133
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2082 Stringtown Road in Grove City, Ohio, as the "Specialist Joseph W. Riley Post Office Building."	S.	1596	June 17, 2015	HS&GA	OGR	.....	.....	Mar. 1, 2016	Aug. 5, 2015	Mar. 9, 2016	134
To amend title 36, United States Code, to make certain improvements in the congressional charter of the Disabled American Veterans.	H.R.	1755	Apr. 13, 2015	Jud	Jud	350	.....	Nov. 30, 2015	Mar. 8, 2016	Mar. 18, 2016	135
To improve the process of presidential transition.	S.	1172	Apr. 30, 2015	HS&GA	OGR	384	.....	Feb. 29, 2016	July 30, 2015	Mar. 18, 2016	136
To allow additional appointing authorities to select individuals from competitive service certificates.	S.	1580	June 16, 2015	HS&GA	OGR	367	.....	Feb. 29, 2016	Sept. 17, 2015	Mar. 18, 2016	137
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 99 West 2nd Street in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, as the Lieutenant Colonel James "Maggie" Megellas Post Office.	S.	1826	July 22, 2015	HS&GA	OGR	.....	.....	Mar. 3, 2016	Aug. 5, 2015	Mar. 18, 2016	138
To direct the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to obtain observer status for Taiwan in the International Criminal Police Organization, and for other purposes.	S.	2426	Dec. 18, 2015	FR	FR	.....	.....	Mar. 14, 2016	Mar. 8, 2016	Mar. 18, 2016	139
To establish the Commission on Evidence-Based Policymaking, and for other purposes.	H.R.	1831	Apr. 16, 2015	OGR	OGR	211	.....	July 27, 2015	Mar. 16, 2016	Mar. 30, 2016	140
To amend title 49, United States Code, to extend authorizations for the airport improvement program, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the funding and expenditure authority of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, and for other purposes.	H.R.	4721	Mar. 10, 2016	TI	WM	.....	.....	Mar. 14, 2016	Mar. 17, 2016	Mar. 30, 2016	141
To extend temporarily the extended period of protection for members of uniformed services relating to mortgages, mortgage foreclosure, and eviction, and for other purposes.	S.	2393	Dec. 10, 2015	Mar. 21, 2016	Dec. 10, 2015	Mar. 31, 2016	142

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To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to modernize the integrated public alert and warning system of the United States, and for other purposes.	S. 1180	May 4, 2015		HS&GA		June 25, 2015		73	Mar. 21, 2016	July 9, 2015	Apr. 11, 2016	143
To reauthorize the Older Americans Act of 1965, and for other purposes.	S. 192	Jan. 20, 2015	E&W	HEL&P	Feb. 3, 2015		0		Mar. 21, 2016	July 16, 2015	Apr. 19, 2016	144
To improve enforcement efforts related to prescription drug diversion and abuse, and for other purposes.	S. 483	Feb. 12, 2015		Jud	Feb. 11, 2016		0		Apr. 12, 2016	Mar. 17, 2016	Apr. 19, 2016	145
To expand the tropical disease product priority review voucher program to encourage treatments for Zika virus.	S. 2512	Feb. 8, 2016	EC	HEL&P	Mar. 15, 2016		0		Apr. 12, 2016	Mar. 17, 2016	Apr. 19, 2016	146
To direct the Architect of the Capitol to place in the United States Capitol a chair honoring American Prisoners of War/Missing in Action.	H.R. 1670	Mar. 26, 2015	HA		Feb. 1, 2016		410		Mar. 21, 2016	Apr. 14, 2016	Apr. 29, 2016	147
To require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in recognition of the fight against breast cancer.	H.R. 2722	June 10, 2015	FS Bud	BHUA					July 15, 2015	Apr. 19, 2016	Apr. 29, 2016	148
To rename the Armed Forces Reserve Center in Great Falls, Montana, the Captain John E. Moran and Captain William Wylie Galt Armed Forces Reserve Center.	S. 719	Mar. 11, 2015	AS	AS					Apr. 18, 2016	Mar. 16, 2016	Apr. 29, 2016	149
To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to submit to Congress information on the Department of Homeland Security headquarters consolidation project in the National Capital Region, and for other purposes.	S. 1638	June 18, 2015		HS&GA	Mar. 14, 2016		227		Apr. 18, 2016	Apr. 6, 2016	Apr. 29, 2016	150
To protect and preserve international cultural property at risk due to political instability, armed conflict, or natural or other disasters, and for other purposes.	H.R. 1493	Mar. 19, 2015	FA WM AS Jud	FR	Feb. 2, 2016		0		June 1, 2015	Apr. 13, 2016	May 9, 2016	151
To adopt the bison as the national mammal of the United States.	H.R. 2908	June 25, 2015	OGR				483		Apr. 26, 2016	Apr. 28, 2016	May 9, 2016	152
To amend chapter 90 of title 18, United States Code, to provide Federal jurisdiction for the theft of trade secrets, and for other purposes.	S. 1890	July 29, 2015	Jud	Jud	Jan. 28, 2016		220		Apr. 27, 2016	Apr. 4, 2016	May 11, 2016	153
To provide the Department of Justice with additional tools to target extraterritorial drug trafficking activity, and for other purposes.	S. 32	Jan. 6, 2015	Jud EC	Fin Jud	Sept. 17, 2015		0		May 10, 2016	Oct. 7, 2015	May 16, 2016	154
To amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the authorization of the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program through fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.	S. 125	Jan. 8, 2015	Jud	Jud	Mar. 26, 2015		544		May 10, 2016	May 6, 2015	May 16, 2016	155
To provide Capitol-flown flags to the immediate family of firefighters, law enforcement officers, members of rescue squads or ambulance crews, and public safety officers who are killed in the line of duty.	S. 2755	Apr. 6, 2016		RAAdm					May 10, 2016	Apr. 19, 2016	May 16, 2016	156

