pursuant to law, the Food and Drug Administration's (FDA) annual report on Drug Shortages for Calendar Year 2017; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5527. A communication from the Director of Regulations and Policy Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Formic Acid as a Feed Acidifying Agent in Complete Poultry Feeds" ((21 CFR Part 573)(Docket No. FDA-2017-F-2130)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 8, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5528. A communication from the Director of Regulations and Policy Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Listing of Color Additives Subject to Certification; D&C Black No. 4" ((21 CFR Part 74)(Docket No. FDA-2017-C-0935)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 8, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5529. A communication from the Chief of the Freedom of Information Act Office, Department of the Army, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "The Freedom of Information Act Program" ((RIN0702-AA79)(32 CFR Part 518)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 8, 2018; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The following petition or memorial was laid before the Senate and was referred or ordered to lie on the table as indicated:

POM-245. A resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Oberlin, Ohio urging the United States Congress to support Carbon Fee and Dividend as a key element in reducing the risks of climate change; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Committee on Appropriations:

Special Report entitled "Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 2019" (Rept. No. 115–273).

# EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. JOHNSON for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

\*Kelly Higashi, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

\*Emory A. Rounds III, of Maine, to be Director of the Office of Government Ethics for a term of five 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.

# 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. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 3058. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to eliminate the requirement that the taxpayer's basis in a building be reduced by the amount of the rehabilitation credit determined with respect to such building; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. JONES (for himself, Mr. Nelson, Ms. Klobuchar, Mr. Kaine, Ms. Smith and Mr. King):

S. 3059. A bill to require the Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission to publish an annual report on the estimated impact in each State of the Medicaid expansion added by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, including the estimated impact that adopting such expansion would have in States that have not expanded their Medicaid coverage; to the Committee on Finance

By Ms. CANTWELL (for herself, Mr. MORAN, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 3060. A bill to repeal section 2141 of the Revised Statutes to remove the prohibition on certain alcohol manufacturing on Indian lands; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. COONS (for himself and Mr. Young):

S. 3061. A bill to promote registered apprenticeships, including registered apprenticeships within in-demand industry sectors, through the support of workforce intermediaries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. SMITH:

S. 3062. A bill to amend the Department of Agriculture Reorganization Act of 1994 to require the Military Veterans Agricultural Liaison to provide certain outreach to veterans with respect to agricultural employment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture. Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. BARRASSO:

S. 3063. A bill to delay the reimposition of the annual fee on health insurance providers until after 2020; to the Committee on Finance

> By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself, Mr. SCHUMER. Ms. Baldwin. Mr. Mr BLUMENTHAL BOOKER. Mr. Brown, Mr. Cardin, Mr. Carper, Mr. Casey, Mr. Coons, Ms. Cortez MASTO, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. Feinstein, Mrs. Gillibrand, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. Leahy, Mr. Markey, Mr. Menen-DEZ, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. PETERS, Mr. REED, Ms. SMITH, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. UDALL, Mr. VAN HOL-LEN, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WYDEN, and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. 3064. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act, the Labor Management Relations Act, 1947, and the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act, 1959, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

# SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Blumenthal, Mr. Booker, Mr. Brown, Ms. Cantwell, Mr. Casey, Mr. Coons, Ms. Cortez Masto, Ms. Duckworth, Ms. Harris, Mr. Heller, Mr. Kaine, Ms. Klobuchar, Mr. Markey, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Merkley, Ms. Murkowski, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Schatz, Mr. Schumer, and Ms. Warren):

S. Res. 546. A resolution recognizing the significance of Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month as an important time to celebrate the significant contributions of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders to the history of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 379

At the request of Mr. COTTON, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 379, a bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to eliminate the five month waiting period for disability insurance benefits under such title for individuals with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis.

S. 515

At the request of Mr. Casey, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. Merkley) was added as a cosponsor of S. 515, a bill to require the Secretary of Labor to maintain a publicly available list of all employers that relocate a call center overseas, to make such companies ineligible for Federal grants or guaranteed loans, and to require disclosure of the physical location of business agents engaging in customer service communications, and for other purposes.

S. 802

At the request of Mr. Brown, the names of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER), the Senator from Colorado (Mr. Bennet), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL), the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. Hein-RICH), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. MURPHY), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS), the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. Sha-HEEN), the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) and the Senator from Massachusetts (Ms. WARREN) were added as cosponsors of S. 802, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal in honor of Lawrence Eugene "Larry" Doby in recognition of his achievements and contributions to American major league athletics, civil rights, and the Armed Forces during World War II.

S. 1112

At the request of Ms. HEITKAMP, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) was added as a cosponsor 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. 1212

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. Murphy) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1212, a bill to provide family members of an individual who they fear is a danger to himself, herself, or others, and law enforcement, with new tools to prevent gun violence.

S. 1600

At the request of Ms. HIRONO, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1600, a bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make improvements in the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program, and to provide for Social Security benefit protection.

