

Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Fiscal Year 2022 Report to Congress on Community Services Block Grant Discretionary Activities - Community Economic Development and Rural Community Development Programs"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3835. A communication from the Regulatory Policy Analyst, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "User Fees; Technical Amendment" (Docket No. FDA-2012-N-0920) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3836. A communication from the Regulatory Policy Analyst, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medical Devices; Quality System Regulation Amendments" (RIN0910-AH99) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3837. A communication from the Regulatory Policy Analyst, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Biologics License Applications and Master Files" (Docket No. FDA-2019-N-1363) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3838. A communication from the Regulatory Policy Analyst, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Advisory Committee; Digital Health Advisory Committee; Addition to List of Standing Committees" (Docket No. FDA-2024-N-0017) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3839. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Improving Child Care Access, Affordability, and Stability in the Child Care and Development Fund" (RIN0970-AD02) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3840. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "State Performance and Best Practices for the Prevention and Reduction of Underage Drinking Report"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3841. A communication from the Inspector General of the Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Inspector General's Congressional Budget Justification for fiscal year 2025; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3842. A communication from the Board Members of the Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Board's Congressional Justification of Budget Estimates Report for fiscal year 2025; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3843. A communication from the Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the cost of response and recovery efforts for FEMA-3598-EM in the

State of Maine having exceeded the \$5,000,000 limit for a single emergency declaration; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-3844. A communication from the Acting Director of the Office of Government Ethics, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's fiscal year 2025 Congressional Budget Justification, the Annual Performance Plan for fiscal year 2025, and the Annual Performance Report for fiscal year 2023; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-3845. A communication from the Secretary of the Board of Governors, United States Postal Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Board's annual report relative to its compliance with Section 3686(c) of the Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act of 2006; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-3846. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 25-411, "Secure DC Omnibus Amendment Act of 2024"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-3847. A communication from the Acting Chief Financial Officer, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Performance Plan for fiscal years 2023-2025, and the Annual Performance Report for fiscal years 2023-2025; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. REED for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Melissa Griffin Dalton, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force.

Navy nomination of Capt. Tuan Nguyen, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Douglas J. Adams and ending with Capt. Peter D. Small, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on January 8, 2024.

Air Force nomination of Brig. Gen. Paul R. Fast, to be Major General.

Air Force nomination of Brig. Gen. AnnMarie K. Anthony, to be Major General.

Air Force nomination of Brig. Gen. Trent C. Davis, to be Major General.

Army nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Joseph A. Ricciardi and ending with Col. Charles R. Bell, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 27, 2024.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Dion D. English, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Susan BryerJoyner and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Ralph R. Smith III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 27, 2024.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Elizabeth S. Okano and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Kurt J. Rothenhaus, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 27, 2024.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Mark D. Behning and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Carlos A. Sardiello, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 27, 2024.

Air Force nomination of Col. Todd D. Miller, to be Brigadier General.

Air Force nomination of Col. David W. Kelley, to be Brigadier General.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Ronnie D. Anderson, Jr. and ending with Col. Kevin J. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 28, 2024.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Charles M. Causey and ending with Col. Urbi N. Lewis, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 28, 2024.

*Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Derek C. France, to be Lieutenant General.

*Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Eric E. Austin, to be Lieutenant General.

Mr. REED. 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.

Army nominations beginning with Benjamin J. Allison and ending with Patrick R. Wiggins, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on October 19, 2023.

Army nominations beginning with Lloyd G. Abigania and ending with 0002926605, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on October 19, 2023.

Army nominations beginning with Brennan R. Abrahamson and ending with 0002325489, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on October 19, 2023.

Army nominations beginning with Jerel Q. Abas and ending with 0002765821, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on October 19, 2023.

Army nomination of Andrew C. Oddo, to be Major.

Army nomination of Andrew J. Acosta, to be Major.

Army nomination of Colby S. Miller, to be Major.

Army nomination of Seth M. Williams, to be Major.

Army nomination of Aaron R. Monkman, to be Major.

Army nomination of Joseph R. Cotton, to be Major.

Army nomination of Juan C. Gongora, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Matthew A. Dugard and ending with James R. Johnson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 29, 2024.

Army nomination of Arnold J. Steinlage III, to be Major.

Army nomination of Arlene Johnson, to be Major.

Army nomination of Darim C. Nessler, to be Major.

Army nomination of Brandi N. Hicks, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Nathan A. Bennington and ending with Andrew S. Wagner, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 29, 2024.

