Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S2225-S2252

Measures Introduced: Sixteen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3599–3614, and S. Res. 557–559. Page S2241

Evanina Nomination—Cloture: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of William R. Evanina, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center.

Pages S2226-32, S2232-39

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination at approximately 11 a.m., on Wednesday, May 6, 2020; and that if cloture is invoked on the nomination, all post-cloture time expire at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, May 6, 2020. Page S2252 Massages from the House:

Pages S2239-40	
Page S2240	
Pages S2240-41	
Pages S2241-42	
Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:	
Pages S2242-43	
Page S2239	
Page S2243	

Adjournment: Senate convened at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 5:01 p.m., until 11 a.m. on Wednesday, May 6, 2020. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2252.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Brian D. Miller, of Virginia, to be Special Inspector General for Pandemic Recovery, Department of the Treasury, and Dana T. Wade, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of John L. Ratcliffe, of Texas, to be Director of National Intelligence, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Cornyn, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

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: 38 public bills, H.R. 6696–6733; 1 private bill, H.R. 6734; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 87–88; H. Con. Res. 99; and H.Res. 950–953 were introduced.

Pages H1976-79

Additional Cosponsors:

Page H1980

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Oath of Office—Seventh Congressional District of Maryland: Representative-elect Kweisi Mfume presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the Oath of Office by the Speaker. Earlier, the Clerk of the House transmitted a scanned copy of a letter received from Ms. Linda H. Lamone, Administrator, Maryland State Board of Elections, indicating that, according to the preliminary results of the Special Election held April 28, 2020, the Honorable Kweisi Mfume was elected Representative to Congress for the Seventh Congressional District, State of Maryland. Page H1975

Whole Number of the House: The Speaker announced to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath to the gentlemen from Maryland, the whole number of the House is 430. Page H1976

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 10:44 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine Department of Defense spectrum policy and the impact of the Federal Communications Commission's Ligado decision on national security, 3 p.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings to examine the state of the aviation industry, focusing on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, 2:30 p.m., SD-106.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: business meeting to consider a substitute amendment to an original bill entitled, "America's Water Infrastructure Act of 2020", and a substitute amendment to an original bill entitled, "Drinking Water Infrastructure Act of 2020", 10 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine COVID-19, focusing on how new information should drive policy, 2 p.m., WEBEX.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Justin Reed Walker, of Kentucky, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

House

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, hearing entitled "COVID-19 Response", 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn. Next Meeting of the SENATE

11 a.m., Wednesday, May 6

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of William R. Evanina, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 12 noon.

If cloture is invoked on the Evanina nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination at 2 p.m. Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Friday, May 8

House Chamber

Program for Friday: House will meet in Pro Forma session at 10 a.m.

Extensions of Remnarks, as inserted in this issue

HOUSE

Bonamici, Suzanne, Ore., E427 Bustos, Cheri, Ill., E423, E424, E425, E426, E428 Carson, André, Ind., E423

Casten, Sean, Ill., E423 Clyburn, James E., S.C., E423 Eshoo, Anna G., Calif., E424 Gosar, Paul, Ariz., E424 Harder, Josh, Calif., E425

Hudson, Richard, N.C., E426 Meng, Grace, N.Y., E425 Price, David E., N.C., E424 Speier, Jackie, Calif., E426 Young, Don, Alaska, E427



of Congress, as reported by the Official Reporters thereof, are

States Code, and published for each day that one or both Houses are in session, excepting very infrequent instances when two or more unusually small consecutive issues are printed one time. Public access to the Congressional Record is available online through the U.S. Government Publishing Office, at www.govinfo.gov, free of charge to the user. The information is updated online each day the Congressional Record is published. For more information, contact the GPO Customer Contact Center, U.S. Government Publishing Office. Phone 202-512-1800, or 866-512-1800 (toll-free). E-Mail, contactcenter@gpo.gov. ¶To place an order for any of these products, visit the U.S. Government Online Bookstore at: bookstore.gpo.gov. Mail orders to: Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 979050, St. Louis, MO 63197-9000, or phone orders to 866-512-1800 (toll-free), 202-512-1800 (D.C. area), or fax to 202-512-2104. Remit check or money order, made payable to the Superintendent of Documents, or use VISA, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, or GPO Deposit Account. ¶Following each session of Congress, the daily Congressional Record is revised, printed, permanently bound and sold by the Superintendent of Documents in individual parts or by sets. With the exception of copyrighted articles, there are no restrictions on the republication of material from the Congressional Record.

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to the Superintendent of Documents, Congressional Record, U.S. Government Publishing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, along with the entire mailing label from the last issue received.