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## House of Representatives

The House met at noon and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. KAHELE).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
October 4, 2022.

I hereby appoint the Honorable KAIALI'I KAHELE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

### PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

Holy and omnipresent God, You have promised that blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy. Lord, we ask that though time and again we have failed to be merciful to our fellow humans, grant us Your mercy that we would be moved to tolerate, to respect, and to accept those whom we have wronged.

Blessed are the pure in heart, You assure, for they shall see You. Lord, though day after day we are too often indifferent witnesses to the atrocities in Ukraine, Iran, and around the globe, we pray that You would allow us to see You in the stranger and minister to them in their distress. Purify us and call us to defend the goodness You desire in our world.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for You have established for them Your own kingdom. Lord, we pray Your protection for those in Iran who are not only persecuted, but like Masha Amini and the martyred Sharif University students, have sacrificed their lives for basic freedoms, preservation of human dig-

nity, and protection against violence and cruelty. Establish for all those who endure the vitriol of hatred the protection of Your sovereignty.

We pray Your blessings on the pure of heart, the persecuted and reviled, and dare ask that the reward for their suffering would not be confined to heaven but may the peace and security of Your kingdom be granted to those who contend with the enemies of human flourishing and stand against the adversaries of human life.

Sure of the protection of Your name, we pray.  
Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5 of House Resolution 1396, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Will the gentleman from West Virginia (Mr. MOONEY) come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. MOONEY 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.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, the following enrolled bills were signed by the Speaker on Friday, September 30, 2022:

H.R. 1766, to enhance cooperation between the Federal Trade Commission and State Attorneys General to combat unfair and deceptive practices, and for other purposes;

H.R. 5641, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emer-

gency Assistance Act to increase the threshold for eligibility for assistance under sections 403, 406, 407, and 502 of such Act, and for other purposes;

H.R. 8982, to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to suspend temporarily rates of duty on imports of certain infant formula base powder used in the manufacturing of infant formula in the United States, and for other purposes.

### APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO THE UNITED STATES GROUP OF THE NATO PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 1928a, and the order of the House of January 4, 2021, of the following Member on the part of the House to the United States Group of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly to fill the existing vacancy thereon:

Mr. CROW of Colorado.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under clause 5(d) of Rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that, in light of the resignation of the gentleman from Florida (Mr. Deutch), the whole number of the House is 432.

### PUBLICATION OF BUDGETARY MATERIAL

REVISION TO THE AGGREGATES, ALLOCATIONS, AND OTHER BUDGETARY LEVELS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET,  
Washington, DC, October 4, 2022.

MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to sections 1 and 2 of House Resolution 1151 (H. Res. 1151; 117th Congress) and the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (CBA), I hereby submit for

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



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printing in the Congressional Record a revision to the aggregates and allocations set forth in the Statement of Aggregates, Allocations, and Other Budgetary Levels for Fiscal Year 2023 published in the Congressional Record on June 21, 2022, as revised.

This adjustment responds to House consideration of the bill, Continuing Appropriations and Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (Senate Amendment to H.R. 6833), as provided for consideration in the House pursuant to H. Res. 1404 (117th Congress). This adjustment is allowable under sections 1 and 2 of H. Res. 1151 (117th Congress). It shall apply while that legislation is under consideration and take effect upon the enactment of that legislation.

Accordingly, I am revising the aggregate spending level for fiscal years 2023 and the

allocations for the House Committees on Energy and Commerce, Veterans Affairs, and Ways and Means for fiscal year 2023 and fiscal years 2023–2032. For purposes of enforcing titles III and IV of the CBA and other budgetary enforcement provisions, the revised aggregates and allocation are to be considered as aggregates and allocations included in the budget resolution, pursuant to the Statement published in the Congressional Record on June 21, 2022, as revised.

Questions may be directed to Jennifer Wheelock or Kellie Larkin of the Budget Committee staff.

Sincerely,

JOHN YARMUTH,  
Chairman.

