

EC-5036. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "System Safety Program" (RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 6) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5037. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Training, Qualification, and Oversight for Safety-Related Railroad Employees" (RIN2130-AC68) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5038. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "System Safety Program" (RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5039. A communication from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of the Cape May Peninsula Viticultural Area" (RIN1513-AC26) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5040. A communication from the Chief Counsel, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rights to Federally Funded Inventions and Licensing of Government Owned Inventions" (RIN0693-AB63) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5041. A communication from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.624(g) of the Commission's Rules Regarding Submission of FCC Form 2100, Schedule G, Used to Report TV Stations' Ancillary or Supplementary Services; Modernization of Media Regulation Initiative" (MB Docket No. 17-264 and MB Docket No. 17-105) (FCC 18-41) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5042. A communication from the Deputy Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Auction of FM Translator Construction Permits Scheduled for June 21, 2018; Notice and Filing Requirements, Minimum Opening Bids, Upfront Payments, and Other Procedures for Auction 83" (AU Docket No. 17-351) (DA 18-257) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5043. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Pacific Aerospace Limited Airplanes" (RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0210) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5044. A communication from the Administrator, Transportation Security Ad-

ministration, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "2018 Biennial National Strategy for Transportation Security"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. INHOFE for Mr. McCAIN for the Committee on Armed Services.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Dorothy A. Hogg, to be Lieutenant General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. Richard P. Snyder, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. John C. Aquilino, to be Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Charles A. Richard, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Capt. Gregory N. Todd, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. John S. Lemmon, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Ronald C. Copley and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Kathleen M. Creighton, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Brian K. Corey and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Johnny R. Wolfe, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Darse E. Crandall, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Kristen B. Fabry and ending with Capt. Joseph D. Noble, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Heidi K. Berg and ending with Capt. William E. Chase III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nomination of Capt. John J. Adametz, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Thomas J. Anderson, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. James A. Aiken and ending with Capt. George M. Wikoff, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Air Force nomination of Gen. Terrence J. O'Shaughnessy, to be General.

Air Force nomination of Col. Michael T. Gerock, to be Brigadier General.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. Stephen G. Fogarty, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Brig. Gen. Raymond S. Dingle, to be Major General.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. Francis M. Beaudette, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Eugene J. LeBoeuf and ending with Col. Robert E. Suter, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Navy nomination of Adm. Philip S. Davidson, to be Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. David M. Kriete, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Michelle C. Skubic, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Eugene H. Black III and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Kenneth R. Whitesell, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Brent W. Scott, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Darin K. Via, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Marine Corps nomination of Lt. Gen. Michael G. Dana, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nomination of Lt. Gen. David H. Berger, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Col. Stephen E. Liszewski and ending with Col. Calvert L. Worth, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Charles G. Chiarotti, to be Lieutenant General.

Mr. INHOFE for Mr. McCAIN, Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

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

Air Force nominations beginning with Richard G. Anderson and ending with Joel K. Warren, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Ronnelle Armstrong and ending with John Marion Von Almen, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Alison Lee Beach and ending with Cortney Lynn Zuercher, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael J. Abbott and ending with David Russell Wright, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Army nomination of Tia W. Caphart, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Napoleon A. Campos, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Kevin R. Embry, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Andrew J. Furjanic, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Daniel L. Lee, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of John M. Williams, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Roberto Soriano Olivias, to be Major.

Army nomination of Jason Palatas, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Jose R. Reveles, Jr. and ending with Kenneth J. Strauss, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Army nomination of D012279, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Russell B. Gilliland, to be Major.

Army nomination of Erik M. Bauer, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Lawrence W. Henry, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Kenneth A. Willeford, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of D012941, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Roxanne T. Sickles, to be Major.

Army nomination of James F. Huggins II, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Denny L. Rozenberg, to be Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Douglas R. Burian, to be Major.

