

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S837–S858

Measures Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 3796. **Page S856**

Measures Considered:

RELIEVE Act—Agreement: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 815, to amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements relating to the eligibility of veterans to receive reimbursement for emergency treatment furnished through the Veterans Community Care program, taking action on the following motion and amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S838–56**

Pending:

Schumer (for Murray) Amendment No. 1388, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S838**

Schumer Amendment No. 1577 (to Amendment No. 1388), to add an effective date. **Page S838**

Schumer Amendment No. 1578 (to Amendment No. 1577), to add an effective date. **Page S838**

Schumer Amendment No. 1579 (to the language proposed to be stricken by Amendment No. 1388), to add an effective date. **Page S838**

Schumer Amendment No. 1580 (to Amendment No. 1579), to add an effective date. **Page S838**

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

By 67 yeas to 27 nays (Vote No. 44), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on Schumer (for Murray) Amendment No. 1388 (listed above). **Page S842**

Schumer motion to commit the bill to the Committee on Veterans Affairs, with instructions to report back forthwith Schumer Amendment No. 1581, to add an effective date, fell when cloture was invoked on Schumer (for Murray) Amendment No. 1388 (listed above). (By 40 yeas to 53 nays (Vote

No. 43), Senate earlier failed to table the motion to commit.) **Pages S841–42**

Schumer Amendment No. 1582 (the instructions (Amendment No. 1581) of the motion to commit), to add an effective date, fell when Schumer motion to commit the bill to the Committee on Veterans Affairs, with instructions to report back forthwith Schumer Amendment No. 1581 (listed above) fell. **Page S842**

Schumer Amendment No. 1583 (to Amendment No. 1582), to add an effective date, fell when Schumer Amendment No. 1582 (the instructions (Amendment No. 1581) of the motion to commit) (listed above) fell. **Page S842**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 12 noon, on Monday, February 12, 2024; and that all time during adjournment, recess, morning business, and Leader remarks count post-cloture on Schumer (for Murray) Amendment No. 1388 (listed above). **Page S858**

Additional Cosponsors: **Page S856**

Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

Additional Statements:

Amendments Submitted: **Pages S856–58**

Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—44) **Pages S841–42**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 12 noon and adjourned at 7:50 p.m., until 12 noon on Monday, February 12, 2024. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S858.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

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The House was not in session. The House will meet at 12 p.m. on Tuesday, February 13, 2024.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2024

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

12 noon, Monday, February 12

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12 noon, Tuesday, February 13

Senate Chamber

Program for Monday: Senate will continue consideration of H.R. 815, RELIEVE Act (the legislative vehicle for the National Security Act).

Senators should expect a live quorum at 12 noon.

Additional roll call votes are expected during Monday's session.

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Consideration of measures under suspension of the Rules.



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