S. 1814

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) and the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) were added as cosponsors of S. 1814, a bill to provide support for the development of middle school career exploration programs linked to career and technical education programs of study.

S. 2269

At the request of Mr. Casey, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. Collins) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2269, a bill to reauthorize the Global Food Security Act of 2016 for 5 additional years.

S. 2559

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. CASEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2559, a bill to amend title 17, United States Code, to implement the Marrakesh Treaty, and for other purposes.

S. 2591

At the request of Mr. Blumenthal, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. Murphy) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2591, a bill to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration.

S. 2629

At the request of Mr. CARPER, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. Blunt) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2629, a bill to improve postal operations, service, and transparency.

S. 2863

At the request of Mr. BLUNT, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2863, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint a coin in commemoration of the opening of the National Law Enforcement Museum in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

S 200

At the request of Ms. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2885, a bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require additional disclosure for pharmaceutical companies.

S. 2896

At the request of Mr. Kennedy, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mrs. McCaskill) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2896, a bill to require disclosure by lobbyists of convictions for bribery, extortion, embezzlement, illegal kickbacks, tax evasion, fraud, conflicts of interest, making false statements, perjury, or money laundering.

S. 3036

At the request of Mrs. Feinstein, the names of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH), the Senator from Illinois (Ms. Duckworth) and the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. Hassan) were added as cosponsors of S. 3036, a bill to limit the separation of families at or near ports of entry.

S. 3046

At the request of Ms. SMITH, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3046, a bill to allow the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into self-determination contracts with Indian Tribes and Tribal organizations to carry out supplemental nutrition assistance programs.

S. 3047

At the request of Mrs. McCaskill, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. Hassan) and the Senator from North Dakota (Ms. Heitkamp) were added as cosponsors of S. 3047, a bill to establish a narcotic drug screening technology pilot program to combat illicit opioid importation, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 414

At the request of Mr. Durbin, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. Merkley) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 414, a resolution condemning the continued undemocratic measures by the Government of Venezuela to undermine the independence of democratic institutions and calling for a free and fair electoral process.

AMENDMENT NO. 2290

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2290 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2294

At the request of Mr. CASEY, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2294 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of

Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2321

At the request of Mr. Cotton, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2321 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2329

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2329 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2347

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2347 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2356

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2356 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2357

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2357 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2366

At the request of Mr. Durbin, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2366 proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2374

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2374 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

# AMENDMENT NO. 2411

At the request of Mr. Nelson, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Ms. WARREN), the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. Casey), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS), the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO) and the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2411 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2412

At the request of Mr. NELSON, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO), the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO), the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. Casey), the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN), the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) and the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2412 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

# AMENDMENT NO. 2514

At the request of Mr. Cotton, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. Bennet) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2514 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

## AMENDMENT NO. 2573

At the request of Ms. Murkowski, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Barrasso) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2573 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

# AMENDMENT NO. 2630

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from Nevada

(Ms. Cortez Masto) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2630 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2642

At the request of Ms. Baldwin, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. Johnson) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2642 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

## AMENDMENT NO. 2667

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2667 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2672

At the request of Mr. ROUNDS, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2672 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2725

At the request of Mr. Lee, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. Lankford) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2725 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

### AMENDMENT NO. 2760

At the request of Ms. Cantwell, the names of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. Heinrich), the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. Hirono), the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Markey), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. Whitehouse) and the Senator from Oregon (Mr. Wyden) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2760 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the De-

partment of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2807

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2807 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2819

At the request of Mr. UDALL, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. Cantwell), the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. HASSAN), the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) and the Senator from Michigan (Mr. Peters) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2819 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2840

At the request of Mr. Casey, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2840 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

### AMENDMENT NO. 2843

At the request of Mrs. Capito, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. Boozman), the Senator from Utah (Mr. Hatch) and the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. Baldwin) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2843 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2854

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2854 intended to be proposed to H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

#### SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 546—RECOGNIZING THE SIGNIFICANCE OF ASIAN/PACIFIC AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH AS AN IMPORTANT TIME TO CELEBRATE THE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS OF ASIAN AMERICANS AND PACIFIC ISLANDERS TO THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

Ms. HIRONO (for herself, Mr. Bennet, Mr. Blumenthal, Mr. Booker, Mr. Brown, Ms. Cantwell, Mr. Casey, Mr. Coons, Ms. Cortez Masto, Ms. Duckworth, Ms. Harris, Mr. Heller, Mr. Kaine, Ms. Klobuchar, Mr. Markey, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Merkley, Ms. Murkowski, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Schatz, Mr. Schumer, and Ms. Warren) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

#### S. RES. 546

Whereas the people of the United States join together each May to pay tribute to the contributions of generations of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders who have enriched the history of the United States;

Whereas the history of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders in the United States is inextricably tied to the story of the United States:

