

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S2795–S2840*

**Measures Introduced:** Four bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4353–4356, S.J. Res. 52, and S. Res. 661–662. **Page S2814**

#### Measures Passed:

***Mental Health Awareness Month:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 662, expressing support for the designation of May 2022 as “Mental Health Awareness Month”. **Page S2839**

***Post-Katrina Emergency Management Reform Act:*** Senate passed S. 3499, to amend the Post-Katrina Emergency Management Reform Act of 2006 to repeal certain obsolete requirements. **Page S2839**

#### Measures Considered:

**Honoring Our Pact Act—Agreement:** Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 3967, to improve health care and benefits for veterans exposed to toxic substances. **Pages S2801–09**

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

By 86 yeas to 12 nays (Vote No. 215), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S2801**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill at approximately 10:00 a.m., on Wednesday, June 8, 2022, post-cloture; that all post-cloture time on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill be expired, and that if the motion to proceed is agreed to, Senator Tester, or his designee, be recognized to offer substitute Amendment No. 5051; provided further that after Senator Schumer yield the floor following Senator

Tester’s offering of his amendment and any remarks he may make, Senate resume consideration of the nomination of Lisa M. Gomez, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor; and that at 11:30 a.m., Senate vote on confirmation of the nominations of Lisa M. Gomez and Nina Morrison, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York, in the order listed. **Page S2839**

#### Appointments:

***Social Impact Partnerships:*** The Chair, pursuant to Public Law 115–123, on behalf of the Majority Leader, reappointed the following individual as a member of the Commission on Social Impact Partnerships: Carol B. Kellerman of New York. **Page S2839**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 76 yeas to 21 nays (Vote No. EX. 214), Alex Wagner, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force. **Pages S2795–S2801**

By 95 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. EX. 216), Chavonda J. Jacobs-Young, of Georgia, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Research, Education, and Economics. **Page S2809**

By 63 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. EX. 217), Kenneth L. Wainstein, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Intelligence and Analysis, Department of Homeland Security. **Page S2809**

By 54 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. EX. 218), Shalanda H. Baker, of Texas, to be Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact, Department of Energy. **Pages S2810–11**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

William J. Renick, of Mississippi, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2027.

Adam Wade White, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2027.

Richard K. Delmar, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury.

Daniel N. Rosenblum, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kazakhstan.

Kathleen Ann Kavalec, of California, to be Ambassador to Romania.

Nathaniel Fick, of Maine, to be Ambassador at Large for Cyberspace and Digital Policy.

Karla Ann Gilbride, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term of four years.

Terrence Edwards, of Maryland, to be Inspector General of the National Reconnaissance Office.

Richard E. DiZinno, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board for the remainder of the term expiring January 29, 2023.

3 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy, and Space Force. **Page S2839**

**Nomination Withdrawn:** Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Biniam Gebre, of Virginia, to be Administrator for Federal Procurement Policy, which was sent to the Senate on August 9, 2021. **Page S2840**

**Messages from the House:** **Pages S2813–14**

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**Record Votes:** Five record votes were taken today. (Total—218) **Pages S2801, S2809–10**

**Recess:** Senate convened at 10 a.m. and recessed at 6:59 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8, 2022. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2839.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### WESTERN WATER CRISIS

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* Subcommittee on Conservation, Climate, Forestry, and Natural Resources concluded a hearing to examine the western water crisis, focusing on confronting persistent drought and building resilience on our forests and farmland, after receiving testimony from Earl Lewis, Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources, Manhattan, on behalf of the Western States Water Council; Andrew Mueller, Colorado River Water Conservation District, Glenwood Springs; Courtney Schultz, Colorado State University Department of Forest and Rangeland Stewardship, Fort Collins; Tom Willis, T and O Farms, Liberal, Kansas; and Ellen Herbert, Ducks Unlimited, Inc., Memphis, Tennessee.

### APPROPRIATIONS: NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2023 for the National Guard and Reserve, after receiving testimony from General Daniel R. Hokanson, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Lieutenant General Jody J. Daniels, Chief of Army Reserve, Vice Admiral John B. Mustin, Chief of Navy Reserve, Lieutenant General David G. Bellon, Commander, Marine Forces Reserve, and Lieutenant General Richard W. Scobee, Chief of Air Force Reserve, all of the Department of Defense.

### APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2023 for the Department of Education, after receiving testimony from Miguel Cardona, Secretary of Education.

