

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S5577–S5616

Measures Introduced: Fifteen bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4569–4583, S. Res. 692–696, and S. Con. Res. 44. **Pages S5609–10**

Measures Reported:

S. 2502, to ban the Federal procurement of certain drones and other unmanned aircraft systems, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 116–268)

S. 332, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove the manifestation period required for the presumptions of service connection for chloracne, porphyria cutanea tarda, and acute and subacute peripheral neuropathy associated with exposure to certain herbicide agents, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 514, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the benefits and services provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs to women veterans, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 629, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to review the processes and requirements of the Department of Veterans Affairs for scheduling appointments for health care and conducting consultations under the laws administered by the Secretary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 711, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for mental health services from the Department of Veterans Affairs to include members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces.

S. 805, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the processing of veterans benefits by the Department of Veterans Affairs, to limit the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to recover overpayments made by the Department and other amounts owed by veterans to the United States, to improve the due process accorded veterans with respect to such recovery, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2216, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to formally recognize caregivers of veterans, notify veterans and caregivers of clinical determinations relating to eligibility for caregiver programs, and

temporarily extend benefits for veterans who are determined ineligible for the family caregiver program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2558, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make certain grants to assist nursing homes for veterans located on tribal lands.

S. 2950, to amend title 38, United States Code, to concede exposure to airborne hazards and toxins from burn pits under certain circumstances, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 3235, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to conduct a pilot program on posttraumatic growth, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 3282, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the oversight of contracts awarded by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to small business concerns owned and controlled by veterans.

S. 3643, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize certain postgraduate health care employees and health professions trainees of the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide treatment via telemedicine.

S. 4384, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to address exposure by members of the Armed Forces to toxic substances at Karshi-Khanabad Air Base, Uzbekistan. **Page S5608**

Measures Passed:

Printing authorization: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 92, authorizing the printing of a revised and updated version of the House document entitled “Women in Congress, 1917–2006”. **Page S5616**

National Polycystic Kidney Disease Awareness Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 696, designating September 4, 2020, as “National Polycystic Kidney Disease Awareness Day”, and raising awareness and understanding of polycystic kidney disease. **Page S5616**

Robinson Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Todd Wallace Robinson, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California. **Pages S5589–S5602**

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

By 83 yeas to 13 nays (Vote No. EX. 174), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Page S5589**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding the provisions of Rule XXII, the post-cloture time with respect to the nomination of Todd Wallace Robinson expire at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2020; that following disposition of the nomination, Senate vote on the motions to invoke cloture on the nominations of David W. Dugan, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois, and Stephen P. McGlynn, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois, in that order; and that if cloture is invoked on the nominations, the post-cloture time expire at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2020, and Senate vote on confirmation of the nominations in that order.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination of Todd Wallace Robinson, post-cloture, at approximately 10 a.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2020.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 83 yeas to 12 nays (Vote No. EX. 170), Mark C. Scarsi, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California.

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By 92 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. EX. 172), Stanley Blumenfeld, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California.

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

By 89 yeas to 6 nays (Vote No. EX. 171), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination.

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By 83 yeas to 12 nays (Vote No. EX. 175), John W. Holcomb, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California.

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

By 83 yeas to 13 nays (Vote No. EX. 173), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—175) **Pages S5580, S5588–89, S5597**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:57 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2020. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5616.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of John E. Whitley, of Virginia, to be Director of Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation, Bradley D. Hansell, of Virginia, to be a Deputy Under Secretary, Lucas N. Polakowski, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary, Shon J. Manasco, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force, and Michele A. Pearce, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Army, all of the Department of Defense, Liam P. Hardy, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces, and 893 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Space Force.

COMPENSATING COLLEGE ATHLETES

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded a hearing to examine compensating college athletes, focusing on the potential impact on athletes and institutions, after receiving testimony from Rebecca M. Blank, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Karen Dennis, The Ohio State University, Columbus; John Hartwell, Utah State University, Logan; and Ramogi Huma, National College Players Association, Norco, California.

COMPETITION IN ONLINE ADVERTISING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights concluded a hearing to examine whether Google harmed competition in online advertising, after receiving testimony from Donald Harrison, Google, Mountain View, California; Adam Heimlich, Chalice Custom Algorithms, New York, New York; and David C. Dinielli, Omidyar Network, and Carl Szabo, NetChoice, both of Washington, D.C.

