# Daily Digest

# Senate

## Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4882–4892. Page S6653

### Measures Reported:

Special Report entitled "Russian Active Measures Campaigns and Interference in the 2016 U.S. Election". (S. Rept. No. 116–290)

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## Measures Passed:

Alwyn C. Cashe Medal of Honor: Senate passed H.R. 8276, to authorize the President to post-humously award the Medal of Honor to Alwyn C. Cashe for acts of valor during Operation Iraqi Freedom.

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Veterans COMPACT Act: Senate passed H.R. 8247, to make certain improvements relating to the transition of individuals to services from the Department of Veterans Affairs, suicide prevention for veterans, and care and services for women veterans.

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Cannon Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Aileen Mercedes Cannon, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, and pursuant to the unanimous-consent agreement of Tuesday, November 10, 2020, a vote on cloture will occur at 12 noon on Thursday, November 12, 2020.

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Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination. Page S6639

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that Senate resume consideration of the nomination at approximately 11 a.m., on Thursday, November 12, 2020; that notwithstanding Rule XXII, Wednesday, November 11, 2020 count as the intervening day for the cloture motion filed during today's session; and that notwithstanding Rule XXII,

if cloture is invoked, Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination at 1:45 p.m., on Thursday, November 12, 2020.

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Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

By 64 yeas to 24 nays (Vote No. EX. 226), James Ray Knepp II, of Ohio, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Ohio.

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Authorities for Committees to Meet: Page S6654

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—226) Page S6630

Adjournment: Senate convened at 12 noon and adjourned at 6:23 p.m., until 11 a.m. on Thursday, November 12, 2020. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6655.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

## FINANCIAL REGULATORS OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine financial regulators, after receiving testimony from Randal K. Quarles, Vice Chair for Supervision, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Brian P. Brooks, Acting Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; Jelena McWilliams, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and Rodney E. Hood, Chairman, National Credit Union Administration.

#### **NOMINATIONS**

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Gregory Autry, of California, to be Chief Financial Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Daniel Huff, of Massachusetts,

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to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Nathan A. Simington, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

#### CROSSFIRE HURRICANE OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Crossfire Hurricane

investigation, after receiving testimony from Andrew G. McCabe, former Deputy Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice.

#### 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

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 10 a.m. on Thursday, November 12, 2020.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

#### House

Committee on Financial Services, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Oversight of Prudential Regulators: Ensuring the Safety, Soundness, Diversity, and Accountability of Depository Institutions during the Pandemic", 12 p.m., Webex.

Next Meeting of the SENATE 11 a.m., Thursday, November 12

## Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 10 a.m., Thursday, November 12

#### Senate Chamber

Program for Thursday: Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Aileen Mercedes Cannon, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 12 noon. If cloture is invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 1:45 p.m.

#### House Chamber

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



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