

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

House and Senate met in a Joint Meeting to receive His Excellency Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S9711–S10059

Measures Introduced: Twenty-five bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 5330–5354, S.J. Res. 70, and S. Res. 876–877.

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Measures Reported:

Report to accompany S. 3168, to amend the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to modify the enforceability date for certain provisions. (S. Rept. No. 117–285)

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Measures Passed:

Justice for Victims of War Crimes Act: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 4240, to amend section 2441 of title 18, United States Code, to broaden the scope of individuals subject to prosecution for war crimes, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Durbin Amendment No. 6590, in the nature of a substitute.

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Martha Wright-Reed Just and Reasonable Communications Act: Senate passed S. 1541, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to require the Federal Communications Commission to ensure just and reasonable charges for telephone and advanced communications services in correctional and detention facilities, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Low Power Protection Act: Senate passed S. 3405, to require the Federal Communications Commission to issue a rule providing that certain low power television stations may be accorded primary status as Class A television licensees, after agreeing to the committee amendment.

Pages S9724–26

Agua Caliente Land Exchange Fee to Trust Confirmation Act: Committee on Indian Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 897, to take certain lands in California into trust for the benefit of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, and the bill was then passed.

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Katimiin and Aameekyáaraam Sacred Lands Act: Committee on Indian Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 4439, to take certain Federal land located in Siskiyou County, California, and Humboldt County, California, into trust for the benefit of the Karuk Tribe, and the bill was then passed.

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Great Dismal Swamp National Heritage Area Act: Committee on Environment and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 1154, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to assess the suitability and feasibility of designating certain land as the Great Dismal Swamp National Heritage Area, and the bill was then passed.

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Private relief bill: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 680, for the relief of Arpita Kurdekar, Girish Kurdekar, and Vandana Kurdekar, and the bill was then passed.

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Partnership between the United States and the Dominican Republic: Senate agreed to S. Res. 472, reaffirming the partnership between the United States and the Dominican Republic and advancing opportunities to deepen diplomatic, economic, and security cooperation between the two nations, after withdrawing the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages S9753–55

Durbin (for Menendez) Amendment No. 6614, in the nature of a substitute.

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Printing authorization: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 82, authorizing the printing of a revised and updated version of the House document entitled “Black Americans in Congress, 1870–1989”, and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Coastal Zone Management Act 50th anniversary: Senate agreed to S. Res. 876, commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, commonly known as the “Coastal Zone Management Act”.

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Orbital Sustainability Act: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was discharged from further consideration of S. 4814, to establish a demonstration program for the active remediation of orbital debris and to require the development of uniform orbital debris standard practices in order to support a safe and sustainable orbital environment, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Baldwin (for Hickenlooper) Amendment No. 6619, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S9759–60**

House Messages:

Performance Enhancement Reform Act: Senate continued consideration of the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate No. 4 to H.R. 2617, to amend section 1115 of title 31, United States Code, to amend the description of how performance goals are achieved, taking action on the following amendments and motions proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Schumer motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate No. 4 to the bill, with Schumer (for Leahy) Amendment No. 6552, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S9719**

Schumer Amendment No. 6571 (to Amendment No. 6552), to add an effective date. **Page S9719**

Schumer motion to refer the message of the House on the bill to the Committee on Appropriations, with instructions, Schumer Amendment No. 6572, to add an effective date. **Page S9719**

Schumer Amendment No. 6573 (to the instructions (Amendment No. 6572) of the motion to refer), to modify the effective date. **Page S9719**

Schumer Amendment No. 6574 (to Amendment No. 6573), to modify the effective date. **Page S9719**

A motion was entered to close further debate on Schumer motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate No. 4 to the bill, with Schumer (for Leahy) Amendment No. 6552 (listed above), and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the

Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Friday, December 23, 2022.

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Certificate of Election for Senator Padilla: The Chair laid before the Senate the certificate of election of Senator Alex Padilla, of California, to fill the unexpired term ending at 12 noon, on January 3, 2023, created by the resignation of former Senator Kamala D. Harris, of California, and the oath of office was administered as required by the Constitution and prescribed by law.

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Escort Committee—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the President of the Senate be authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort His Excellency Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine, into the House Chamber for the Joint Meeting on Wednesday, December 21, 2022.

