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The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

### PRAYER

Reverend Philip Ganir, S.J., Gonzaga Jesuit Community, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Loving God, source of all healing and hope, thank You for the leaders and the diverse people this House represents, for strength of mind and body, and for the gift of freedom in our country.

Send Your spirit, Lord, to guide our leaders' work this day. May their labor bring greater justice, peace, and healing, especially to those who suffer most.

During this time of election, give all of us wisdom to discern wisely. Align our work with the freedom which defines and sustains us. In the face of disagreement, ground us in civility. When discouragement looms, let the spirit of mercy, and even a sense of humor, remind us of our humanity. And when the goals for the common good seem distant, inspire courage in all of us to act justly, mindful that Your good gifts become more apparent when we seek unity and peace.

Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution 967, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 967, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. Monday, November 2, 2020.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 1 minute a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday, November 2, 2020, at 10 a.m.

### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-5528. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Modification of Significant New Uses of Certain Chemical Substances (20-1.M) [EPA-HQ-OPPT-2019-0614; FRL-10013-53] (RIN: 2070-AB27) received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5529. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Air Quality State Implementation Plans; Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; South Dakota; Infrastructure Requirements for the 2015 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards; Revisions to Administrative Rules [EPA-R08-OAR-2019-0642; FRL-10014-86-Region 8] received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5530. A letter from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of State Plans for Designated Facilities and Pollutants; Oregon Department of Environmental Quality; Control of Emissions from Existing Municipal Solid Waste Landfills [EPA-R10-OAR-2020-0074; FRL-10011-40-Region 10] received September 30, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5531. A letter from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Envi-

ronmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's Major final rule — Steam Electric Reconsideration Rule [EPA-HQ-OW-2009-0819; FRL-10014-OW] (RIN: 2040-AF77) received September 30, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5532. A letter from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Kasugamycin: Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [EPA-HQ-OPP-2020-0338; FRL-10013-94] received September 30, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5533. A letter from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Saflufenacil; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2019-0388; FRL-10013-77] received September 30, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5534. A letter from the Acting General Counsel/Deputy General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Electric Reliability Organization Proposal To Retire Requirements in Reliability Standards Under the NERC Standards Efficiency Review [Docket Nos.: RM19-16-000 and RM19-17-000; Order No.: 873] received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5535. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting notification that the continuation of the national emergency with respect to Sudan declared in Executive Order 13067 of November 3, 1997, is to continue in effect beyond November 3, 2020, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202(d); (90 Stat. 1257) (H. Doc. No. 116-163); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

EC-5536. A letter from the Agency Representative, United States Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Facilitating the Use of the World Intellectual Property Organization's ePCT System To Prepare International Applications for Filing With the United States Receiving Office [Docket No.: PTO-P-2019-0033] (RIN: 0651-

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AD43) received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5537. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — NPDES Electronic Reporting Rule-Phase 2 Extension [EPA-HQ-OECA-2019-0408; FRL-10015-08-OECA] (RIN: 2020-AA52) received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-5538. A letter from the Director, Legal Processing Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final regulations — Rehabilitation Credit Allocated Over a 5-Year Period [TD 9915] (RIN: 1545-BP56) received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-5539. A letter from the Director, Legal Processing Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Additional Administrative Relief with Respect to Deadlines Applicable to Employment Taxes, Employee Benefits, and Exempt Organizations Affected by the Ongoing Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic [Notice 2020-35] received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-5540. A letter from the Director, Legal Processing Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's IRB only rule — Section 125 Cafeteria Plans — Modification of Permissive Carryover Rule for Health Flexible Spending Arrangements and Clarification Regarding Reimbursements of Premiums by Individual Coverage Health Reimbursement Arrangements [Notice 2020-33] received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-5541. A letter from the Director, Legal Processing Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final regulations — Ownership Attribution Under Section 958 Including for Purposes of Determining Status as Controlled Foreign Corporation or United States Shareholder [TD 9908] (RIN: 1545-B052) received October 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. SCHIFF: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. H.R. 7856. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2021 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes (Rept. 116-565). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. HUDSON (for himself, Mr. MCCARTHY, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. BRADY, and Ms. GRANGER):

H.R. 14. A bill to increase the Federal commitment to defeating the virus that causes COVID-19 and prepare for future pandemics, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Homeland Security, Transportation and Infrastructure, the Judiciary, Ways and Means, the Budget, and Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DUNN (for himself and Mr. SOTO):

H.R. 8701. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to provide for the authority to reimburse local governments or electric cooperatives for interest expenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BERA (for himself, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOLDING, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. DAVID P. ROE of Tennessee, Ms. FINKENAUER, and Mr. MARSHALL):

H.R. 8702. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for an increase in payment under part B of the Medicare program for certain services in response to COVID-19; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BUDD:

H.R. 8703. A bill to require the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to revise job classification and qualification standards for positions within the competitive service regarding educational requirements for such positions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 8704. A bill to amend title IV of the Social Security Act to reauthorize the grant program to promote responsible fatherhood, to modernize the child support enforcement program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. DEAN:

H.R. 8705. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize grants to institutions of higher education to develop programs and materials to educate students who have a substance use disorder on treatment options for such disorder, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DESAULNIER (for himself and Mr. WALBERG):

H.R. 8706. A bill to amend the Act of March 4, 1913 to establish the Bureau of International Labor Affairs within the Department of Labor, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. DEUTCH, Ms. SPANBERGER, Mr. MALINOWSKI, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. TRONE, Mr. SHERMAN, and Mr. CONNOLLY):

H.R. 8707. A bill to require certifications for transfers of certain United States defense articles and defense services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. ESCOBAR (for herself, Mr. WOODALL, and Mr. SOTO):

H.R. 8708. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote family unity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. FUDGE (for herself, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Ms. LEE of California, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. BASS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CLAY, and Ms. ADAMS):

H.R. 8709. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to enter into an arrangement with the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine to conduct a comprehensive study on the health care impacts of the use of kinetic impact projectiles in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HIGGINS of New York (for himself, Mr. ROSE of New York, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. WILD, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CASE, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, and Mr. MORELLE):

H.R. 8710. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the authorization period for emergency treatment in non-Department of Veterans Affairs medical facilities under the Veterans Community Care Program; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KELLER:

H.R. 8711. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to codify Executive Order 13957 entitled "Executive Order on Creating Schedule F In The Excepted Service", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself and Mr. BEYER):

H.R. 8712. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to establish a national aviation preparedness plan for communicable disease outbreaks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. MCEACHIN (for himself and Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois):

H.R. 8713. A bill to amend the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act to provide for additional procedures for families with children under the age of 6, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. MORELLE (for himself and Mr. VELA):

H.R. 8714. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide grants to local educational agencies to establish "Family Friendly School" policies at 500 elementary schools that align the school day with the work day to better support working families and to disseminate the learnings from these model schools so that other local educational agencies may adopt these practices, and to establish a supplemental 21st century community learning centers grant program to support programs and activities during summer recess when school is not in session; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. MFUME, Mr. HASTINGS, and Mr. CARSON of Indiana):

H.R. 8715. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services and the Secretary of Education to make public a plan for the continuation of education during a public health emergency; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. SIRE:

H.R. 8716. A bill to strengthen the United States' ties with Latin American and Caribbean countries through diplomatic, economic, and security cooperation, to counter efforts by the People's Republic of China to