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To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5919 Chef Menteur Highway in New Orleans, Louisiana, as the "Daryle Holloway Post Office Building".	H.R. 3082	July 15, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Mar. 1, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	171	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4567 Rockbridge Road in Pine Lake, Georgia, as the "Francis Manuel Ortega Post Office".	H.R. 3274	July 29, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Mar. 1, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	172	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7715 Post Road, North Kingstown, Rhode Island, as the "Melvoid J. Benson Post Office Building".	H.R. 3601	Sept. 24, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Mar. 1, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	173	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 200 Town Run Lane in Winston Salem, North Carolina, as the "Maya Angelou Memorial Post Office".	H.R. 3735	Oct. 9, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Mar. 1, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	174	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1265 Hurffville Road in Deptford Township, New Jersey, as the "First Lieutenant Salvatore S. Corma II Post Office Building".	H.R. 3866	Oct. 29, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Apr. 18, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	175	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 220 East Oak Street, Glenwood City, Wisconsin, as the Second Lt. Ellen Ainsworth Memorial Post Office.	H.R. 4046	Nov. 17, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Mar. 1, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	176	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 615 6th Avenue SE in Cedar Rapids, Iowa as the "Sgt. 1st Class Terryl L. Pasker Post Office Building".	H.R. 4605	Feb. 24, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	May 25, 2016		0	Apr. 18, 2016	May 26, 2016	June 13, 2016	177	
To provide for Indian trust asset management reform, and for other purposes.	H.R. 812	Feb. 9, 2015	NR		Feb. 24, 2016		432	Feb. 24, 2016	June 10, 2016	June 22, 2016	178	
To name the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in The Dalles, Oregon, as the "Loren R. Kaufman VA Clinic".	H.R. 1762	Apr. 13, 2015	VA	VA				May 23, 2016	June 10, 2016	June 22, 2016	179	
To ensure Federal law enforcement officers remain able to ensure their own safety, and the safety of their families, during a covered furlough.	H.R. 2137	Apr. 30, 2015	Jud		May 10, 2016		543	May 10, 2016	June 10, 2016	June 22, 2016	180	
To take certain Federal lands located in Lassen County, California, into trust for the benefit of the Susanville Indian Rancheria, and for other purposes.	H.R. 2212	May 1, 2015	NR	IA	Oct. 27, 2015		314	Nov. 30, 2015	June 10, 2016	June 22, 2016	181	
To modernize the Toxic Substances Control Act, and for other purposes.	H.R. 2576	May 26, 2015	EC		June 23, 2015		176	June 23, 2015	Dec. 17, 2015	June 22, 2016	182	
To amend title 49, United States Code, to provide enhanced safety in pipeline transportation, and for other purposes.	S. 2276	Nov. 10, 2015		CST	Feb. 24, 2016		209	June 8, 2016	Mar. 3, 2016	June 22, 2016	183	
To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permit the disclosure of certain tax return information for the purpose of missing or exploited children investigations.	H.R. 3209	July 23, 2015	WM	Fin	May 10, 2016		542	May 10, 2016	June 16, 2016	June 30, 2016	184	
To improve the Freedom of Information Act.	S. 337	Feb. 2, 2015		Jud	Feb. 9, 2015		4	June 13, 2016	Mar. 15, 2016	June 30, 2016	185	

To improve Federal agency financial and administrative controls and procedures to assess and mitigate fraud risks, and to improve Federal agencies' development and use of data analytics for the purpose of identifying, preventing, and responding to fraud, including improper payments.	S.	2133	Oct. 5, 2015		HS&GA	.....	Mar. 15, 2016	.....	229	June 21, 2016	Apr. 12, 2016	June 30, 2016	186
To reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes.	S.	2328	Nov. 19, 2015	NR		.....	.....	.....	.....	June 9, 2016	Nov. 19, 2015	June 30, 2016	187
To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to identify mental health care and suicide prevention programs and metrics that are effective in treating women veterans as part of the evaluation of such programs by the Secretary, and for other purposes.	S.	2487	Feb. 3, 2016		VA	.....	.....	.....	.....	June 21, 2016	June 7, 2016	June 30, 2016	188
To provide funds to the Army Corps of Engineers to hire veterans and members of the Armed Forces to assist the Corps with curatorial and historic preservation activities, and for other purposes.	H.R.	3114	July 20, 2015	TI	EPW	Sept. 8, 2015	May 18, 2016	249	0	Nov. 17, 2015	June 23, 2016	July 6, 2016	189
To amend title 49, United States Code, to extend authorizations for the airport improvement program, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the funding and expenditure authority of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, and for other purposes.	H.R.	636	Feb. 2, 2015	WM Bud		Feb. 9, 2015	.....	21	.....	Feb. 13, 2015	Apr. 19, 2016	July 15, 2016	190
To direct the President to establish guidelines for covered United States foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes.	H.R.	3766	Oct. 20, 2015	FA		.....	.....	.....	.....	Dec. 8, 2015	June 28, 2016	July 15, 2016	191
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 15 Rochester Street, Bergen, New York, as the Barry G. Miller Post Office.	H.R.	4372	Jan. 12, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	.....	.....	June 21, 2016	July 7, 2016	July 15, 2016	192
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 525 N Broadway in Aurora, Illinois, as the "Kenneth M. Christy Post Office Building".	H.R.	4960	Apr. 15, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	.....	.....	June 21, 2016	July 7, 2016	July 15, 2016	193
To extend the termination of sanctions with respect to Venezuela under the Venezuela Defense of Human Rights and Civil Society Act of 2014.	S.	2845	Apr. 25, 2016	FA Jud	FR	Apr. 28, 2016	.....	.....	0	July 6, 2016	Apr. 28, 2016	July 15, 2016	194
To authorize a comprehensive strategic approach for United States foreign assistance to developing countries to reduce global poverty and hunger, achieve food and nutrition security, promote inclusive, sustainable, agricultural-led economic growth, improve nutritional outcomes, especially for women and children, build resilience among vulnerable populations, and for other purposes.	S.	1252	May 7, 2015	FA	FR	Mar. 15, 2016	.....	.....	0	July 6, 2016	Apr. 20, 2016	July 20, 2016	195
To establish the United States Semiquincentennial Commission, and for other purposes.	H.R.	4875	Mar. 23, 2016	OGR		.....	.....	.....	.....	July 5, 2016	July 12, 2016	July 22, 2016	196
