Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

(Legislative Days of December 4, 2025 and December 8, 2025)

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3381–3388, and S. Res. 533–536.

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Measures Passed:

Congratulating the Las Vegas Aces: Senate agreed to S. Res. 535, commending and congratulating the Las Vegas Aces professional basketball team on winning the 2025 Women's National Basketball Association championship.

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World Nuclear Energy Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 536, designating December 2, 2025, as "World Nuclear Energy Day". Page S8533

Scam Compound Accountability and Mobilization Act: Senate passed S. 2950, to require the Secretary of State and relevant executive branch agencies to address international scam compounds defrauding people in the United States, to hold significant transnational criminal organizations accountable, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Measures Considered:

En Bloc Consideration of Certain Nominations—Cloture: Senate began consideration S. Res. 532, authorizing the en bloc consideration in Executive Session of certain nominations on the Executive Calendar.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the resolution, 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 James D. Maxwell II, of Mississippi, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Mississippi.

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

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the resolution. Page S8522

Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2026: 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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Appointments:

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 94–304, as amended by Public Law 99–7, appointed the following Senator as a member of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe (Helsinki Commission) during the 119th Congress: Senator Gallego vice Senator Smith.

United States Commission on International Religious Freedom: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, upon the recommendation of the Democratic Leader, pursuant to Public Law 105–292, as amended by Public Law 106–55, Public Law 107–228, and Public Law 112–75, appointed the following individual to the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom: Rachel K. Laser of the District of Columbia vice Ariela Ruth Dubler of New York.

Chamberlin Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Robert P. Chamberlin, of Mississippi, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Mississippi.

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

By 52 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 635), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, December 9, 2025, notwithstanding Rule XXII, Senate continue consideration of the nomination, post-cloture, and vote on confirmation of the nomination at 11:45 a.m.; and that if cloture is invoked on the nomination of William J. Crain, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern

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District of Louisiana, Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination at 2:15 p.m. Pages S8547–48

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—635)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:46 p.m., and reconvened at 6:48 p.m.,

on the same day, and adjourned at 6:50 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, December 9, 2025. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on pages \$8547–48.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Michael Graham, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board, Jared Isaacman, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Admiral Kevin Lunday to be Commandant of the United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, and Ryan McCormack, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Transportation for Policy.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House will meet at 12 p.m. on Tuesday, December 9, 2025.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1204)

S.J. Res. 80, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Bureau of Land Management relating to "National Petroleum Reserve in Alaska Integrated Activity Plan Record of Decision". Signed on December 5, 2025. (Public Law 119–47)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2025

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine a review of the activities and fiscal year 2026 funding priorities of the Office of the United States Trade Representative, 4:30 p.m., SD–138.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, to hold hearings to examine S. 290, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to upgrade existing emergency communications centers in units of the National Park System to Next Generation 9-1-1 systems, S. 332, to require a study on Holocaust education efforts of States, local educational agencies, and public elementary and secondary schools, S. 446, to prohibit Big Cypress National Preserve from being designated as wilderness or as a component of the National Wilderness Preservation System, S. 573, to designate a mountain in the State of Alaska as Denali, S. 601, to remove restrictions from a parcel of land in Paducah, Kentucky, S. 730, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to assess the suitability and feasibility of establishing the African Burial Ground International Memorial Museum and Educational Center at the African Burial Ground National Monument, S. 791, to establish the Justice Thurgood Marshall National Historic Site in the State of Maryland as an affiliated area of the National Park System, H.R.

