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TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 1216. Mr. RUBIO submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1140 proposed by Mr. CORKER (for himself and Mr. CARDIN) to the bill H.R. 1191, to provide for congressional review and oversight of agreements relating to Iran's nuclear program, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 28, line 18, insert “, including any agreed text for any United Nations Security Council resolutions to be considered with respect to Iran” after “future”.

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On page 2, line 16, strike “agreement; and” and insert “agreement;”.

On page 3, line 15, strike “purpose.” and insert “purpose; and”.

On page 3, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

“(D) the agreed text or agreed parameters of any United Nations Security Council resolutions to be considered with respect to Iran.

SA 1218. Mr. GARDNER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1140 proposed by Mr. CORKER (for himself and Mr. CARDIN) to the bill H.R. 1191, to provide for congressional review and oversight of agreements relating to Iran's nuclear program, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 15, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

“(L) An assessment of the relationship between Iran and any country of proliferation concern, as that term is defined in section 1055(g)(2) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010 (50 U.S.C. 2371(g)(2)), including specifically an assessment of any sharing or transfer of any goods, materials, technology, or information related to the creation, research, development, deployment, or use of dual use material, ballistic missiles, fissile material, nuclear weapons, or related items.

SA 1219. Mr. CORKER (for himself and Mr. CARDIN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1140 proposed by Mr. CORKER (for himself and Mr. CARDIN) to the bill H.R. 1191, to provide for congressional review and oversight of agreements relating to Iran's nuclear program, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 7, line 17, strike “the Congress” and insert “both Houses of Congress”.

On page 7, strike line 24 and insert “such passage.”.

On page 8, line 6, strike “the Congress” and insert “both Houses of Congress”.

On page 9, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

“(7) DEFINITION.—In the House of Representatives, for purposes of this subsection, the terms “transmittal,” “transmitted,” and “transmission” mean transmittal, transmitted, and transmission, respectively, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On page 10, lines 13 and 14, strike “the Congress adopts, and there is enacted,” and insert “there is enacted”.

On page 10, lines 17 and 18, strike “the Congress adopts, and there is enacted” and insert “there is enacted”.

On page 13, line 17, strike “enhance” and insert “reduce”.

On page 17, line 9, strike “covert action” and insert “covert activities”.

On page 19, strike lines 8 through 17 and insert the following:

“(e) EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION OF LEGISLATION.—

“(1) INITIATION.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—In the event the President does not submit a certification pursuant to subsection (d)(6) during each 90-day period following the review period provided in subsection (b), or submits a determination pursuant to subsection (d)(3) that Iran has materially breached an agreement subject to subsection (a) and the material breach has not been cured, qualifying legislation introduced within 60 calendar days of such event shall be entitled to expedited consideration pursuant to this subsection.

“(B) DEFINITION.—In the House of Representatives, for purposes of this paragraph, the terms “submit” and “submits” mean submit and submits, respectively, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SA 1220. Mr. CORKER proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 1191, to provide for congressional review and oversight of agreements relating to Iran's nuclear program, and for other purposes; as follows:

Amend the title so as to read: “A bill to provide for congressional review and oversight of agreements relating to Iran's nuclear program, and for other purposes.”.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on May 7, 2015 at 10 a.m., in room SH-216 of the Hart Senate Office Building, to conduct a hearing entitled “A Review of Child Nutrition Programs.”

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on May 7, 2015, at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing entitled “Jihad 2.0: Social Media in the Next Evolution of Terrorist Recruitment.”

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on May 7, 2015, at 9:30 a.m., in room SD-226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building, to conduct a hearing entitled “S. 1137, the ‘PATENT ACT’—Finding Effective Solutions to Address Abusive Patent Practices.”

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on May 7, 2015, at 2:30 p.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. UDALL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Bianca Ortiz Wertheim, a member of my staff, be given floor privileges today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT—S. CON. RES. 16

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that S. Con. Res. 16, submitted earlier today, be placed on the calendar; and that at 5 p.m. on Monday, May 11, the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of S. Con. Res. 16; that there be 30 minutes of debate equally divided in the usual form and the Senate then vote on adoption of the concurrent resolution with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT—H.R. 1314

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the cloture vote with respect to the motion to proceed to H.R. 1314 occur at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 12.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

RECOGNIZING THE ROLES AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE TEACHERS OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 175, submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 175) recognizing the roles and contributions of the teachers of the United States to building and enhancing the civic, cultural, and economic well-being of the United States.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. MCCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The resolution (S. Res. 175) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, MAY 11, 2015

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 3 p.m., Monday, May 11; that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; that following any leader remarks, the Senate be in a period of morning business, with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, Senators should expect a vote in relation to S. Con. Res. 16, at 5:30 p.m. on Monday.

ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it stand adjourned under the previous order, following the remarks of Senators COTTON and CARPER.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. COTTON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

REMEMBERING LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT L. HITE

Mr. COTTON. Fellow Members, today I recognize a distinguished American hero, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Hite of Camden, AK, who died last month at the age of 95.

Just months after the attack on Pearl Harbor, on December 7, 1941, a group of courageous young pilots flew Army Air Forces bombers off the deck of the USS Hornet in the Pacific Ocean to carry out a dangerous, low-altitude bombing attack on Japan's home islands. The Doolittle Raid provided an enormous morale boost for Americans with a crushing blow to the imperial regime in Tokyo.

Among these brave men was an Arkansan, Colonel Robert L. Hite. Colonel Hite had enlisted as an aviation cadet on September 9, 1940. He was later commissioned as a second lieutenant and rated as a pilot on May 29, 1941. Almost bumped from the mission because of space limitations, Colonel Hite was assigned as a copilot ultimately to the B-25 "Bat Out of Hell." He rejected his fellow airmen's attempts to buy his spot on the plane and launched his mission on April 19, 1942.

Lieutenant Colonel Hite's aircraft successfully carried out a low-level bombing run on an aircraft factory and fuel depot in Nagoya, Japan, but inclement weather forced the crew to bail out over Japanese-controlled territory as their plane ran low on fuel. Lieutenant Colonel Hite landed in a Japanese rice paddy field, where he was captured and sentenced to execution.

Lieutenant Colonel Hite served 40 months in a Japanese prison—38 of them in solitary confinement—where he was tortured and endured brutal conditions. Following V-J Day, Lieutenant Colonel Hite was freed on August 20, 1945. He returned home and married his first wife Portia 1 year later.

Lieutenant Colonel Hite later returned to active service, training pilots overseas during the Korean war from 1951 to 1955. After leaving Active Duty, he and Portia moved home to Camden, AR, where he managed the Camden Hotel until 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel Hite was widowed in 1999 and later married his late wife, Dorothy.

Lieutenant Colonel Hite is survived by two children, five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

On April 18, just 2 weeks after his death, and the 73rd anniversary of the Doolittle Raid, Lieutenant Colonel Hite and his fellow soldiers were posthumously awarded the Congressional Gold Medal of Honor.

Arkansans young and old and all Americans can appreciate Lieutenant Colonel Hite's service to his family, his community, and his Nation—a fine example for us all to emulate.

I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The senior assistant legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SESSIONS. I see my colleague, the Senator from Delaware. I know he asked for time. I didn't ask for time set aside for myself.

I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The senior assistant legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SESSIONS. I appreciate Senator CARPER, and I know he asked for time, so I will yield for his remarks.

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

TRIBUTE TO ADAM SCHILDGE AND MIA BEERS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Delaware.

Mr. CARPER. I thank my colleague for his graciousness. I told him I would speak for 10 minutes. It is usually about 10 hours, but I only have 10 minutes.

Mr. President, I rise today on the Senate floor to recognize the efforts of many of our Nation's public servants. Since 1985, the very first week of May has been dedicated to highlighting the millions of hard-working Americans who serve our Nation as Federal employees, State employees, county and local government employees, and members of the uniformed services, which I have been privileged to be one for some 23 years.

This week marks the 30th annual Public Service Recognition Week and serves as an important opportunity for those here in the Senate to show our appreciation for their dedication and service to our community and to our Nation.

Throughout my time in public office, including during my time on the Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee, which I have been a member of now for about 14 years and which I chaired for the last 2 years, I have had the great pleasure of meeting with any number of dedicated and accomplished public servants. In talking with them, I have been able to learn more about their work, more about their families, learn more about their commitment to public service that they share with all of us.

Today, I would like to take a couple minutes to highlight the outstanding service of some of our public servants across our Federal Government. In these cases, their extraordinary service has directly impacted the lives of the