To increase, effective as of December 1, 2016, the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans, and for other purposes.	H.R.	5588	June 28, 2016	VA		July 11, 2016	July 13, 2016	July 22, 2016	197

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To authorize the Attorney General and Secretary of Health and Human Services to award grants to address the prescription opioid abuse and heroin use crisis, and for other purposes.	S. 524	Feb. 12, 2015		Jud	Feb. 22, 2016	0	May 13, 2016	Mar. 10, 2016	July 22, 2016	198
To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize COPS grantees to use grant funds for active shooter training, and for other purposes.	S. 2840	Apr. 21, 2016	Jud	Jud	.....	May 12, 2016	.....	0	July 12, 2016	May 18, 2016	July 22, 2016	199
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7802 37th Avenue in Jackson Heights, New York, as the "Jeanne and Jules Manfred Post Office Building".	H.R. 2607	June 2, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		June 21, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	200
To provide housing opportunities in the United States through modernization of various housing programs, and for other purposes.	H.R. 3700	Oct. 7, 2015	ES	BHUA	Jan. 28, 2016		397		Feb. 2, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	201
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 620 Central Avenue Suite 1A in Hot Springs National Park, Arkansas, as the "Chief Perry Officer Adam Brown United States Post Office".	H.R. 3931	Nov. 4, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	202
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4122 Madison Street, Elfers, Florida, as the "Private First Class Felton Roger Fussell Memorial Post Office".	H.R. 3953	Nov. 5, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	203
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 522 North Central Avenue in Phoenix, Arizona, as the "Ed Pastor Post Office".	H.R. 4010	Nov. 16, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		June 21, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	204
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 110 East Powerhouse Road in Collegeville, Minnesota, as the "Eugene J. McCarthy Post Office".	H.R. 4425	Feb. 2, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	205
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6691 Church Street in Riverdale, Georgia, as the "Major Gregory E. Barney Post Office Building".	H.R. 4747	Mar. 15, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	206
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 61 South Baldwin Avenue in Sierra Madre, California, as the "Louis Van Iersel Post Office".	H.R. 4761	Mar. 16, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	207
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1301 Alabama Avenue in Selma, Alabama as the "Annelia Boynton Robinson Post Office Building".	H.R. 4777	Mar. 17, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		June 21, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	208
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3130 Grants Lake Boulevard in Sugar Land, Texas, as the "LCpl Garrett W. Gamble, USMC Post Office Building".	H.R. 4877	Mar. 23, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....		.....		May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	209
To require the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to issue a directive on the management of software licenses, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4904	Apr. 12, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	May 23, 2016		587		June 7, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	210

To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 229 West Main Cross Street, in Findlay, Ohio, as the "Michael Garver Oxley Memorial Post Office Building".	H.R.	4925	Apr. 13, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	June 21, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	211
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5720 South 142nd Street in Omaha, Nebraska, as the "Petry Officer 1st Class Caleb A. Nelson Post Office Building".	H.R.	4975	Apr. 18, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	212
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3957 2nd Avenue in Laurel Hill, Florida, as the "Sergeant First Class William 'Kelly' Lacey Post Office".	H.R.	4987	Apr. 18, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	May 23, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	213
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10721 E Jefferson Ave in Detroit, Michigan, as the "Mary E. McCoy Post Office Building".	H.R.	5028	Apr. 21, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	June 21, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	214
To establish the John F. Kennedy Centennial Commission.	H.R.	5722	July 11, 2016	OGR		.....	.....	July 13, 2016	July 14, 2016	July 29, 2016	215
To reauthorize and amend the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes.	S.	764	Mar. 17, 2015	NR	CST	.....	July 23, 2015	Sept. 18, 2015	July 28, 2015	July 29, 2016	216
To reauthorize the sound recording and film preservation programs of the Library of Congress, and for other purposes.	S.	2893	Apr. 28, 2016		RAdm	.....	.....	July 14, 2016	July 13, 2016	July 29, 2016	217
To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a dental insurance plan to veterans and survivors and dependents of veterans.	S.	3055	June 14, 2016		VA	.....	.....	July 14, 2016	July 13, 2016	July 29, 2016	218
To authorize the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped to provide playback equipment in all formats.	S.	3207	July 13, 2016			.....	.....	July 14, 2016	July 13, 2016	July 29, 2016	219
To designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in Laughlin, Nevada, as the "Master Chief Petty Officer Jesse Dean VA Clinic".	H.R.	3969	Nov. 5, 2015	VA	VA	.....	.....	May 23, 2016	Sept. 8, 2016	Sept. 23, 2016	220