Whereas the Asian American and Pacific Islander community is an inherently diverse population, comprised of over 45 distinct ethnicities and over 100 language dialects;

Whereas, according to the Bureau of the Census, the Asian American population grew faster than any other racial or ethnic group over the last decade, surging nearly 72 percent between 2000 and 2015:

Whereas there are approximately 21,000,000 residents of the United States who identify themselves as Asian and approximately 1,500,000 residents of the United States who identify themselves as Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, making up nearly 6 percent of the total population of the United States:

Whereas the month of May was selected for Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month because the first Japanese immigrants arrived in the United States on May 7, 1843, and the first transcontinental railroad was completed on May 10, 1869, with substantial contributions from Chinese immigrants;

Whereas section 102 of title 36, United States Code, officially designates May as Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month and requests the President to issue an annual proclamation calling on the people of the United States to observe the month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities:

Whereas 2018 marks several important milestones for the Asian American and Pacific Islander community, including—

- (1) the 120th anniversary of United States v. Wong Kim Ark, 169 U.S. 649 (1898), a Supreme Court decision that determined that the 14th Amendment grants birthright citizenship to all persons born in the United States, regardless of the national origin of their parents;
- (2) the 75th anniversary of the Act entitled "An Act to repeal the Chinese Exclusion Acts, to establish quotas, and for other purposes", approved December 17, 1943 (commonly known as the "Magnuson Act of 1943") (57 Stat. 600, chapter 344), which formally repealed the Act entitled "An Act to execute certain treaty stipulations relating to Chi-

nese", approved May 6, 1882 (commonly known as the "Chinese Exclusion Act of 1882") (22 Stat. 58, chapter 126);

- (3) the 30th anniversary of the passage of the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 (50 U.S.C. 4211 et seq.), which granted reparations to Japanese Americans incarcerated during World War II; and
- (4) the 25th anniversary of the enactment of Public Law 103–150 (107 Stat. 1510), which acknowledged the 100th anniversary of the January 17, 1893, overthrow of the Kingdom of Hawaii and offered an apology to Native Hawaiians on behalf of the United States;

Whereas Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders have made significant contributions to the United States at all levels of the Federal Government and the United States Armed Forces, including—

- (1) Daniel K. Inouye, a Medal of Honor and Presidential Medal of Freedom recipient who, as President Pro Tempore of the Senate, was the highest-ranking Asian American government official in the history of the United States:
- (2) Dalip Singh Saund, the first Asian American Congressman;
- (3) Patsy T. Mink, the first woman of color and Asian American woman to be elected to Congress;
- (4) Hiram L. Fong, the first Asian American Senator;
- (5) Daniel K. Akaka, the first Senator of Native Hawaiian ancestry;
- (6) Norman Y. Mineta, the first Asian American member of a Presidential cabinet; and
- (7) Elaine L. Chao, the first Asian American woman member of a presidential cabinet;

Whereas the Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus, a bicameral caucus of Members of Congress advocating on behalf of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders, is composed of 63 Members this year, including 17 Members of Asian or Pacific Islander descent:

Whereas, in 2018, Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders are serving in State and Territorial legislatures across the United States in record numbers, including in—

- (1) the States of Alaska, Arizona, California, Connecticut, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Washington, and West Virginia: and
- (2) the Territories of American Samoa, Guam, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands;

Whereas the commitment of the United States to diversity in the judiciary has been demonstrated by the nominations of high-caliber Asian American and Pacific Islander jurists at all levels of the Federal bench:

Whereas there remains much to be done to ensure that Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders have access to resources and a voice in the government of the United States and continue to advance in the political land-scape of the United States; and

Whereas celebrating Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month provides the people of the United States with an opportunity to recognize the achievements, contributions, and history of, and to understand the challenges faced by, Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate-

- (1) recognizes the significance of Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month as an important time to celebrate the significant contributions of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders to the history of the United States; and
- (2) recognizes that Asian American and Pacific Islander communities enhance the rich

diversity of and strengthen the United States.

# $\begin{array}{c} {\rm AMENDMENTS} \ {\rm SUBMITTED} \ {\rm AND} \\ {\rm PROPOSED} \end{array}$

SA 2860. Mr. BOOZMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2019 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table

SA 2861. Mr. GRAHAM submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCain) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2862. Mr. MORAN (for himself, Mr. ROBERTS, and Ms. CORTEZ MASTO) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2863. Mr. ROUNDS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2864. Mr. ROUNDS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCain) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the

SA 2865. Mr. CASEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2866. Mrs. SHAHEEN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2867. Mr. SASSE (for himself and Mr. TOOMEY) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. MCCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2868. Mrs. SHAHEEN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2869. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCain) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2870. Mr. PERDUE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCain) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2871. Mr. YOUNG submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 2872. Mr. SULLIVAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2282 proposed by Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. McCAIN) to the bill H.R. 5515, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.