TABLE 2.—REVISED ALLOCATIONS OF SPENDING AUTHORITY TO HOUSE COMMITTEES OTHER THAN APPROPRIATIONS

(On-budget amounts in millions of dollars)

	Current Allocation		Revision <sup>1</sup>		Revised Allocation	
	2023	2023–2032	2023	2023–2032	2023	2023–2032
Energy and Commerce:						
Budget Authority .....	681,746	9,416,220	–75	–75	681,671	9,416,145
Outlays .....	688,948	9,459,559	–75	–75	688,873	9,459,484
Veterans' Affairs:						
Budget Authority .....	6,889	258,375	2	4	6,891	258,379
Outlays .....	7,000	258,415	2	4	7,002	258,419
Ways and Means:						
Budget Authority .....	1,355,643	19,185,077	175	187	1,355,818	19,185,264
Outlays .....	1,358,523	19,191,184	84	–6	1,358,607	19,191,178

<sup>1</sup> Revisions for allowable adjustments for amounts in Div. C through G of the Continuing Appropriations and Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (Senate Amendment to H.R. 6833).

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker on Friday, September 30, 2022:

H.R. 1766. An act to enhance cooperation between the Federal Trade Commission and State Attorneys General to combat unfair and deceptive practices, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5641. An act to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to increase the threshold for eligibility for assistance under sections 403, 406, 407, and 502 of such Act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 8982. An act to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to suspend temporarily rates of duty on imports of certain infant formula base powder used in the manufacturing of infant formula in the United States, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 1 of House Resolution 1230, the House stands adjourned until 1:30 p.m. on Friday, October 7, 2022.

Thereupon (at 12 o'clock and 4 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, October 7, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,  
ETC.

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

EC–5390. A letter from the Director, Regulations Management Division, Rural Development Innovation Center, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's funding opportunity announcement — Notice of Funding Opportunity for the Higher

Blends Infrastructure Incentive Program (HBIIP) for Fiscal Year 2022 [Docket No.: RBS-22-BUSINESS-0006] received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC–5391. A letter from the Alternate OSD FRLO, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Private Security Contractors (PSCs) Operating in Contingency Operations, Humanitarian or Peace Operations, or Other Military Operations or Exercises [Docket ID: DoD-2020-OS-0016] (RIN: 0790-AK87) received September 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–5392. A letter from the Alternate OSD FRLO, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Reauthorization and Improvement of Mentor-Protege Program (DFARS Case 2020-D009) [Docket DARS-2022-0002] (RIN: 0750-AK96) received September 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–5393. A letter from the Alternate OSD FRLO, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Restriction on Acquisition of Tantalum (DFARS Case 2020-D007) [Docket DARS-2020-0035] (RIN: 0750-AK94) received September 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–5394. A letter from the Alternate OSD FRLO, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's interim rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Employment Transparency Regarding Individuals Who Perform Work in the People's Republic of China (DFARS Case 2022-D010) [Docket DARS-2022-0020] (RIN: 0750-AL61) received September 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–5395. A letter from the Supervisory Workforce Analyst, DOL, ETA, OPDR, De-

partment of Labor, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Apprenticeship Programs, Labor Standards for Registration [Docket No.: ETA-2021-0007] (RIN: 1205-AC06) received September 26, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

EC–5396. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Energy Conservation Program: Test Procedure for Circulator Pumps [EERE-2016-BT-TP-0033] (RIN: 1904-AD77) received September 22, 2022, 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–5397. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Medical Devices; Ear, Nose, and Throat Devices; Establishing Over-the-Counter Hearing Aids [Docket No.: FDA-2021-N-0555] (RIN: 0910-AI21) received September 9, 2022, 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–5398. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Tobacco Products; Required Warnings for Cigarette Packages and Advertisements; Delayed Effective Date [Docket No.: FDA-2019-N-3065] (RIN: 0910-AI39) received September 9, 2022, 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–5399. A letter from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Major Sources: Industrial, Commercial, and Institutional Boilers and Process Heaters; Amendments [EPA-HQ-OAR-2002-0058; FRL-6312-02-OAR] (RIN: 2060-AU20) received September 9, 2022, 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.

TABLE 1.—BUDGET AGGREGATE TOTALS

(On-budget amounts in millions of dollars)

	2023	2023–2032
Current Aggregate:		
Budget Authority .....	4,552,989	n.a.
Outlays .....	4,692,514	n.a.
Revenues .....	3,753,670	42,984,390
Revision for Continuing Appropriations and Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (Senate Amendment to H.R. 6833):		
Budget Authority .....	102	n.a.
Outlays .....	11	n.a.
Revenues .....	– – –	– – –
Revised Aggregates:		
Budget Authority .....	4,553,091	n.a.
Outlays .....	4,692,525	n.a.
Revenues .....	3,753,670	42,984,390

n.a. = Not applicable because annual appropriations for fiscal years 2024 through 2032 will not be considered until future sessions of Congress.