To enhance and integrate Native American tourism, empower Native American communities, increase coordination and collaboration between Federal tourism assessors, and expand heritage and cultural tourism opportunities in the United States.	S.	1579	June 16, 2015	NR EC HA	IA	721	Sept. 6, 2016	Sept. 12, 2016	Apr. 25, 2016	Sept. 23, 2016	221
To deter terrorism, provide justice for victims, and for other purposes.	S.	2040	Sept. 16, 2015	Jud	Jud	.....	Feb. 3, 2016	Sept. 9, 2016	May 17, 2016	Sept. 23, 2016	222
Making continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2017, and for other purposes.	H.R.	5325	May 25, 2016	App		594	May 25, 2016	June 10, 2016	Sept. 28, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	223
To establish the Virgin Islands of the United States Centennial Commission.	H.R.	2615	June 2, 2015	OGR	ENR	486	Apr. 12, 2016	Apr. 26, 2016	Sept. 20, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	224
To designate the United States Customs and Border Protection Port of Entry located at 1400 Lower Island Road in Tornillo, Texas, as the "Marcelino Serna Port of Entry".	H.R.	5252	May 16, 2016	WM	EPW	.....	.....	July 11, 2016	Sept. 20, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	225
To authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into certain leases at the Department of Veterans Affairs West Los Angeles Campus in Los Angeles, California, to make certain improvements to the enhanced-use lease authority of the Department, and for other purposes.	H.R.	5936	Sept. 6, 2016	VA		Sept. 12, 2016	Sept. 19, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	226

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To amend title 36, United States Code, to authorize the American Battle Monuments Commission to acquire, operate, and maintain the Lafayette Escadrille Memorial in Marnes-la-Coquette, France, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5937	Sept. 6, 2016	FA VA						Sept. 12, 2016	Sept. 20, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	227
To amend title 38, United States Code, to extend certain expiring provisions of law administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5985	Sept. 9, 2016	VA AS Bud						Sept. 13, 2016	Sept. 19, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	228
To extend the pediatric priority review voucher program.	S. 1878	July 28, 2015	EC	HEL&P	Apr. 5, 2016		0		Sept. 27, 2016	Sept. 22, 2016	Sept. 30, 2016	229
To authorize a Wall of Remembrance as part of the Korean War Veterans Memorial and to allow certain private contributions to fund that Wall of Remembrance.	H.R. 1475	Mar. 19, 2015	NR	ENR	Feb. 24, 2016		433		Feb. 24, 2016	Sept. 19, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	230
To support global anti-poaching efforts, strengthen the capacity of partner countries to counter wildlife trafficking, designate major wildlife trafficking countries, and for other purposes.	H.R. 2494	May 21, 2015	FA Jud NR	FR	May 9, 2016		0		Nov. 2, 2015	Sept. 15, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	231
To require the Secretary of the Interior to take land into trust for certain Indian tribes, and for other purposes.	H.R. 2733	June 11, 2015	NR		Apr. 12, 2016		487		June 7, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	232
To amend the Gullah/Geechee Cultural Heritage Act to extend the authorization for the Gullah/Geechee Cultural Heritage Corridor Commission.	H.R. 3004	July 9, 2015	NR	ENR	Feb. 24, 2016		430		Feb. 24, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	233
To designate the building utilized as a United States courthouse located at 150 Reade Circle in Greenville, North Carolina, as the "Randy D. Doub United States Courthouse."	H.R. 3937	Nov. 5, 2015	TI	EPW	Mar. 23, 2016		464		Sept. 20, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	234
To amend title 40, United States Code, to require restrooms in public buildings to be equipped with baby changing facilities.	H.R. 5147	Apr. 29, 2016	TI		Sept. 20, 2016		774		Sept. 21, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	235
To establish certain rights for sexual assault survivors, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5578	June 24, 2016	Jud EC	Jud	Sept. 6, 2016		707		Sept. 6, 2016	Sept. 28, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	236
To amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, to clarify the duties relating to services furnished in connection with the buying or selling of livestock in commerce through online, video, or other electronic methods, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5883	July 14, 2016	AGR		Sept. 20, 2016		768		Sept. 26, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	237
To amend title 49, United States Code, with respect to certain grant assurances, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5944	Sept. 7, 2016	TI		Sept. 20, 2016				Sept. 20, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	238
To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income any prizes or awards won in competition in the Olympic Games or the Paralympic Games.	H.R. 5946	Sept. 7, 2016	WM		Sept. 20, 2016		762		Sept. 22, 2016	Sept. 29, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	239
To amend title 36, United States Code, to encourage the nationwide observance of two minutes of silence each Veterans Day.	S. 1004	Apr. 16, 2015	VA	Jud					Sept. 27, 2016	Nov. 9, 2015	Oct. 7, 2016	240
To exclude payments from State eugenics compensation programs from consideration in determining eligibility for, or the amount of, Federal public benefits.	S. 1698	June 25, 2015	OGR		Feb. 9, 2016		418		Sept. 27, 2016	Nov. 30, 2015	Oct. 7, 2016	241

To include disabled veteran leave in the personnel management system of the Federal Aviation Administration.	S.	2683	Mar. 15, 2016	CST	.....	.....	Sept. 27, 2016	Sept. 22, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	242
To designate the community-based outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Pueblo, Colorado, as the "PFC James Dunn VA Clinic".	S.	3283	July 14, 2016	VA	.....	.....	Sept. 28, 2016	July 14, 2016	Oct. 7, 2016	243
To establish the Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children, and for other purposes.	S.	246	Jan. 22, 2015	NR	.....	May 11, 2015	Sept. 12, 2016	June 1, 2015	Oct. 14, 2016	244