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Parker Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at approximately 8 a.m., on Thursday, December 22, 2022, Senate begin consideration of the nomination of Franklin R. Parker, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and vote on confirmation of the nomination, as under the previous order of Tuesday, December 20, 2022.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 93 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. EX. 404), Lynne M. Tracy, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Russian Federation.

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By 68 yeas to 26 nays (Vote No. EX. 405), Agnes Schaefer, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

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Howard A. Van Vranken, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Botswana.

Jainey Kumar Bavishi, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Sara C. Bronin, of Connecticut, to be Chairman of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation for a term expiring January 19, 2025.

L. Michelle Moore, of Georgia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2026.

Robert P. Klein, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2026.

Beth Pritchard Geer, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2026.

Evelyn Wang, of Massachusetts, to be Director of the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy, Department of Energy.

Alexis Taylor, of Iowa, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Trade and Foreign Agricultural Affairs.

Joey R. Hood, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia.

Sue Ellen Moore, of Washington, to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission for a term expiring May 13, 2023.

Andrew J. Read, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission for a term expiring May 13, 2025.

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.

Joe H. Ritch, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2025.

Richard L. Revesz, of New York, to be Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—405) Pages S9718, S9756

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, December 21, 2022 and adjourned at 2:01 a.m. on Thursday, December 22, 2022, until 8 a.m. on the same day. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10059.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 9640–9669; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 105, were introduced. Pages H9982–83

Additional Cosponsors: Page H9984

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 8770, to modify certain notice requirements, to study certain election requirements, to clarify certain election requirements, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–654, Part 1);

H.R. 3816, to provide that certain discriminatory conduct by covered platforms shall be unlawful, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–655);

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress. Recommendations to Foster Collaboration and Civility in Congress, to Modernize the Congressional Support Agencies, and to Encourage Evidence-Based Policymaking (H. Rept. 117–656);

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress. Recommendations to Strengthen Congressional

Oversight Capacity, Improve District Operations, Modernize Congressional Office Operations, Modernize the Legislative Process, and Examine Congressional Continuity (H. Rept. 117–657);

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress. Recommendations to Improve Constituent Engagement and Constituent Services, Bolster House Technology, and Support Congressional Operations (H. Rept. 117–658);

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress. Recommendations on Improving Congressional Operations, Pathways to Congressional Service, and the Future of Congressional Modernization (H. Rept. 117–659);

H. Res. 1529, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 9640) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for examination and disclosure with respect to Presidential income tax returns; providing for consideration of the bill (S. 1942) to standardize the designation of National Heritage Areas, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 117–660); and

Committee on Small Business. Report on the Activities of the Committee on Small Business 117th Congress (H. Rept. 117–661). **Page H9982**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Moore (WI) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H9913**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:57 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H9921**

Order of Business: Agreed by unanimous consent that it may be in order at any time today, for the Speaker to declare a recess, subject to the call of the Chair, for the purpose of receiving in joint meeting His Excellency Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine. **Page H9921**

Speaker Pro Tempore Designation: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative DeLauro to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through the remainder of the One Hundred Seventeenth Congress. **Pages H9921–22**

Congressional Award Board—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following individual on the part of the House to the Congressional Award Board: Mrs. Cheri Bustos of Galena, Illinois. **Page H9922**

Commission to Study the Potential Creation of a National Museum of Asian Pacific American History and Culture—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following individuals on the part of the House to the Commission to Study the Potential Creation of a National Museum of Asian Pacific American History and Culture: Dr. Jay Jie Xu of San Francisco, California, and Mr. Dennis Cheng of New York, New York. **Page H9922**

Independent Mexico Labor Expert Board—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following individual on the part of the House to the Independent Mexico Labor Expert Board, to fill the existing vacancy thereon: Mr. Rudy Ernesto Gonzalez of Oakland, California. **Page H9922**

Recess: The House recessed at 5:20 p.m. for the purpose of receiving His Excellency Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine. The House reconvened at 8:35 p.m., and agreed that the proceedings had during the Joint Meeting be printed in the Record. **Pages H9969–71**

Presidential Tax Filings and Audit Transparency Act and National Heritage Area Act—Rule for Consideration: The House agreed to H. Res. 1529, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 9640) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for examination and disclosure with respect to