186, and S. 858, bills to authorize the National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation to establish a commemorative work on the National Mall to honor the extraordinary acts of valor, selfless service, and sacrifice displayed by Medal of Honor recipients, S. 1088, to provide that the memorial to commemorate the sacrifice and service of the women who worked on the home front to support the efforts of the United States military during World War II may be located on the National Mall, S. 1131, to establish the Ocmulgee Mounds National Park and Preserve in the State of Georgia, S. 1135, to amend the National Trails System Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study on the feasibility of designating the Bonneville Shoreline Trail, S. 1280, to designate six creeks in North Carolina in honor of the lives lost in a plane crash in Carteret County, North Carolina, on February 13, 2022, S. 1353, to extend the authority for modifications to the Second Division Memorial in the District of Columbia, S. 1377, to ensure the maintenance of a herd of horses in Theodore Roosevelt National Park, S. 1518, to redesignate the Saratoga National Historical Park as the "Saratoga National Battlefield Park", S. 1777, to amend the California Desert Protection Act of 1994 to expand the boundary of Joshua Tree National Park, to redesignate the Cottonwood Visitor Center at Joshua Tree National Park as the "Dianne Feinstein Visitor Center", S. 1870, to adjust the boundary of the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area to include the Rim of the Valley Corridor, S. 1926, to encourage reduction of disposable plastic products in units of the National Park System, S. 2270, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate the portion of the Myakka River in Sarasota County, Florida, as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, S. 2308, to amend the Federal Land Recreation Enhancement Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to collect a surcharge from international visitors to units of the National Park System, S. 2369, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to remove or permanently conceal the name of Francis Newlands on the grounds of the memorial fountain located at Chevy Chase Circle in the District of Columbia, S. 2385, to codify Executive Order 14253 relating to restoring truth and sanity to American history, S. 2546, to provide for an extension of the legislative authority of the National Emergency Medical Services Memorial Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs, S. 2708, to enhance the preservation, maintenance, and management of national historic trails and national scenic trails, S. 2970, to authorize the use of off-highway vehicles in certain areas of the Capitol Reef National Park, Utah, and H.R. 249, to redesignate certain facilities at Paterson Great Falls National Historical Park in honor of Congressman Bill Pascrell, Jr, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Subcommittee on Education and the American Family, to hold hearings to examine building pathways, focusing on advancing workforce development in the 21st century, 2 p.m., SD-430.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine protecting children online against offenders, 10:15 a.m., SH-216.

Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine balancing the interests of local radio, songwriters, and performers in the digital age, 3 p.m., SD–226.

United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control: to hold hearings to examine Chinese organized crime in Latin America, 2 p.m., SD-215.

House

Committee on Rules, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 3638, the "Electric Supply Chain Act"; H.R. 3628, the "State Planning for Reliability & Affordability Act"; H.R. 3383, the "Increasing Investor Opportunities Act"; H.R. 3668, the "Improving Interagency Coordination for Pipeline Reviews Act"; H.R. 3898, the "PERMIT Act" [Rule Markup Only]; and S. 1071, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to disinter the remains of Fernando V. Cota from Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, Texas, and for other purposes [National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2026], 4 p.m., H–313 Capitol.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of December 9 through December 12, 2025

Senate Chamber

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

Senate Committees

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hold hearings to examine a review of the activities and fiscal year 2026 funding priorities of the Office of the United States Trade Representative, 4:30 p.m., SD–138.

Committee on Armed Services: December 11, to hold hearings to examine the Administration's deployment of the National Guard across the United States, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

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Committee on Environment and Public Works: December 10, business meeting to consider the nominations of Lee Beaman, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2030, and Douglas Weaver, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 30, 2026, 10 a.m., SD–562.

Committee on Foreign Relations: December 10, to hold hearings to examine arms race, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

December 10, Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health Policy, to hold hearings to examine maritime security in Africa, focusing on assessing threats to United States commercial diplomacy and national security interests, 2:30 p.m., SD–419.

December 11, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Frank Weiland, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs), 10:30 a.m., SD–419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: December 9, Subcommittee on Education and the American Family, to hold hearings to examine building pathways, focusing on advancing workforce development in the 21st century, 2 p.m., SD–430.

December 10, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the future of retirement, 10 a.m., SD-430.

December 11, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the future of the U.S. organ procurement and transplantation network, 10 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: December 10, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold hearings to examine defining our healthcare problem, and principles we should follow to solve it, 2 p.m., SD–342.

December 11, Full Committee, to hold oversight hearings to examine the Federal Reserve's big bank welfare program, focusing on the IORB regime, 10 a.m., SD–342.