To direct the Secretary of Agriculture to publish in the Federal Register a strategy to significantly increase the role of volunteers and partners in National Forest System trail maintenance, and for other purposes.	H.R.	845	Feb. 10, 2015	Ag NR	.....	.....	Sept. 26, 2016	Nov. 16, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	245
To amend the Veterans' Oral History Project Act to allow the collection of video and audio recordings of biographical histories by immediate family members of members of the Armed Forces who died as a result of their service during a period of war.	H.R.	4511	Feb. 9, 2016	HA	RAdm	.....	Sept. 6, 2016	Nov. 15, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	246
To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to improve the Veterans Crisis Line.	H.R.	5392	June 7, 2016	VA	.....	.....	Sept. 26, 2016	Nov. 16, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	247
To amend title 49, United States Code, to include consideration of certain impacts on commercial space launch and reentry activities in a navigable airspace analysis, and for other purposes.	H.R.	6007	Sept. 13, 2016	TI	.....	.....	Sept. 21, 2016	Nov. 16, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	248
To require the Secretary of Commerce to conduct an assessment and analysis of the outdoor recreation economy of the United States, and for other purposes.	H.R.	4665	Mar. 2, 2016	EC	.....	.....	Nov. 14, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	Dec. 8, 2016	249
To amend title 5, United States Code, to expand law enforcement availability pay to employees of U.S. Customs and Border Protection's Air and Marine Operations.	H.R.	4902	Apr. 12, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	June 21, 2016	Nov. 17, 2016	Dec. 8, 2016	250
To amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for an annuity supplement for certain air traffic controllers.	H.R.	5785	July 14, 2016	OGR	.....	.....	Sept. 20, 2016	Nov. 29, 2016	Dec. 8, 2016	251
To designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 511 East San Antonio Avenue in El Paso, Texas, as the "R.E. Thomason Federal Building and United States Courthouse".	H.R.	5873	July 14, 2016	TI	EPW	.....	Sept. 26, 2016	Nov. 17, 2016	Dec. 8, 2016	252
To designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 300 Fannin Street in Shreveport, Louisiana, as the "Tom Staggs United States Courthouse".	S.	2754	Apr. 6, 2016	EPW	.....	May 18, 2016	Sept. 26, 2016	Sept. 15, 2016	Dec. 8, 2016	253
Making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes.	H.R.	2028	Apr. 24, 2015	App	.....	May 21, 2015	May 1, 2015	May 12, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	254
To accelerate the discovery, development, and delivery of 21st century cures, and for other purposes.	H.R.	34	Jan. 6, 2015	SST	CST	.....	Jan. 7, 2015	Oct. 6, 2015	Dec. 13, 2016	255
To amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements in the provision of automobiles and adaptive equipment by the Department of Veterans Affairs.	H.R.	3471	Sept. 10, 2015	VA	VA	.....	Sept. 12, 2016	Nov. 17, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	256
To update the financial disclosure requirements for judges of the District of Columbia courts and to make other improvements to the District of Columbia courts.	H.R.	4419	Feb. 1, 2016	OGR	Sept. 22, 2016	Nov. 29, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	257

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To prohibit the use of certain clauses in form contracts that restrict the ability of a consumer to communicate regarding the goods or services offered in interstate commerce that were the subject of the contract, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5111	Apr. 28, 2016	EC		Sept. 9, 2016		731		Sept. 12, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	258
To name the Department of Veterans Affairs temporary lodging facility in Indianapolis, Indiana, as the "Dr. Otis Bowen Veteran House".	H.R. 5509	June 16, 2016	VA						Sept. 26, 2016	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	259
To strike the sunset on certain provisions relating to the authorized protest of a task or delivery order under section 4106 of title 41, United States Code.	H.R. 5995	Sept. 12, 2016	OGR		Sept. 21, 2016		779		Sept. 21, 2016	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	260
To enhance whistleblower protection for contractor and grantee employees.	S. 795	Mar. 18, 2015	OGR AS	HS&GA	June 7, 2016			270	Dec. 5, 2016	June 23, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	261
To provide for the addition of certain real property to the reservation of the Siletz Tribe in the State of Oregon.	S. 817	Mar. 19, 2015		IA		Mar. 2, 2016		219	Dec. 6, 2016	July 14, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	262
To amend the Grand Ronde Reservation Act to make technical corrections, and for other purposes.	S. 818	Mar. 19, 2015		IA		Mar. 16, 2016		230	Dec. 6, 2016	July 14, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	263
To amend title 31, United States Code, to establish entities tasked with improving program and project management in certain Federal agencies, and for other purposes.	S. 1550	June 10, 2015	OGR	HS&GA	June 21, 2016	Nov. 3, 2015	637	162	Sept. 22, 2016	Nov. 19, 2015	Dec. 14, 2016	264
To award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the Filipino veterans of World War II, in recognition of the dedicated service of the veterans during World War II.	S. 1555	June 11, 2015	FS HA	BHUA					Nov. 30, 2016	July 13, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	265
To require a regional strategy to address the threat posed by Boko Haram.	S. 1632	June 18, 2015	FA Int	FR	July 29, 2015			0	Dec. 7, 2016	Sept. 22, 2015	Dec. 14, 2016	266
To require the Secretary of Homeland Security to conduct a Northern Border threat analysis, and for other purposes.	S. 1808	July 21, 2015		HS&GA		Oct. 19, 2015		155	Nov. 29, 2016	Nov. 16, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	267