Marine Corps nomination of Chad R. Fitzgerald, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Navy nomination of Edward M. Crossman, to be Captain.

Navy nominations beginning with Nana K. Appiahiah and ending with Austin R. Younger, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

By Mr. ALEXANDER for the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

*Jon Parrish Peede, of Mississippi, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Humanities for a term of four years.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. TESTER:

S. 2732. A bill to clarify that participants in the National Health Service Corps Loan Repayment Program may be assigned to serve in pediatric inpatient mental health facilities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. MANCHIN, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. KAINE):

S. 2733. A bill to amend the Department of Agriculture Reorganization Act of 1994 to rename the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself and Mr. CRUZ):

S. 2734. A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 1300 Victoria Street in Laredo, Texas, as the "George P. Kazen Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. RISCH (for himself and Mr. PETERS):

S. 2735. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide for the establishment of an enhanced cybersecurity assistance and protections for small businesses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. GARDNER (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. CARDIN, and Mr. YOUNG):

S. 2736. A bill to develop a long-term strategic vision and a comprehensive, multifaceted, and principled United States policy for the Indo-Pacific region, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE (for himself, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. BALDWIN, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 2737. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for the preparation of career and technical education teachers; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BURR:

S. 2738. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to require air carrier passengers

with service animals to adhere to a standard of service animal behavior training; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mr. CASEY):

S. 2739. A bill to increase the authority of the Secretary of Health and Human Services to restrict the entrance of illicit drugs into the United States; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Ms. WARREN, Ms. HARRIS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. SANDERS):

S. 2740. A bill to authorize the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to establish a Climate Change Education Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself and Ms. BALDWIN):

S. 2741. A bill to authorize the United States Postal Service to inspect the contents of certain suspicious packages for illicit materials without a warrant; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2742. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to more effectively regulate selective androgen receptor modulators, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 2743. A bill to clarify that the Secretary of Homeland Security is not required to provide notice to private entities before issuing binding operational directives on agency information security policies and practices; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. BOOZMAN (for himself, Mr. PERDUE, and Mr. LEAHY):

S.J. Res. 60. A joint resolution providing for the reappointment of Barbara M. Barrett as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mr. GARDNER, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. Res. 481. A resolution calling upon the leadership of the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to dismantle its labor camp system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself and Mr. TOOMEY):

S. Res. 482. A resolution congratulating the Villanova University Wildcats for winning the 2018 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Basketball Tournament; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 112

At the request of Mr. HELLER, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. TESTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 112, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize per diem payments under comprehensive

service programs for homeless veterans to furnish care to dependents of homeless veterans, and for other purposes.

S. 428

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 428, a bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to authorize States to provide coordinated care to children with complex medical conditions through enhanced pediatric health homes, and for other purposes.

S. 448

At the request of Mr. BROWN, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 448, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for treatment of clinical psychologists as physicians for purposes of furnishing clinical psychologist services under the Medicare program.

S. 629

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 629, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drugs, and Cosmetic Act to ensure the safety and effectiveness of medically important antimicrobials approved for use in the prevention, control, and treatment of animal diseases, in order to minimize the development of antibiotic-resistant bacteria.

S. 755

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 755, a bill to amend the Pilot's Bill of Rights to facilitate appeals, to limit the reexamination of airman certificates, and for other purposes.

S. 1112

At the request of Ms. HEITKAMP, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) and the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) were added as cosponsors of S. 1112, a bill to support States in their work to save and sustain the health of mothers during pregnancy, childbirth, and in the postpartum period, to eliminate disparities in maternal health outcomes for pregnancy-related and pregnancy-associated deaths, to identify solutions to improve health care quality and health outcomes for mothers, and for other purposes.

S. 1320

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1320, a bill to reform apportionments to general aviation airports under the airport improvement program, to improve project delivery at certain airports, and to designate certain airports as disaster relief airports, and for other purposes.

S. 1361

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) was added as a cosponsor of S.