INTELLIGENCE

Committee recessed subject to the call.

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

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 8251–8263; and 6 resolutions, H. Res. 1109–1114, were introduced. **Pages H4427–28**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H4428–29**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4447, to establish an energy storage and microgrid grant and technical assistance program, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–504, Part 1); and

H.R. 895. A bill to allow tribal grant schools to participate in the Federal Employee Health Benefits program (H. Rept. 116–505, Part 1). **Page H4427**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative McGovern to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4385**

Recess: The House recessed at 9:35 a.m. and reconvened at 10 a.m. **Page H4389**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:13 p.m. and reconvened at 12:21 p.m. **Page H4399**

Recess: The House recessed at 3:53 p.m. and reconvened at 4:01 p.m. **Page H4414**

Strength in Diversity Act: The House passed H.R. 2639, to establish the Strength in Diversity Program, by a yea-and-nay vote of 248 yeas to 167 nays, Roll No. 189. **Pages H4400–14, H4414–16**

Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116–62 shall be considered as adopted, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Education and Labor now printed in the bill.

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Agreed to:

Torres (CA) amendment (No. 1 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–502) that adds new criteria for evaluating grant applications, factoring in the impact of the likelihood the grant will lead to a meaningful reduction in racial and economic isolation for children in schools; also prioritizes entities that coordinate with local housing agencies to integrate

schools that serve a disproportionately low number of low-income students; **Pages H4407–08**

Fudge en bloc amendment No. 1 consisting of the following amendments printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–502: Brown (MD) (No. 3) that allows eligible entities to use grant funds to recruit, hire, and train school counselors; Brown (MD) (No. 4) that includes, in the annual report, a description of how eligible entities will continue to make improvements toward increasing diversity and decreasing racial or socioeconomic isolation in covered schools and sustain inclusion; Cooper (No. 5) that gives school districts that had previously submitted an application under the Obama-era program before it was terminated priority to reapply to this new program; Escobar (No. 7) that modifies the application section to require information on how eligible entities propose to use grant funds to support interventions to increase student diversity; additionally, in the case of the consortium agencies, an eligible entity will be required to establish the lead applicant and how grant funds will be divided among school districts to address racial and socioeconomic segregation in schools; Green (TX) (No. 8) that recommends replacing entrance exams and competitive application procedures with other methods to promote racial and socioeconomic diversity; Moulton (No. 10) that adds access to mental health resources and socialemotional learning as a performance measure for the grant program; students attending racially isolated, high-poverty schools have less access to resources, and school integration will help foster equitable access to resources; Mucarsel-Powell (No. 11) that ensures that planning grants to address racial and socioeconomic isolation in schools can be used to increase teacher diversity; and Tlaib (No. 12) that includes a requirement that an eligible entity that receives a grant must include in its annual report information on the progress of regional programs on reducing racial and socioeconomic isolation in covered schools;

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Dean amendment (No. 6 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–502) that ensures that State Education

Agencies have procedures in place to assess and prevent the redrawing of school district lines in a manner that increases racial or socioeconomic isolation; and

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Moulton amendment (No. 9 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–502) that expands the allowable uses of implementation grants to include creating or improving a one-stop enrollment process for students with multiple public school options, including making school information and data more accessible and easier to understand (by a yea-and-nay vote of 379 yeas to 34 nays, Roll No. 188).

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Rejected:

Allen amendment (No. 2 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–502) that sought to provide school districts flexibility with their funds under the Student Support and Academic Enrichment Grants to carry out integration activities (by a yea-and-nay vote of 171 yeas to 243 nays, Roll No. 187).

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Res. 1107, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 2574), (H.R. 2639), (H.R. 2694), and the resolution (H. Res. 908) was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 216 yeas to 157 nays, Roll No. 186, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 219 yeas to 170 nays, Roll No. 185.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4398–99, H4399–H4400, H4413–14, H4414–15, and H4415–16.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ADDRESSING THE LEGACY OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE USE OF PFAS: PROTECTING OUR COMMUNITIES AND IMPLEMENTING REFORM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing entitled “Addressing the Legacy of Department of Defense use of PFAS: Protecting Our Communities and Implementing Reform”. Testimony was heard from Maureen Sullivan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Acquisition and Sustainment, Department of Defense; and a public witness.