Presidential income tax returns; providing for consideration of the bill (S. 1942) to standardize the designation of National Heritage Areas, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 216 yeas to 193 nays, Roll No. 531, after the previous question was ordered without objection. Pursuant to H. Res. 1529, House Resolution 693 was considered adopted. Pursuant to H. Res. 1529, House Resolution 1434 was considered adopted. **Pages H9968–69, H9972–73**

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

Equal Pay for Team USA Act: S. 2333, to amend chapter 2205 of title 36, United States Code, to ensure equal treatment of athletes, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 350 yeas to 59 nays, Roll No. 532; **Pages H9923–25, H9974–75**

Energy Security and Lightering Independence Act: S. 5168, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to include aliens passing in transit through the United States to board a vessel on which the alien will perform ship-to-ship liquid cargo transfer operations within a class of non-immigrant aliens, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 394 yeas to 19 nays, Roll No. 533; **Pages H9925–27, H9975–76**

Respect for Child Survivors Act: S. 4926, to amend chapter 33 of title 28, United States Code, to require appropriate use of multidisciplinary teams for investigations of child sexual exploitation or abuse, the production of child sexual abuse material, or child trafficking conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 385 yeas to 28 nays, Roll No. 534; **Pages H9927–31, H9976–77**

Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley Congressional Gold Medal Act: S. 450, to award posthumously the Congressional Gold Medal to Emmett Till and Mamie Till-Mobley; **Pages H9931–33**

Designating the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5302 Galveston Road in Houston, Texas, as the “Vanessa Guillen Post Office Building”: S. 4411, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5302 Galveston Road in Houston, Texas, as the “Vanessa Guillen Post Office Building”; **Pages H9933–34**

Dr. Joanne Smith Memorial Rehabilitation Innovation Centers Act: S. 2834, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to preserve access to rehabilitation innovation centers under the Medicare program, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 393 yeas to 19 nays, Roll No. 535; **Pages H9934–36, H9977–78**

Hazard Eligibility and Local Projects Act: Concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 1917, to modify eligibility requirements for certain hazard mitigation assistance programs, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 393 yeas to 19 nays, Roll No. 536;

Pages H9936–37, H9978–79

Amending the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to modify the enforceability date for certain provisions: S. 3168, to amend the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to modify the enforceability date for certain provisions, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 378 yeas to 33 nays, Roll No. 537;

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Colorado River Indian Tribes Water Resiliency Act: S. 3308, to authorize the Colorado River Indian Tribes to enter into lease or exchange agreements and storage agreements relating to water of the Colorado River allocated to the Colorado River Indian Tribes, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 397 yeas to 12 nays, Roll No. 538;

Pages H9939–41, H9980–81

Don Young Recognition Act: S. 5066, to designate Mount Young in the State of Alaska;

Pages H9952–54

Amending the Bill Emerson Good Samaritan Food Donation Act: S. 5329, to amend the Bill Emerson Good Samaritan Food Donation Act to improve the program; and

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Colonel Mary Louise Rasmuson Campus of the Alaska VA Healthcare System Act: S. 5016, to designate the medical center of the Department of Veterans Affairs located in Anchorage, Alaska, as the “Colonel Mary Louise Rasmuson Campus of the Alaska VA Healthcare System”.

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

Authorizing the leases of up to 99 years for land held in trust for the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation: S. 3773, to authorize the leases of up to 99 years for land held in trust for the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation;

Pages H9941–42

Hualapai Tribe Water Rights Settlement Act: S. 4104, to approve the settlement of water rights claims of the Hualapai Tribe and certain allottees in the State of Arizona, to authorize construction of a water project relating to those water rights claims;

Pages H9942–52

Amending the Not Invisible Act: S. 5087, to amend the Not Invisible Act of 2019 to extend, and provide additional support for, the activities of the Department of the Interior and the Department of

Justice Joint Commission on Reducing Violent Crime Against Indians;

Pages H9954–55

Native American Language Resource Center Act: S. 989, to establish a Native American language resource center in furtherance of the policy set forth in the Native American Languages Act;

Pages H9955–56

Durbin Feeling Native American Languages Act: S. 1402, to amend the Native American Languages Act to ensure the survival and continuing vitality of Native American languages; and

Pages H9956–58

Student Veteran Emergency Relief Act: Concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 7939, to make permanent certain educational assistance benefits under the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs in the case of changes to courses of education by reason of emergency situations.