To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to make anthrax vaccines available to emergency response providers, and for other purposes.	S. 1915	Aug. 3, 2015		HS&GA		May 9, 2016		251	Nov. 29, 2016	Nov. 16, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	268
To award the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the members of the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) in recognition of their superior service and major contributions during World War II.	S. 2234	Nov. 4, 2015	FS HA	BHUA					Nov. 30, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	269
To require studies and reports examining the use of, and opportunities to use, technology-enabled collaborative learning and capacity building models to improve programs of the Department of Health and Human Services, and for other purposes.	S. 2873	Apr. 28, 2016	EC	HEL&P					Dec. 6, 2016	Nov. 29, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	270
To ensure funding for the National Human Trafficking Hotline, and for other purposes.	S. 2974	May 23, 2016		HEL&P					Dec. 8, 2016	Nov. 28, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	271
To redesignate the Olympic Wilderness as the Daniel J. Evans Wilderness.	S. 3028	June 7, 2016	NR	ENR	Nov. 14, 2016	July 14, 2016	822	0	Dec. 7, 2016	July 14, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	272

To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish caskets and urns for burial in cemeteries of States and tribal organizations of veterans without next of kin or sufficient resources to provide for caskets or urns, and for other purposes.	S.	3076	June 20, 2016	VA	VA	.....	.....	Dec. 6, 2016	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	273
To prohibit the circumvention of control measures used by Internet ticket sellers to ensure equitable consumer access to tickets for any given event, and for other purposes.	S.	3183	July 13, 2016	CST	CST	.....	.....	Dec. 7, 2016	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	274
To require limitations on prescribed burns.	S.	3395	Sept. 27, 2016	ANF	Agr NR VA	.....	.....	Dec. 5, 2016	Nov. 17, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	275
To designate the Traverse City VA Community-Based Outpatient Clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Traverse City, Michigan, as the "Colonel Demas T. Crow VA Clinic".	S.	3492	Dec. 1, 2016	ANF	VA	.....	.....	Dec. 6, 2016	Dec. 1, 2016	Dec. 14, 2016	276
To reauthorize the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996.	H.R.	6297	Nov. 14, 2016	HS&GA CST	FA FS Jud WM OGR HS	.....	.....	Nov. 15, 2016	Dec. 1, 2016	Dec. 15, 2016	277
To require the Secretary of Homeland Security to prepare a comprehensive security assessment of the transportation security card program, and for other purposes.	H.R.	710	Feb. 4, 2015	HS&GA CST	HS	.....	.....	Feb. 10, 2015	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	278
To provide for alternative financing arrangements for the provision of certain services and the construction and maintenance of infrastructure at land border ports of entry, and for other purposes.	H.R.	875	Feb. 11, 2015	VA	WM TI Jud HS Agr VA	.....	.....	Dec. 6, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	279
To designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in Newark, Ohio, as the Daniel L. Kinnard VA Clinic.	H.R.	960	Feb. 12, 2015	VA	VA	.....	.....	May 23, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	280
To amend the International Religious Freedom Act of 1998 to improve the ability of the United States to advance religious freedom globally through enhanced diplomacy, training, counterterrorism, and foreign assistance efforts, and through stronger and more flexible political responses to religious freedom violations and violent extremism worldwide, and for other purposes.	H.R.	1150	Feb. 27, 2015	FR	FA FS OGR	.....	.....	May 16, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	281
To require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint commemorative coins in recognition of the 50th anniversary of the first manned landing on the moon.	H.R.	2726	June 10, 2015	FR	FS Bud	.....	.....	Dec. 5, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	282
Designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1221 State Street, Suite 12, Santa Barbara, California as the "Special Warfare Operator Master Chief Petty Officer (SEAL) Louis 'Lou' J. Langlais Post Office Building".	H.R.	3218	July 27, 2015	HS&GA	OGR	.....	.....	Nov. 17, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	283
To amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to establish an Office of the Advocate for Small Business Capital Formation and a Small Business Capital Formation Advisory Committee, and for other purposes.	H.R.	3784	Oct. 21, 2015	BHUA	FS	.....	408	Feb. 1, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	284
To improve homeland security, including domestic preparedness and response to terrorism, by reforming Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers to provide training to first responders, and for other purposes.	H.R.	3842	Oct. 28, 2015	Jud	HS Jud	343	Dec. 8, 2015	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	285

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To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a pilot program establishing a patient self-scheduling appointment system, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4352	Jan. 8, 2016	VA							Dec. 6, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	286
To decrease the deficit by consolidating and selling Federal buildings and other civilian real property, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4465	Feb. 4, 2016	TI OGR		May 23, 2016 May 23, 2016		578			May 23, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	287
To designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 121 Spring Street SE in Gainesville, Georgia, as the "Sidney Oslin Smith, Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse".	H.R. 4618	Feb. 25, 2016	TI	EPW	Mar. 23, 2016		463			Apr. 18, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	288