THE HEALTH, ECONOMIC, AND POLITICAL CHALLENGES FACING LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, Civilian Security, and Trade held a hearing entitled “The Health, Economic, and

Political Challenges Facing Latin America and the Caribbean”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 5309, the “CROWN Act of 2019”; H.R. 7718, the “Protecting the Health and Wellness of Babies and Pregnant Women in Custody Act”; H.R. 8161, the “One-Stop Shop Community Reentry Program Act of 2020”; H.R. 6813, the “Promoting Alzheimer’s Awareness to Prevent Elder Abuse Act”; H.R. 8169, the “Elder Abuse Protection Act of 2020”; H.R. 8225, the “Fight Notario Fraud Act of 2020”; H.R. 7636, the “Custodial Interrogation Recording Act”; H.R. 8235, the “Open Courts Act of 2020”; H.R. 7370, the “Protecting Employees and Retirees in Business Bankruptcies Act of 2020”; and H.R. 2648, the “Student Borrower Bankruptcy Relief Act of 2019”.

SBA MANAGEMENT REVIEW: OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT CONTRACTING AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Contracting and Infrastructure held a hearing entitled “SBA Management Review: Office of Government Contracting and Business Development”. Testimony was heard from Francis Spampinato, Associate Administrator, Office of Government Contracting and Business Development, Small Business Administration.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine the Department of Health and Human Services’ Coronavirus response, focusing on a review of efforts to date and next steps, 10 a.m., SD–G50.

Committee on the Budget: to hold hearings to examine Federal housing assistance programs, 2:30 p.m., SD–608.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: business meeting to consider S. 804, to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to protect the cultural practices and livelihoods of producers of Alaska Native handicrafts and fossilized ivory products, S. 1626, to require the National Telecommunications and Information Administration to estimate the value of electromagnetic

spectrum assigned or otherwise allocated to Federal entities, S. 3831, to authorize the position of Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Travel and Tourism, to statutorily establish the United States Travel and Tourism Advisory Board, S. 3969, to amend title 49, United States Code, to reform the Federal Aviation Administration's aircraft certification process, S. 4159, to amend the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act to accommodate emerging technologies, S. 4286, to authorize appropriations for offsetting the costs related to reductions in research productivity resulting from the coronavirus pandemic, S. 4462, to establish a national integrated flood information system within the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, an original bill entitled, "Forensic Science Research and Standards Act", and the nominations of Eric J. Soskin, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of Transportation, Robert E. Primus, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board, and Theodore Rokita, of Indiana, Sarah E. Feinberg, of West Virginia, and Chris Koos, of Illinois, each to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors, 9:45 a.m., SR-325.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Allison Clements, of Ohio, and Mark C. Christie, of Virginia, both to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining, to hold hearings to examine S. 180, to streamline the oil and gas permitting process and to recognize fee ownership for certain oil and gas drilling or spacing units, S. 1295, to require the Secretary of the Interior to develop and maintain a cadastre of Federal real property, S. 1765, to sustain economic development and recreational use of National Forest System land in the State of Montana, to add certain land to the National Wilderness Preservation System, to designate new areas for recreation, S. 1870 and H.R. 722, bills to designate a mountain in the State of Utah as "Miracle Mountain", S. 2533, to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to exclude certain payments to Alaska Native elders for determining eligibility for certain programs, S. 2828, to require the Secretary of the Interior to prepare a programmatic environmental impact statement allowing for adaptive management of certain Federal land in Malheur County, Oregon, S. 2890, to promote conservation, improve public land, and provide for sensible development in Douglas County, Nevada, S. 3241, to amend the John D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act to establish the Cerro de la Olla Wilderness in the Rio Grande del Norte National Monument, New Mexico, S. 3366, to amend the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act to make the National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Pass available at no cost to members of Gold Star Families, S. 3427, to require the Secretary of the Interior, the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works to digitize and make publicly available geographic information system mapping data relating to public access to Federal land and waters for outdoor recreation, S. 3485, to expand the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to expand revenue sharing for offshore