Committee on the Judiciary: December 9, to hold hearings to examine protecting children online against offenders, 10:15 a.m., SH–216.

December 9, Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine balancing the interests of local radio, songwriters, and performers in the digital age, 3 p.m., SD–226.

December 11, Full Committee, business meeting to consider the nominations of David Clay Fowlkes, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas, Nicholas Jon Ganjei, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, Aaron Christian Peterson, to be United States District Judge for the District of Alaska, Andrew Benson, to be United States Attorney for the District of Maine, William Boyle, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina, Richard Price, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, Darin Smith, to be United States Attorney for the District of Wyoming, 10:15 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Rules and Administration: December 11, business meeting to consider S. Res. 526, withholding the pay of Senators if a Government shutdown occurs, 10:30 a.m., SR-301.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: December 10, to hold hearings to examine running government like a small business, focusing on waste and fraud, 2:30 p.m., SR–428A.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: December 10, to hold hearings to examine S. 342, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize an individual who is awarded the Purple Heart for service in the Armed Forces to transfer unused Post-9/11 Educational Assistance to a family member, S. 668, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish the Office of Falls Prevention of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 926, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a program to furnish to certain veterans items used for the secure storage of firearms, S. 1116, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the provision of certain additional burial benefits for individuals for whom an urn or plaque is furnished, S. 1657, to amend title 38, United States Code, to limit the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to deny the claim of a veteran for benefits under the laws administered by such Secretary on the sole basis that such veteran failed to appear for a medical examination associated with such claim, S. 1665, to amend title 38, United States Code, to ensure veterans of secrecy oath programs receive the full benefits they have earned, S. 1868, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand access by veterans to critical access hospitals and affiliated clinics under the Veterans Community Care Program, S. 1992, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the efficiency of adjudications and appeals of claims for benefits under laws administered by Secretary of Veterans Affairs, S. 2061, to require the Interagency Working Group on Toxic Exposure to conduct research on the diagnosis and treatment of health conditions of descendants of individuals exposed to toxic substances while serving as members of the Armed Forces, S. 2220, to expand presumptions of

exposure by members of the Armed Forces to toxic substances, S. 2264, to improve the emergency management capabilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 2309, to direct a physician or nurse practitioner employed by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to certify the death of a veteran not later than 48 hours after such physician or nurse practitioner learns of such death, S. 2328, to authorize the use of veterans educational assistance for examinations and assessments to receive credit toward degrees awarded by institutions of higher learning, S. 2333, to require the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to permit supplementation of health records of deceased veterans, S. 2397, to require implementation by the Under Secretary for Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs of certain recommendations relating to the provision of health care through community care providers, S. 2683, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish in the Department of Veterans Affairs a Veterans Scam and Fraud Evasion Officer, and S. 2737, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to implement a pilot program to furnish hyperbaric oxygen therapy to certain veterans through community care providers, 4 p.m., SR-418.

Select Committee on Intelligence: December 10, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 3 p.m., SH-219.

Special Committee on Aging: December 10, to hold hearings to examine aging with purpose, focusing on the positive impact of seniors in today's economy, 3:30 p.m., SH–216.

United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control: December 9, to hold hearings to examine Chinese organized crime in Latin America, 2 p.m., SD-215.

House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, December 10, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Member Day", 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth

December 11, Full Committee, hearing entitled "CFTC Reauthorization: Stakeholder Perspectives", 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Education and Workforce, December 10, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development, hearing entitled "Building A Talent Market-place: How LERs Empower Workers and Expand Opportunity", 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, December 10, Subcommittee on Environment, markup on H.R. 6409, the "Foreign Emissions and Nonattainment Clarification for Economic Stability"; H.R. 4218, the "Clean Air and Economic Advancement Reform Act"; H.R. 6387, the "Fire Improvement and Reforming Exceptional Events Act"; H.R. 4214, the "Clean Air and Building Infrastructure Improvement Act"; H.R. 161, the "New Source Review Permitting Improvement Act"; H.R. 6373, the "Air Permitting Improvements to Protect National Security Act"; and H.R. 6398, the "Reducing and Eliminating Duplicative Environmental Regulations Act", 10:15 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