Army nomination of Sandeep R. N. Rahangdale, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Wendi J. Dick, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Benjamin J. Grass, to be Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Thomas C. Farrington II, to be Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Yuliya Omarov, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Navy nomination of Megan M. Grubbs, to be Captain.

Navy nomination of John O. Wilson, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Brackery L. Battle, to be Commander.

Navy nominations beginning with Daniel J. Baldor and ending with Matthew A. Wagner, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 29, 2024.

Navy nomination of William J. Roy, Jr., to be Captain.

Navy nomination of Colette B. Lazenka, to be Captain.

Navy nomination of Nikolaos Sidiropoulos, to be Captain.

*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. MORAN (for himself and Mr. TESTER):

S. 4009. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to offer annual preventative health evaluations to veterans with a spinal cord injury or disorder and increase access to assistive technologies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 4010. A bill to establish radiofrequency licensing authority for certain operations involving certain earth stations and gateway stations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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

S. 4011. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to end the tax-free treatment of certain corporate reorganizations that involve large corporations; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Ms. WARREN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. WELCH, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 4012. A bill to provide economic empowerment opportunities in the United States through the modernization of public housing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. BOOKER:

S. 4013. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish the Firefighter PFAS Injury Compensation Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO:

S. 4014. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that income received by a regulated investment company from precious metals shall be treated as qualifying income; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. MANCHIN, and Mr. TILLIS):

S. 4015. A bill to temporarily suspend duties on imports of titanium sponge, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. SINEMA (for herself, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. KELLY, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. PADILLA, and Ms. BUTLER):

S. 4016. A bill to amend the Boulder Canyon Project Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to expend amounts in the Colorado River Dam fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. WARREN (for herself, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. WELCH):

S. 4017. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a tax on the net value of assets of a taxpayer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 4018. A bill to amend the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018 to reauthorize the Commission on Farm Transitions-Needs for 2050, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. ROUNDS (for himself and Ms. KLOBUCHAR):

S. 4019. A bill to require the Secretary of Agriculture to provide regular updates to Livestock Indemnity Program payment rates to reflect market prices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. FETTERMAN (for himself, Ms. ERNST, Mr. CASEY, Mr. BROWN, and Mr. COTTON):

S. 4020. A bill to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to prohibit the export or sale of petroleum products from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve to certain entities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 4021. A bill to place restrictions on the official display of flags, seals, or emblems other than the United States flag; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself and Mr. BOOZMAN):

S. 4022. A bill to amend the Neotropical Migratory Bird Conservation Act to make improvements to that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. SMITH (for herself and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 4023. A bill to further protect patients and improve the accuracy of provider directory information by eliminating ghost networks; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 4024. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to enable secure and trustworthy technology through other transaction contracting authority; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. Kaine, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. COONS, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. 4025. A bill to include the identification of countries that are significant sources of xylazine in the annual International Narcotics Control Strategy Report; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. ROMNEY (for himself, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. BROWN, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. YOUNG):

S. 4026. A bill to require a report on the state of economic integration between the United States and the People's Republic of China and the risks of that integration to the national security of the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HICKENLOOPER:

S. 4027. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to authorize the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to issue permits for the construction and modification of national interest high-impact transmission facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. CASEY, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. BUTLER, Mr. BROWN, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 4028. A bill to increase the participation of historically underrepresented demographic groups in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education and industry; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. COTTON:

S. 4029. A bill to prohibit the Department of Defense from offering services through, or maintaining a business relationship with, Tutor.com; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. COONS (for himself and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 4030. A bill to reauthorize the recovery housing program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 4031. A bill to authorize the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration to award grants to expand or create health care provider pipeline programs; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. MURPHY (for himself, Mr. BROWN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. KING, Mr. CASEY, Mr. Kaine, and Ms. SINEMA):

S. 4032. A bill to authorize magistrate judges to issue arrest warrants for certain criminal aliens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 4033. A bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to strengthen enforcement with respect to violations of that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. WICKER (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. BRAUN, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina):

S. 4034. A bill to withhold certain United Nations funding until the United Nations Human Rights Council mandates a body to investigate human rights abuses in the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself and Mr. CARPER):

S. 4035. A bill to require the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to take certain actions with respect to the health insurance program carried out under chapter 89 of title 5, United States Code, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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

S. 4036. A bill to establish a Government Spending Oversight Committee within the Council of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.