Pages H9961–68

Senate Referrals: S. 1294 was held at the desk. S. 1324 was held at the desk. S. 1942 was held at the desk. S. 3519 was held at the desk. S. 3773 was held at the desk. S. 3946 was held at the desk. S. 3949 was held at the desk. S. 4120 was held at the desk. S. 4240 was held at the desk. S. 4859 was held at the desk. S. 5323 was held at the desk. S. 5328 was held at the desk. S. 5329 was held at the desk. S. 365 was held at the desk. S. 989 was held at the desk. S. 1402 was held at the desk. S. 3168 was held at the desk. S. 3308 was held at the desk. S. 3388 was held at the desk. S. 4104 was held at the desk. S. 4411 was held at the desk. S. 4719 was held at the desk. S. 4949 was held at the desk. S. 4978 was held at the desk. S. 5087 was held at the desk.

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Senate Messages: Message from the Senate today and message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on pages H9914 and H9922.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Eight yeas-and-nays votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H9972–73, H9974–75, H9975–76, H9976–77, H9977–78, H9978–79, H9979–80, and H9980–81.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 p.m. and adjourned at 11:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PRESIDENTIAL TAX FILING AND AUDIT TRANSPARENCY ACT OF 2022; NATIONAL HERITAGE AREA ACT

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 9640, the “Presidential Tax Filing and Audit

Transparency Act of 2022”; and S. 1942, the “National Heritage Area Act”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 8–3, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 9460, the “Presidential Tax Filing and Audit Transparency Act of 2022”, and S. 1942, the “National Heritage Area Act”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 9640, the “Presidential Tax Filings and Audit Transparency Act of 2022”, 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 Ways and Means or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides for consideration of S. 1942, the “National Heritage Area Act”, 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 Natural Resources or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule provides one motion to commit. The rule provides that House Resolution 693 is hereby adopted. The rule provides that House Resolution 1434 is hereby adopted. The rule provides that at any time through the legislative day of December 23, 2022, the Speaker may entertain motions offered by the Majority Leader or a designee that the House suspend the rules with respect to multiple measures that were the object of motions to suspend the rules on the legislative day of December 21, December 22, or December 23, 2022, on which the yeas and nays were ordered and further proceedings postponed. The Chair shall put the question on any such motion without debate or intervening motion, and the ordering of the yeas and nays on postponed motions to suspend the rules with respect to such measures is vacated. Section 6 of the rule provides that on any legislative day of the second session of the One Hundred Seventeenth Congress after December 22, 2022, the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day shall be considered as approved. For the duration of the period addressed by section 6: the Speaker may appoint Members to perform the duties of the Chair; and each day shall not constitute a calendar day for the purposes of section 7 of the War Powers Resolution, a legislative day for purposes of clause 7 of rule XIII, or a calendar or legislative day for purposes of clause 7(c)(1) of rule XXII. Testimony was heard from Representatives Tonko, Westerman, Chu, and Smith of Nebraska.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1248)

H.R. 6722, to designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic in French Camp, California, as the “Richard A. Pittman VA Clinic”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–235)

H.R. 6863, to designate the medical center of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Memphis, Tennessee, as the “Lt. Col. Luke Weathers, Jr. VA Medical Center”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–236)

H.R. 7903, to designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic located in Canton, Michigan, as the “Major General Oliver W. Dillard VA Clinic”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–237)

H.R. 7925, to designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community-based outpatient clinic located in Palm Desert, California, as the “Sy Kaplan VA Clinic”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–238)

S. 3825, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3903 Melear Drive in Arlington, Texas, as the “Ron Wright Post Office Building”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–239)

S. 4017, to designate the United States courthouse located at 111 South Highland Avenue in Jackson, Tennessee, as the “James D. Todd United States Courthouse”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–240)

S. 4052, to reauthorize a program for early detection, diagnosis, and treatment regarding deaf and hard-of-hearing newborns, infants, and young children. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–241)

S. 5060, to redesignate the Federal building located at 212 Third Avenue South in Minneapolis, Minnesota, as the “Paul D. Wellstone Federal Building”. Signed on December 20, 2022. (Public Law 117–242)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

8 a.m., Thursday, December 22

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Thursday, December 22

Senate Chamber

Program for Thursday: Senate will begin consideration of the nomination of Franklin R. Parker, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and vote on confirmation of the nomination at approximately 8 a.m.

House Chamber

Program for Thursday: To be announced.

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