EC-6105. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants: Final Rule To List the Taiwanese Humpback Dolphin as Endangered Under the Endangered Species Act" (RIN0648-XE571) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 25, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6106. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendments to Regulations Governing NVOCC Negotiated Rate Arrangements and NVOCC Service Arrangements" (RIN3072-AC68) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6107. 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; Airbus Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0270)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6108. 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; The Boeing Company Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0588)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6109. 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; The Boeing Company Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0115)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6110. 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; Bombardier, Inc., Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0275)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6111. 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; Bombardier, Inc., Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0274)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6112. 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; American Champion Aircraft Corp." ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0003)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6113. 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; Bell Helicopter Textron Canada Limited Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0757)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6114. 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; Piper Aircraft, Inc." ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0606)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6115. 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; Rolls-Royce Corporation Turboshaft Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2017-1118)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6116. 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; Safran Helicopter Engines, S.A., Turboshaft Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2013-0024)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6117. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class E Airspace; Mineral Point, WI" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0087)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

EC-6118. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class D and Class E Airspace; Aberdeen, MD" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0128)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6119. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class D Airspace and Class E Airspace; Wrightstown, PA" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-1188)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6120. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of Class E Airspace; Ellijay, GA" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0217)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6121. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revoca-

tion and Amendment of Class E Airspace; Philipsburg, PA'' ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0755)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6122. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of Canadian Area Navigation (RNAV) Route T-705; Northeastern United States" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0050)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6123. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of Restricted Areas R-5602A and R-5602B; Fort Sill, OK" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0144)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6124. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (67)" (RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6125. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (65)" (RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-6126. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Federal Preemption and State Regulation of the Department of Education's Federal Student Loan Programs and Federal Student Loan Servicers" (34 CFR Chapter VI) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 26, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

### 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-279. A petition from the Mayor of the City of Cotati, California memorializing the Cotati City Council's support for the Revenue-Neutral Carbon Fee and Dividend Program; to the Committee on Finance.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. JOHNSON, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

H.R. 4567. A bill to require a Department of Homeland Security overseas personnel enhancement plan, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 115–308).

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments: S. 436. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to retire coal preference right lease applications for which the Secretary has made an affirmative commercial quantities determination, to substitute certain land selections of the Navajo Nation, to designate certain wilderness areas, and for other purposes.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 440. A bill to establish a procedure for the conveyance of certain Federal property around the Dickinson Reservoir in the State of North Dakota.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 497. To direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain Federal lands in San Bernardino County, California, to the San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District, and to accept in return certain non-Federal lands, and for other purposes.

By Mr. CORKER, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, without amendment and

with an amended preamble:

S. Res. 501. A resolution recognizing threats to freedom of the press and expression around the world and reaffirming freedom of the press as a priority in efforts of the Government of the United States to promote democracy and good governance.

By Mr. CORKER, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an

amended preamble:

- S. Res. 541. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that any United States-Saudi Arabia civilian nuclear cooperation agreement must prohibit the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia from enriching uranium or separating plutonium on its own territory, in keeping with the strongest possible non-proliferation "gold standard".
- S. Res. 571. A resolution condemning the ongoing illegal occupation of Crimea by the Russian Federation.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 930. A bill to require the Administrator of the Western Area Power Administration to establish a pilot project to provide increased transparency for customers, and for other purposes.

By Mr. CORKER, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1023. A bill to reauthorize the Tropical Forest Conservation Act of 1998 through fiscal year 2021, and for other purposes.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1030. A bill to require the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to submit to Congress a report on certain hydropower projects.

S. 1142. A bill to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of certain

hydroelectric projects.

S. 2074. A bill to establish a procedure for the conveyance of certain Federal property around the Jamestown Reservoir in the State of North Dakota, and for other purposes.

poses. S. 2102. A bill to clarify the boundary of Acadia National Park, and for other purposes.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 2582. A bill to authorize the State of Utah to select certain lands that are available for disposal under the Pony Express Resource Management Plan to be used for the support and benefit of State institutions, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2768. A bill to designate certain mountain peaks in the State of Colorado as "Fowler Peak" and "Boskoff Peak".

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

H.R. 2897. A bill to authorize the Mayor of the District of Columbia and the Director of the National Park Service to enter into cooperative management agreements for the operation, maintenance, and management of units of the National Park System in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 4609. A bill to provide for the conveyance of a Forest Service site in Dolores County, Colorado, to be used for a fire station.

## 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. COONS (for himself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 3296. A bill to provide for Federal coordination of activities supporting sustainable chemistry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 3297. A bill to provide for the expansion of the Desert Tortoise Habitat Conservation Plan, Washington County, Utah; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself and Ms. DUCKWORTH):

S. 3298. A bill to extend the authority of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund, Inc., to establish a visitor center for the Vietnam Veterans Memorial; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself and Ms. STABENOW):

S. 3299. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to improve the Transition Assistance Program for members of the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

# SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself, Mr. Schumer, Mrs. Gillibrand, Mr. Murphy, and Mr. Menendez):

S. Res. 597. A resolution urging the release of information regarding the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks upon the United States; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. Res. 598. A resolution calling upon the United States Senate to give its advice and consent to the ratification of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KING (for himself, Ms. Collins, Mr. Blumenthal, Mr. Murphy, Mr. REED, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mrs. SHAHEEN):

S. Res. 599. A resolution designating September 25, 2018, as "National Lobster Day"; considered and agreed to.

### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 58

At the request of Mr. Heller, the names of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. Crapo) and the Senator from Vermont (Mr. Leahy) were added as cosponsors of S. 58, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on high cost employer-sponsored health coverage.

S. 108

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the names of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO), the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) and the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) were added as cosponsors of S. 108, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on medical devices.

S. 422

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Ms. CORTEZ MASTO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 422, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify presumptions relating to the exposure of certain veterans who served in the vicinity of the Republic of Vietnam, and for other purposes.

S. 515

At the request of Mr. Casey, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. Jones) 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. 890

At the request of Mr. UDALL, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 890, a bill to grant the Congressional Gold Medal to the troops who defended Bataan during World War II.

S. 910

At the request of Mr. Schumer, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. Carper) was added as a cosponsor of S. 910, a bill to prohibit discrimination against individuals with disabilities who need long-term services and supports, and for other purposes.

S. 2128

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the names of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) were added as cosponsors of S. 2128, a bill to improve the coordination and use of geospatial data.

S. 2203

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. Kennedy) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2203, a bill to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration.

S. 2432

At the request of Mr. Young, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Ms. Heitkamp) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2432, a bill to amend the