### REVIVING CONVENTIONS AND TOURISM

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Tourism, Trade, and Export Promotion concluded a hearing to examine reviving conventions and tourism through international travel, after receiving testimony from Suzanne Neufang, Global Business Travel Association, Alexandria, Virginia; Tori Emerson Barnes, U.S. Travel Association, Washington, D.C.; and Ralph Cutie, Miami International Airport, Miami, Florida.

## ENERGY AND PUBLIC LANDS LEGISLATION

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining concluded a hearing to examine S. 387, to protect, for current and future generations, the watershed, ecosystem, and cultural heritage of the Grand Canyon region in the State of Arizona, to provide for a study relating to the uranium stockpile in the United States, S. 1264, to amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to improve the management of grazing permits and leases, S. 1412, to provide for the conveyance of certain Federal land in Carson City, Nevada, S. 1750, to redesignate land within certain wilderness study areas in the State of Wyoming, S. 2254, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain streams in the greater Yellowstone ecosystem and Smith River system in the State of Montana as components of the Wild and Scenic Rivers System, S. 2568, to establish the Open Access Evapotranspiration (OpenET) Data Program, S. 2708, to provide for greater consultation between the Federal Government and the governing bodies and community users of land grant-mercedes in New Mexico, to provide for a process for recognition of the historic-traditional uses of land grant-mercedes, S. 2980, to authorize the voluntary donation of grazing permits and leases in the State of New Mexico, S. 2996, to provide for the distribution of certain outer Continental Shelf revenues to the State of Alaska, S. 3046, to codify the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to conduct certain landscape-scale forest restoration projects, S. 3129, 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. 3144, to establish the Sutton Mountain National Monument, to authorize certain land exchanges in the State of Oregon, to convey certain Bureau of Land Management land in the State of Oregon to the city of Mitchell, Oregon, and Wheeler County, Oregon, for conservation, economic, and community development purposes, S. 3269, to provide for the recognition of certain Alaska Native communities and the settlement of certain claims under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, S. 3370, to release the reversionary interest of the United States in certain non-Federal land in Salt Lake City, Utah, S. 3404, to provide the consent of Congress to an amendment to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, S. 3644, to require the collection of certain data relating to Bureau of Land Management land acquisitions, S. 3709, to require

the Secretary of Agriculture to carry out vegetation management projects and timber production projects on certain National Forest System land in the States of Montana, South Dakota, and Wyoming, S. 3997, to amend the Land Between the Lakes Protection Act of 1998 to clarify the administration of the Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area, S. 4062, to amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to authorize the sale of certain Federal land to States and units of local government to address housing shortages, S. 4080, to modify the boundary of the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument to include certain Federal land in Lake County, California, and S. 4227, to streamline the oil and gas permitting process and to recognize fee ownership for certain oil and gas drilling or spacing units, after receiving testimony from Nada Wolff Culver, Deputy Director, Policy and Programs, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Christopher French, Deputy Chief, National Forest System, Department of Agriculture, Forest Service; Jake Garfield, Utah Public Lands Policy Coordinating Office, Millcreek; Sean McKenna, Desert Research Institute, Reno, Nevada; and Jeremiah Rieman, Wyoming County Commissioners Association, Cheyenne.

## PRESIDENT'S BUDGET

*Committee on Finance:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2023, after receiving testimony from Janet L. Yellen, Secretary the Treasury.

## WORLD THREAT ASSESSMENT

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee received a closed briefing on around the world threat assessment from Brett M. Holmgren, Assistant Secretary of State for Intelligence and Research.

## NOMINATION

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Amanda Bennett, of the District of Columbia, to be Chief Executive Officer of the United States Agency for Global Media, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

## RANSOMWARE ATTACKS

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine ransomware attacks and ransom payments enabled by cryptocurrency, focusing on rising threats, after receiving testimony from Megan H. Stifel, Institute for Security and Technology, Issaquah, Washington; Bill Siegel, Coveware Inc., Westport, Connecticut; and Jacqueline Koven, Chainalysis Inc., New York, New York.

**DOMESTIC TERRORISM THREAT**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine domestic terrorism threat after the Buffalo attack, after receiving testimony from Justin E. Herdman, former United States Attorney for the Northern District of Ohio, Cleveland; Robert

A. Pape, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois; Michael German, New York University Law School Brennan Center for Justice, and Jonathan Turley, The George Washington University Law School, both of Washington, D.C.; and Garnell Whitfield, Jr., Buffalo, New York.