wind, to reauthorize the National Oceans and Coastal Security Act, S. 3670, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain segments of the Gila River System in the State of New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, to provide for the transfer of administrative jurisdiction over certain Federal land in the State of New Mexico, S. 4431, to increase wildfire preparedness and response throughout the United States, S. 4475, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to La Paz County, Arizona, and H.R. 255, to provide for an exchange of lands with San Bernardino County, California, to enhance management of lands within the San Bernardino National Forest, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings to examine the Navigable Waters Protection Rule under the Clean Water Act, focusing on the stakeholder reaction, 10 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: business meeting to consider a motion to authorize the Chairman to issue notices for taking depositions, subpoenas for records, and subpoenas for testimony, to individuals relating to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Crossfire Hurricane Investigation; the DOJ Inspector General's review of that investigation; and the "unmasking" of U.S. persons affiliated with the Trump campaign, transition team, and Trump administration, as described in Schedule A (Items 1-3), and the nominations of John Gibbs, of Michigan, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management, and John M. Barger, of California, Christopher Bancroft Burnham, of Connecticut, and Frank Dunlevy, of California, each to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, 10:15 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine whether the reforms to Section 1201 are needed and warranted, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 1:30 p.m., SVC-217.

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Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change, hearing entitled "Building a 100 Percent Clean Economy: Opportunities for an Equitable, Low-Carbon Recovery", 10 a.m., Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Prioritizing Fannie's and Freddie's Capital over America's Homeowners and Renters? A Review of the Federal Housing Finance Agency's Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic", 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Why did the Trump Administration Fire the State Department Inspector General?", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4774, the "Internet of Things Cybersecurity Training for Federal Employees Act"; H.R. 5901, the "Technology Modernization Centers of Excellence Program"; H.R. 7496, the "COVID PREPARE Act"; H.R. 4382, the "Integrity Committee Transparency Act";

H.R. 7107, the “Plum Act”; H.R. 7340, the “Chai Suthammanont Remembrance Act”; H.R. 7548, the “PPE Buy America Act”; H.R. 7936, the “Federal Employee Access to Information Act”; H.R. 8109, the “Nonpartisan Postmaster General Act”; legislation on the GAO Report Elimination Act; H.R. 2277, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1715 Linnerud Drive in Sun Prairie, Wisconsin, as the “Fire Captain Cory Barr Post Office Building”; H.R. 5562, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4650 East Rosedale Street in Fort Worth, Texas, as the “Dionne Phillips Bagsby Post Office Building”; H.R. 5972, the “Mary Ann Shadd Cary Post Office Dedication Act”; H.R. 5983, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4150 Chicago Avenue in Riverside, California, as the “Woodie Rucker-Hughes Post Office Building”; H.R. 7502, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 101 South 16th Street in Clarinda, Iowa, as the “Jessie Field Shambaugh Post Office Building”; H.R. 5451, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 599 East Genesee Street in Fayetteville, New York, as the “George H. Bacel Post Office Building”; H.R. 6016, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 14955 West Bell Road in Surprise, Arizona, as the “Marc Lee Memorial Post Office Building”; H.R. 6418, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 509 Fairhope Ave-

nue in Fairhope, Alabama, as the “William ‘Jack’ Jackson Edwards III Post Office Building”; H.R. 7088, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 111 James Street in Reidsville, Georgia, as the “Senator Jack Hill Post Office Building”; and H.R. 7810, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3519 East Walnut Street in Pearland, Texas, as the “Tom Reid Post Office Building”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Small Business, September 16, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 7903, to amend the Small Business Act to establish the Community Advantage Loan Program; H.R. 8211, the “504 Modernization and Small Manufacturer Enhancement Act of 2020”; H.R. 8199, the “504 Credit Risk Management Improvement Act of 2020”; and H.R. 8229, the “Parity for HUBZone Appeals Act of 2020”, 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs, Subcommittee on Technology Modernization; and Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity, joint hearing entitled “Moving Beyond Patchwork Systems: The Future of Education Services IT”, 10 a.m., HVC–210 and Webex.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled “Modernizing VA’s Medical Supply Chain: Lessons Learned from the Pandemic”, 2 p.m., HVC–210 and Webex.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

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Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Wednesday, September 16

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Todd Wallace Robinson, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, post-cloture.

At 11:30 a.m., Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination of Todd Wallace Robinson, and on the motions to invoke cloture on the nominations of David W. Dugan, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois, and Stephen P. McGlynn, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois.

If cloture is invoked on the nominations of David W. Dugan and Stephen P. McGlynn, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 3:30 p.m., followed by a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Iain D. Johnston, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois.

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of H.R. 2574—Equity and Inclusion Enforcement Act. Consideration of measures under suspension of the Rules.

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