

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S7107–S7117

Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3003–3007, and S. Res. 450. **Pages S7115–16**

Measures Reported:

S. 320, to authorize the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 119–74)

S. 1442, to amend title 49, United States Code, to allow for eligibility for projects for the installation of human trafficking awareness signs at rest stops, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 119–75)

S. 550, to provide for the equitable settlement of certain Indian land disputes regarding land in Illinois. (S. Rept. No. 119–76)

S. 621, to accept the request to revoke the charter of incorporation of the Lower Sioux Indian Community in the State of Minnesota at the request of that Community. (S. Rept. No. 119–77)

S. 622, to amend the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Reservation Restoration Act to provide for the transfer of additional Federal land to the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe. (S. Rept. No. 119–78)

S. 748, to reaffirm the applicability of the Indian Reorganization Act to the Lytton Rancheria of California. (S. Rept. No. 119–79)

S. 190, to enhance the operations of the North Pacific Research Board, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 119–80)

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Measures Considered:

Continuing Appropriations and Extensions Act—Cloture: Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 5371, making continuing appropriations and extensions for fiscal year 2026. **Pages S7107–13**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII

of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Thursday, October 16, 2025.

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

By 49 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 571), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S7113**

Senator Thune entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which cloture was not invoked on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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Subsequently, the motion to proceed was withdrawn. **Page S7113**

Department of Defense Appropriations Act—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 4016, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Harold D. Mooty III, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama. **Pages S7113–14**

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

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session to consider the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S7113**

Mooty Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Harold D. Mooty III, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama. **Page S7113**

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, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R.

5371, making continuing appropriations and extensions for fiscal year 2026. **Page S7113**

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 S7113**

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Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:
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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—571) **Page S7113**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:31 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 15, 2025. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7117.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 5745–5763; and 8 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 57; and H. Res. 804–810, were introduced. **Pages H4536–37**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H4537–38**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 5242, to repeal the Second Chance Amendment Act of 2022 and the Incarceration Reduction Amendment Act of 2016, with an amendment (H. Rept. 119–341); and

H.R. 5163, to prohibit camping on public property in the District of Columbia, with an amendment (H. Rept. 119–342). **Pages H4535–36**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Smith (NE) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4535**

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 2:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2025

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of October 15 through October 17, 2025

Senate Chamber

On *Wednesday*, Senate will be in a period of morning business. Senators should expect a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 5371, making continuing appropriations and extensions for fiscal year 2026, upon reconsideration, at approximately 2:15 p.m. Additional roll call votes are possible during Wednesday's session of the Senate.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on the Judiciary: October 16, business meeting to consider the nominations of Robert P. Chamberlin, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Mississippi, James D. Maxwell II, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Mississippi, Thomas Albus, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri for the term of four years, James Kruger, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of Mississippi for the term of four years, Scott

Leary, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi for the term of four years, and Adam Mildred, of Indiana, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Indiana for the term of four years, 10:15 a.m., SH-216.

House Committees

No hearings scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Wednesday, October 15

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Senate will be in a period of morning business. Senators should expect a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 5371, making continuing appropriations and extensions for fiscal year 2026, upon reconsideration, at approximately 2:15 p.m. Additional roll call votes are possible during Wednesday's session of the Senate.

(Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

2 p.m., Friday, October 17

House Chamber

Program for Friday: House will meet in Pro Forma session at 2 p.m.

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