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# House of Representatives

## *Chamber Action*

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 25 public bills, H.R. 7951–7975; and 7 resolutions, H. Res. 1151–1157, were introduced. **Pages H5331–33**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H5334–35**

**Reports Filed:** A report was filed on June 6, 2022 as follows:

H.R. 7910, to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for an increased age limit on the purchase of certain firearms, prevent gun trafficking, modernize the prohibition on untraceable firearms, encourage the safe storage of firearms, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–346, Part 1).

**Reports were filed today as follows:**

H.R. 7776, 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, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–347);

H.R. 7667, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to revise and extend the user-fee programs for prescription drugs, medical devices, generic drugs, and biosimilar biological products, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–348);

H.R. 166, to establish an Office of Fair Lending Testing to test for compliance with the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, to strengthen the Equal Credit Opportunity Act and to provide for criminal penalties for violating such Act, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–349);

H.R. 2123, to amend the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to require regulated entities to provide information necessary for the Offices of Women and Minority Inclusion to carry out their duties, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–350);

H.R. 7003, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to permit credit unions to serve certain under-

served areas, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–351);

H.R. 7733, to amend the Community Development Banking and Financial Institutions Act of 1994 to reauthorize and improve the community development financial institutions bond guarantee program, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–352);

H.R. 3648, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the per-country numerical limitation for employment-based immigrants, to increase the per-country numerical limitation for family-sponsored immigrants, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–353);

H.R. 4330, to maintain the free flow of information to the public by establishing appropriate limits on the federally compelled disclosure of information obtained as part of engaging in journalism, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–354);

H.R. 2516, to amend the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to require Federal banking regulators to include a diversity and inclusion component in the Uniform Financial Institutions Rating System, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–355);

H. Res. 1153, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2377) to authorize the issuance of extreme risk protection orders; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 7910) to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for an increased age limit on the purchase of certain firearms, prevent gun trafficking, modernize the prohibition on untraceable firearms, encourage the safe storage of firearms, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 117–356);

H.R. 7606, to establish the Office of the Special Investigator for Competition Matters within the Department of Agriculture, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–357); and

H.R. 301, to amend title 36, United States Code, to establish the composition known as “Lift Every

Voice and Sing” as the national hymn of the United States, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–358).

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

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private calendar, the House passed H.R. 187, for the relief of Victoria Galindo Lopez.

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private calendar, the House passed H.R. 680, for the relief of Arpita Kurdekar, Girish Kurdekar, and Vandana Kurdekar.

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private calendar, the House passed H.R. 681, for the relief of Rebecca Trimble.

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private calendar, the House passed H.R. 739, for the relief of Median El-Moustrah.

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private calendar, the House passed H.R. 785, for the relief of Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso Mendoza, and Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:24 p.m. and reconvened at 3:01 p.m.

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**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**Improving Access to Workers’ Compensation for Injured Federal Workers Act:** H.R. 6087, amended, to amend chapter 81 of title 5, United States Code, to cover, for purposes of workers’ compensation under such chapter, services by physician assistants and nurse practitioners provided to injured Federal workers, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 325 yeas to 83 nays, Roll No. 233;

Pages H5242–49, H5321–22

**Bankruptcy Threshold Adjustment and Technical Corrections Act:** S. 3823, to amend title 11, United States Code, to modify the eligibility requirements for a debtor under chapter 13, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 392 yeas to 21 nays, Roll No. 234; and

Pages H5260–62, H5322–23

**Authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby:** H. Con. Res. 88, authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby.

Pages H5296–98

**Moment of Silence:** The House observed a moment of silence in remembrance of the victims of the recent shooting at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde, Texas.

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**Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed.

**PPP and Bank Fraud Enforcement Harmonization Act of 2022:** H.R. 7352, to amend the Small Business Act to extend the statute of limitation for fraud by borrowers under the Paycheck Protection Program;

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**COVID–19 EIDL Fraud Statute of Limitations Act of 2022:** H.R. 7334, to extend the statute of limitations for fraud by borrowers under certain COVID–19 economic injury disaster loan programs of the Small Business Administration;

Pages H5250–52

**Hubzone Price Evaluation Preference Clarification Act:** H.R. 5879, to amend the Small Business Act to clarify the application of the price evaluation preference for qualified HUBZone small business concerns to certain contracts;

Pages H5252–53

**Small Business Workforce Pipeline Act of 2022:** H.R. 7622, to amend the Small Business Act to include requirements relating to apprenticeship program assistance for small business development centers;