December 12, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Member Day", 9 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, December 10, Full Committee, hearing entitled "From Principles to Policy: Enabling 21st Century AI Innovation in Financial Services", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

December 11, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, hearing entitled "Right-Sizing the U.S. Bank Capital Framework: A Return to Tailoring, Economic Growth, and Competitiveness", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, December 10, Middle East and North Africa Subcommittee, hearing entitled "Understanding Judea and Samaria: Historical, Strategic, and Political Dynamics in U.S.-Israel Relations", 10:10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

December 10, South and Central Asia Subcommittee, hearing entitled "The U.S. India Strategic Partnership: Securing a Free and Open Indo-Pacific", 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

December 11, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Member Day", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

December 11, Africa Subcommittee, hearing entitled "Stopping the Bloodshed: U.S. Response to Crimes Against Humanity in Sudan", 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Homeland Security, December 11, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Worldwide Threats to the Homeland", 10 a.m., 310 Cannon.

Committee on House Administration, December 10, Sub-committee on Elections, hearing entitled "Examining Potential Updates to the NVRA", 2 p.m., 1310 Longworth.

Committee on the Judiciary, December 10, Subcommittee on Oversight; and Subcommittee on the Administrative State, Regulatory Reform, and Antitrust, joint hearing entitled "Fighting Obamacare Subsidy Fraud: Is the Administrative Procedure Act Working as Intended?", 2 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

December 11, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Oversight of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act", 9 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, December 10, Sub-committee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Abuse of the Equal Access to Justice Act by Environmental NGOs", 10:15 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

December 11, Subcommittee on Indian and Insular Affairs, hearing entitled "Modernizing the Implementation of 638 Contracting at the Indian Health Service", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

December 11, Subcommittee on Federal Lands, hearing on H.R. 3924, the "Wildfire Risk Evaluation Act"; H.R. 5095, the "HOMEFRONT Act of 2025"; H.R. 5419, the "Enhancing Administrative Reviews for Broadband

Deployment Act"; H.R. 5729, the "North Rim Restoration Act of 2025"; H.R. 6365, the "Wintergreen Emergency Egress Act"; H.R. 6380, the "Chiricahua National Park Act"; and legislation on the American Products in Parks Act", 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, December 10, Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Energy Policy, and Regulatory Affairs; and Subcommittee on Health Care and Financial Services, joint hearing entitled "Lowering the Cost of Healthcare: Technology's Role in Driving Affordability", 10 a.m., HVC–210 Capitol.

December 10, Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Government Innovation, hearing entitled "Using Modern Tools to Counter Human Trafficking", 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, December 10, Full Committee, hearing entitled "The Genesis Mission: Prioritizing American Science and Technology Leadership", 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, December 10, Full Committee, hearing entitled "From Service to Startup: Empowering Veteran Entrepreneurs", 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, December 11, Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management, hearing entitled "Cutting Costs, Adding Value: The Future of Federal Property", 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, December 10, Sub-committee on Health, hearing entitled "Putting Families First: Strengthening CHAMPVA for Survivors and Dependents", 2:15 p.m., 360 Cannon.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, December 11, Subcommittee on Defense Intelligence and Overhead Architecture, hearing entitled "FY 2026 Department of Defense Proposal for Cover Enhancement Authority", 1:30 p.m., HVC–304 Hearing Room. This hearing is closed.

Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, December 11, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Trojan Horse: China's Auto Threat to America", 10 a.m., 390 Cannon.

Joint Meeting

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: December 10, to hold hearings to examine from production to procurement, focusing on how Europe and Ukraine are transforming defense supply chains, 2 p.m., 2358C–RHOB.

Next Meeting of the SENATE 10 a.m., Tuesday, December 9

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(Senate will recess following the vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of William J. Crain until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 12 noon, Tuesday, December 9

House Chamber

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



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