To prepare the National Park Service for its Centennial in 2016 and for a second century of promoting and protecting the natural, historic, and cultural resources of our National Parks for the enjoyment of present and future generations, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4680	Mar. 3, 2016	NR Agr E&W		May 19, 2016		576			Dec. 6, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	289
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 23323 Shelby Road in Shelby, Indiana, as the "Richard Allen Cable Post Office".	H.R. 4887	Mar. 23, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016			0		Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	290
To increase engagement with the governments of the Caribbean region, the Caribbean diaspora community in the United States, and the private sector and civil society in both the United States and the Caribbean, and for other purposes.	H.R. 4939	Apr. 14, 2016	EA	FR	Dec. 7, 2016			0		June 13, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	291
To restore amounts improperly withheld for tax purposes from severance payments to individuals who retired or separated from service in the Armed Forces for combat-related injuries, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5015	Apr. 20, 2016	AS WM							Dec. 5, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	292
To direct the Administrator of the Transportation Security Administration to notify air carriers and security screening personnel of the Transportation Security Administration of such Administration's guidelines regarding permitting baby formula, breast milk, purified deionized water, and juice on airplanes, and for other purposes.	H.R. 5065	Apr. 26, 2016	HS	CST	Sept. 20, 2016		775			Sept. 27, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	293
To establish a pilot program on partnership agreements to construct new facilities for the Department of Veterans Affairs.	H.R. 5099	Apr. 28, 2016	VA		Nov. 14, 2016		814			Dec. 7, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	294
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3031 Veterans Road West in Staten Island, New York, as the "Leonard Montalto Post Office Building".	H.R. 5150	Apr. 29, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016			0		Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	295
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 401 McElroy Drive in Oxford, Mississippi, as the "Army First Lieutenant Donald C. Carwile Post Office Building".	H.R. 5309	May 23, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016			0		Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	296

To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 14231 TX-150 in Goldspring, Texas, as the "E. Marie Youngblood Post Office".	H.R.	5556	May 26, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016	.....	0	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	297
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 810 N US Highway 83 in Zapata, Texas, as the "Zapata Veterans Post Office".	H.R.	5591	June 28, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016	.....	0	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	298
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2886 Sandy Plains Road in Marietta, Georgia, as the "Marine Lance Corporal Squire 'Skip' Wells Post Office Building".	H.R.	5612	July 1, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	.....	.....	.....	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	299
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6300 N. North-west Highway in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Officer Joseph P. Cali Post Office Building".	H.R.	5676	July 7, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016	.....	0	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	300
To eliminate or modify certain mandates of the Government Accountability Office.	H.R.	5687	July 8, 2016	OGR TI FS EC WM HS	HS&GA	Sept. 19, 2016	760	.....	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	301
To provide adequate protections for whistleblowers at the Federal Bureau of Investigation.	H.R.	5790	July 14, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 29, 2016	835	.....	Dec. 7, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	302
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1101 Davis Street in Evanston, Illinois, as the "Abner J. Mikva Post Office Building".	H.R.	5798	July 14, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016	.....	0	Sept. 22, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	303
To amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 and the United States-Israel Strategic Partnership Act of 2014 to promote cooperative homeland security research and antiterrorism programs relating to cybersecurity, and for other purposes.	H.R.	5877	July 14, 2016	HS EA	HS&GA	Nov. 15, 2016	827	.....	Nov. 29, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	304
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1 Chalan Kanooa VLG in Saipan, Northern Mariana Islands, as the "Segundo T. Sablan and CNMI Fallen Military Heroes Post Office Building".	H.R.	5889	July 14, 2016	OGR	HS&GA	Nov. 17, 2016	.....	0	Sept. 20, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	305
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 830 Kuhn Drive in Chula Vista, California, as the "Jonathan J.D. De Guzman Post Office Building".	H.R.	5948	Sept. 7, 2016	OGR	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	306
To allow the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to enter into reimbursable agreements for certain airport projects.	H.R.	6014	Sept. 13, 2016	TI	CST	.....	.....	.....	Sept. 21, 2016	Dec. 1, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	307
To provide the victims of Holocaust-era persecution and their heirs a fair opportunity to recover works of art confiscated or misappropriated by the Nazis.	H.R.	6130	Sept. 22, 2016	Jud	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dec. 7, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	308
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 360 East Pleasant Valley Road, Port Hueneme, California, as the U.S. Naval Construction Battalion "Seabees" Fallen Heroes Post Office Building.	H.R.	6138	Sept. 22, 2016	OGR	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	309