Pages H5253–55

**Supporting Small Business and Career and Technical Education Act of 2022:** H.R. 7664, to amend the Small Business Act to include requirements relating to graduates of career and technical education programs or programs of study for small business development centers and women’s business centers;

Pages H5255–56

**Women-Owned Small Business Program Transparency Act:** H.R. 7670, to amend the Small Business Act to require a report on small business concerns owned and controlled by women;

Pages H5256–58

**Strengthening Subcontracting for Small Businesses Act of 2022:** H.R. 7694, to amend the Small Business Act to modify the requirements relating to the evaluation of the subcontracting plans of certain offerors;

Pages H5258–60

**Water Resources Development Act of 2022:** H.R. 7776, amended, 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

Pages H5262–96

**Supporting American Printed Circuit Boards Act of 2022:** H.R. 7677, to provide incentives for the domestic production of printed circuit boards.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5321–22 and H5323.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 8:26 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### FEDERAL EXTREME RISK PROTECTION ORDER ACT OF 2021

*Committee on Rules:* Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”; and H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 7–4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”, and H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–46, modified by the amendment printed in the Rules Committee report, shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”, under a closed rule. The rule provides two hours of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–48 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides that the Chair shall put the question on retaining each title of the bill, as amended, in the order specified by the Chair; provides that the yeas and nays be considered as ordered on each of the questions; and provides that the Chair shall then put the question on engrossment and third reading of the text comprising those portions of the bill retained. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule directs the Clerk, in the engrossment of H.R. 7910, to make technical and conforming changes in the event a portion of the bill is not retained. The rule provides that House Resolution 1151 and House Resolution 1152 are hereby adopted. The rule provides that House Resolution 188 is amended by striking “June 10, 2022”

each place it appears and inserting “June 17, 2022”. Testimony was heard from Chairman Nadler and Representative Massie.

### CYBERSECURITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT AT VA: ADDRESSING ONGOING CHALLENGES AND MOVING FORWARD

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs:* Subcommittee on Technology Modernization held a hearing entitled “Cybersecurity and Risk Management at VA: Addressing Ongoing Challenges and Moving Forward”. Testimony was heard from Senator Rosen; Kurt Delbene, Assistant Secretary for Information and Technology and Chief Information Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs; and Michael Bowman, Director, Information Technology and Security Audits Division, Office of Inspector General, Department of Veterans Affairs.

## Joint Meetings

### EUROPEAN ENERGY SECURITY

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe:* Commission concluded a hearing to examine European energy security post-Russia, after receiving testimony from Yuriy Vitrenko, Naftogaz Ukraine; Constanze Stelzenmuller, Brookings Institution; and Benjamin Schmitt, Harvard University.

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## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D590)

H.R. 4426, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to ensure that the needs of children are considered in homeland security planning. Signed on June 6, 2022. (Public Law 117–130)

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* business meeting to consider the nominations of Michael S. Barr, of Michigan, to be a Member, and to be Vice Chairman for Supervision of the Board of Governors, and Jaime E. Lizarraga, of Virginia, and Mark Toshiro Uyeda, of California, both to be a Member, all of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 2:30 p.m., SD–538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Robin Meredith Cohn Hutcheson, of Utah, to be Administrator of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Michael Cottman Morgan, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Sean Burton, of California, to be a Member of the Board

of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, 10 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works*: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Annie Caputo, of Virginia, and Bradley R. Crowell, of Nevada, both to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, 10 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*: to hold hearings to examine the path forward on U.S.-Syria policy, focusing on strategy and accountability, 10 a.m., SD-419/VTC.

*Committee on the Judiciary*: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Carlton W. Reeves, of Mississippi, to be a Member, and to be Chair, and Laura E. Mate, of Iowa, Claire McCusker Murray, of Maryland, Luis Felipe Restrepo, of Pennsylvania, Claria Horn Boom, of Kentucky, John Gleeson, of New York, and Candice C. Wong, of the District of Columbia, each to be a Member, all of the United States Sentencing Commission, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*: to hold hearings to examine the small business workforce challenge, focusing on causes, impacts, and solutions, 2:30 p.m., SR-428A.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

## House

*Committee on Agriculture*, Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations, hearing entitled “A 2022 Review of the Farm Bill: Stakeholder Perspectives on SNAP”, 10:15 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Arts and Humanities, 9:30 a.m., Zoom.

Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, budget hearing on the United Nations, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Armed Services*, Subcommittee on Cyber, Innovative Technologies, and Information Systems, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 12 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Seapower and Projection Forces, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Military Personnel, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 3:30 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, Subcommittee on Asia, the Pacific, Central Asia, and Nonproliferation, hearing enti-

tled “Resourcing U.S. Priorities in the Indo-Pacific FY23 Budget Hearing”, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on International Development, International Organizations, and Global Corporate Social Impact, hearing entitled “The FY23 Budget Request: United Nations and International Organizations”, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 263, the “Big Cat Public Safety Act”; H.R. 3081, to make certain irrigation districts eligible for Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program pumping power, and for other purposes; H.R. 5444, the “Truth and Healing Commission on Indian Boarding School Policies Act”; H.R. 6063, to provide for the equitable settlement of certain Indian land disputes regarding land in Illinois, and for other purposes; H.R. 6181, the “Samish Indian Nation Land Reaffirmation Act”; H.R. 6337, the “Biking on Long-Distance Trails Act”; H.R. 6707, the “Advancing Equality for Wabanaki Nations Act”; H.R. 6734, the “Keep America’s Refuges Operational Act of 2022”; H.R. 7002, the “Gateway Solidarity Act”; H.R. 7025, the “Advancing Human Rights-Centered International Conservation Act of 2022”; H.R. 7075, the “Ukrainian Independence Park Act of 2022”; H.R. 7612, the “Desalination Research Advancement Act”; S. 314, the “Klamath Tribe Judgment Fund Repeal Act”; S. 559, to amend the Grand Ronde Reservation Act, and for other purposes; and S. 789, the “RESPECT Act”, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

*Committee on Oversight and Reform*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Urgent Need to Address the Gun Violence Epidemic”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Detecting and Quantifying Methane Emissions from the Oil and Gas Sector”, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Small Business*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Military to Main Street: Serving Veteran Entrepreneurship”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Highways and Transit, hearing entitled “Addressing the Roadway Safety Crisis: Building Safer Roads for All”, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The President’s Proposed Fiscal Year 2023 Budget with Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen”, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth and Webex.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Compartmented Posture Hearing”, 10 a.m., HVC-304.

*Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Pathways to Congressional Service”, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

# Résumé of Congressional Activity

## SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH 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 3 through May 31, 2022

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session .....	79	71	..
Time in session .....	478 hrs., 41'	275 hrs., 25'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings .....	2,767	5,229	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	E569	..
Public bills enacted into law .....	22	26	48
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	1	1	..
Bills through conference .....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total .....	228	214	442
Senate bills .....	52	36	..
House bills .....	37	154	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	4	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	5	2	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	3	4	..
Simple resolutions .....	126	37	..
Measures reported, total .....	*102	115	217
Senate bills .....	71	..	..
House bills .....	16	99	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	1	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
Simple resolutions .....	13	16	..
Special reports .....	3	3	..
Conference reports .....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	242	27	..
Measures introduced, total .....	1,119	1,915	3,034
Bills .....	911	1,576	..
Joint resolutions .....	15	20	..
Concurrent resolutions .....	16	28	..
Simple resolutions .....	177	291	..
Quorum calls .....	..	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes .....	212	231	..
Recorded votes .....	..	..	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoed overridden .....	..	..	..

### DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through May 31, 2022

Civilian nominees, totaling 504 (including 181 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	210
Unconfirmed .....	273
Withdrawn .....	21
Returned to White House .....	0
Other Civilian nominees, totaling 906 (including 291 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	677
Unconfirmed .....	229
Air Force nominees, totaling 4,075 (including 5 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	3,964
Unconfirmed .....	111
Army nominees, totaling 4,869 (including 1,992 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	3,750
Unconfirmed .....	1,119
Navy nominees, totaling 634 (including 1 nominee carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	179
Unconfirmed .....	455
Marine Corps nominees, totaling 422 (including 321 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	417
Unconfirmed .....	5
Space Force nominees, totaling 392 (including 2 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	392

### Summary

Total nominees carried over from the First Session .....	2,793
Total nominees received this Session .....	9,009
Total confirmed .....	9,589
Total unconfirmed .....	2,192
Total withdrawn .....	21
Total returned to the White House .....	0

\*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 65 written reports have been filed in the Senate, 118 reports have been filed in the House.



*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

10 a.m., Wednesday, June 8

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

10 a.m., Wednesday, June 8

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Senate will continue consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 3967, Honoring our PACT Act, post-cloture.

At 11:30 a.m., Senate will vote on confirmation of the nominations of Lisa M. Gomez, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, and Nina Morrison, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York.

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Consideration of H.R. 7910—Protecting Our Kids Act (Subject to a Rule).

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