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2024 Jerome Avenue, in Bronx, New York, as the "Dr. Roscoe C. Brown, Jr. Post Office Building".	H.R.	6282	Sept. 28, 2016	OGR	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	310

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To provide an increase in premium pay for protective services during 2016, and for other purposes.	H.R. 6302	Nov. 14, 2016	OGR		Nov. 29, 2016		837	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	311	
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 501 North Main Street in Florence, Arizona, as the "Adolfo 'Harpo' Celaya Post Office".	H.R. 6304	Nov. 14, 2016	OGR					Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	312	
To name the Department of Veterans Affairs health care system in Long Beach, California, the "Tibor Rubin VA Medical Center".	H.R. 6323	Nov. 15, 2016	VA					Nov. 29, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	313	
To revise the boundaries of certain John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System units in New Jersey.	H.R. 6400	Nov. 29, 2016	NR					Dec. 7, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	314	
To amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements in the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.	H.R. 6416	Dec. 1, 2016	VA Bud AS					Dec. 6, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	315	
To ensure United States jurisdiction over offenses committed by United States personnel stationed in Canada in furtherance of border security initiatives.	H.R. 6431	Dec. 2, 2016	Jud					Dec. 7, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	316	
To amend the Inspector General Act of 1978 to strengthen the independence of the Inspectors General, and for other purposes.	H.R. 6450	Dec. 7, 2016	OGR					Dec. 8, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	317	
To improve the Government-wide management of Federal property.	H.R. 6451	Dec. 7, 2016	OGR TI					Dec. 8, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	318	
To amend chapter 97 of title 28, United States Code, to clarify the exception to foreign sovereign immunity set forth in section 1605(a)(3) of such title.	H.R. 6477	Dec. 8, 2016						Dec. 8, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	319	
To provide for the approval of the Agreement for Cooperation Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Kingdom of Norway Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy.	S. 8	Dec. 1, 2016		FR	Dec. 7, 2016			Dec. 13, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	320	
To establish the Railroad Emergency Services Preparedness, Operational Needs, and Safety Evaluation (RESPONSE) Subcommittee under the Federal Emergency Management Agency's National Advisory Council to provide recommendations on emergency responder training and resources relating to hazardous materials incidents involving railroads, and for other purposes.	S. 546	Feb. 24, 2015	TI	HS&GA	Nov. 14, 2016	July 21, 2015	808	Nov. 29, 2016	May 9, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	321	
To provide for improvements to the rivers and harbors of the United States, to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, and for other purposes.	S. 612	Feb. 27, 2015	TI	EPW	May 4, 2015			Dec. 8, 2016	May 21, 2015	Dec. 16, 2016	322	
To authorize the Department of State for fiscal year 2016, and for other purposes.	S. 1635	June 18, 2015	EA	FR	June 18, 2015			Dec. 5, 2016	Apr. 28, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	323	

S.	2577	Feb. 24, 2016	Jud FS	Jud	May 12, 2016	0	Nov. 29, 2016	June 16, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	324
To protect crime victims' rights, to eliminate the substantial backlog of DNA and other forensic evidence samples to improve and expand the forensic science testing capacity of Federal, State, and local crime laboratories, to increase research and development of new testing technologies, to develop new training programs regarding the collection and use of forensic evidence, to provide post-conviction testing of DNA evidence to exonerate the innocent, to support accreditation efforts of forensic science laboratories and medical examiner offices, to address training and equipment needs, to improve the performance of counsel in State capital cases, and for other purposes.										
S.	2854	Apr. 26, 2016	Jud	Jud	.....	.....	Dec. 7, 2016	July 14, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	325
To reauthorize the Emmert Till Unsolved Civil Rights Crime Act of 2007.										
S.	2971	May 23, 2016	TI	HS&GA	Aug. 30, 2016	307	Dec. 7, 2016	Nov. 30, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	326
To authorize the National Urban Search and Rescue Response System.										
H.R.	6452	Dec. 7, 2016	NR SST		.....	.....	Dec. 8, 2016	Dec. 10, 2016	Dec. 16, 2016	327
To implement the Convention on the Conservation and Management of High Seas Fisheries Resources in the North Pacific Ocean, to implement the Convention on the Conservation and Management of High Seas Fishery Resources in the South Pacific Ocean, and for other purposes.										
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To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 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, and for other purposes.										
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AgAgriculture	E&WEducation and the Workforce	FSFinancial Services	IntIntelligence	SBSmall Business
ANFAgriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	ECEnergy and Commerce	FRForeign Affairs	JudJudiciary	SBESmall Business and Entrepreneurship
AppAppropriations	ENREnergy and Natural Resources	HEL&PHealth, Education, Labor, and Pensions	NRNatural Resources	TITransportation and Infrastructure
ASArmed Services	EPWEnvironment and Public Works	HSHomeland Security	OGROversight and Government Reform	VAVeterans' Affairs
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BudBudget			HAHouse Administration	RAdmRules and Administration		

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