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House of Representatives

The House met at 11 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SMITH of New Jersey).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,

July 10, 2025.

I hereby appoint the Honorable CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH, to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

MIKE JOHNSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

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

God, our shepherd, we listen for Your voice. Though the cares and concerns of the world create a cacophony of unsound counsel, we wait upon a Word from You to break into the din of our confusion.

You know us. You know our hearts, our desires, and our deepest fears. You know the promise of our potential and the discomfort of our inhibitions. You know both our quirks and our character.

Because of Your gracious welcome into Your tender care, may we, in our work and play, our plans and purpose, follow where You lead us.

Savior, like a shepherd, guide us. Be the guardian of our way, the protector of our lives, this day and always.

In Your sovereign name, we pray.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 13 of rule I, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore 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.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Lasky, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1003. An Act to require the Federal Communications Commission to issue an order providing that a shark attack is an event for which a wireless emergency alert may be transmitted, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 106-286, the Chair, on behalf of the President of the Senate, appoints the following Members to serve on the Congressional-Executive Commission on the People's Republic of China during the 119th Congress:

The Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) (Chairman).

The Senator from Arkansas (Mr. COTTON).

The message also announced the pursuant to Public Law 85-874, as amended, the Chair, on behalf of the President of the Senate, appoints the following individuals to the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts:

The Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) (Reappointment).

The Senator from Nebraska (Mrs. FISCHER).

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's ap-

pointment, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3003, and the order of the House of January 3, 2025, of the following Members on the part of the House to the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe:

Mr. ADERHOLT, Alabama

Mr. HUDSON, North Carolina

Mr. MURPHY, North Carolina

Mr. ELLZEY, Texas

Mr. COHEN, Tennessee

Mr. CLEAVER, Missouri

Mr. VEASEY, Texas

Mr. DOGGETT, Texas

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO CONGRESSIONAL-EXECUTIVE COMMISSION ON THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 6913, and the order of the House of January 3, 2025, of the following Members on the part of the House to the Congressional-Executive Commission on the People's Republic of China:

Mrs. KIGGANS, Virginia

Mr. STRONG, Alabama

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO CANADA-UNITED STATES INTER-PARLIAMENTARY GROUP

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d and the order of the House of January 3, 2025, of the following Members on the part of the House to the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group:

Mr. BERGMAN, Michigan

Mr. STAUBER, Minnesota

Ms. TENNEY, New York

Mr. FINSTAD, Minnesota

Mr. LANGWORTHY, New York

Mr. BAUMGARTNER, Washington

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 13 of rule I, the House

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stands adjourned until noon on Monday, July 14, 2025, for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 6 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday, July 14, 2025, at noon for morning-hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

EC-1304. A letter from the President, transmitting notification that the national emergency with respect to Hong Kong declared in Executive order 13936 of July 14, 2020, will continue for 1 year beyond July 14, 2025, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202(d); (90 Stat. 1255) (H. Doc. No. 119-66); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

EC-1305. A letter from the President, transmitting Providing For The Revocation Of Syria Sanctions, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(b); Public Law 95-223, Sec. 204(b); (91 Stat. 1627) (H. Doc. No. 119-68); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

EC-1306. A letter from the President, transmitting notification of the intent to designate Brian Harrison as Acting Inspector General of the Department of Housing and Urban Development (H. Doc. No. 119-67); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform and ordered to be printed.

EC-1307. A letter from the Chief Administrative Officer, U.S. House of Representatives, transmitting Statement Of Disbursements of the House of Representatives for the Period April 1, 2025 Through June 30, 2025 (H. Doc. No. 119-65); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

EC-1308. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — Alaska Region, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's correcting amendment — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Amendment 122 to the Fishery Management Plan for Groundfish of the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area; Pacific Cod Trawl Cooperative Program [Docket No.: 250528-0093] (RIN: 0648-BL08) received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1309. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — Alaska Region, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 610 in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 240227-0061] [RTID: 0648-XD694] received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1310. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — GRAFO, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Summer Flounder Fishery; Quota Transfer From Virginia to New Jersey [Docket No.: 231215-0305; RTID 0648-XD808] received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1311. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — Greater

Atlantic, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Sea Scallop Fishery; 2024 Closure of the Northern Gulf of Maine Scallop Management Area to the Limited Access General Category Fishery [Docket No.: 240314-0080; RTID 0648-XD892] received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1312. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — West Coast Region, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries Off West Coast States; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; 2023-2024 Biennial Specifications and Management Measures; Inseason Adjustments [Docket No.: 221206-0261] (RIN: 0648-BM97) received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1313. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries/Greater Atlantic, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Summer Flounder Fishery; Quota Transfer From Virginia to North Carolina [Docket No.: 231215-0305; RTID 0648-XD831] received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1314. A letter from the Branch Chief, Office of Sustainable Fisheries/Greater Atlantic, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Improvement and Modernization of Atlantic Surfclam and Ocean Quahog Vessel Reporting Regulations [Docket No.: 230821-0201] (RIN: 0648-BL61) received June 25, 2025, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1315. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting the annual report to Congress concerning intercepted wire, oral, or electronic communications, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 2519(3); Public Law 90-351, Sec. 802 (as amended by Public Law 111-174, Sec. 6(3)); (124 Stat. 1217); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1316. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Establishment of Class E Airspace; Blue Hill, ME [Docket No.: FAA-2025-0129; Airspace Docket No. 25-ANE-2] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 23, 2025, 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-1317. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class D Airspace; Bedford, MA [Docket No.: FAA-2025-1171; Airspace Docket No. 25-ANE-6] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 23, 2025, 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-1318. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; MHI RJ Aviation ULC (Type Certificate Previously Held by Bombardier, Inc.)

Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2025-0336; Project Identifier MCAI-2022-00194-T; Amendment 39-23057; AD 2025-11-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 23, 2025, 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-1319. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus SAS Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2025-0343; Project Identifier MCAI-2024-00562-T; Amendment 39-23058; AD 2025-11-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 23, 2025, 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-1320. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 31610; Amdt. No.: 4170] received June 23, 2025, 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-1321. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 31609; Amdt. No.: 4169] received June 23, 2025, 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-1322. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes [Docket No.: FAA-2025-0477; Project Identifier MCAI-2024-00422-T; Amendment 39-23059; AD 2025-12-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 23, 2025, 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-1323. A letter from the Manager, Legal Litigation and Support, AGC-010, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class E Airspace; Hagerstown, MD [Docket No.: FAA-2025-0606; Airspace Docket No.: 25-AEA-6] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 23, 2025, 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-1324. A letter from the Board Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's Fiscal Year 2026 Proposed Budget and Performance Plan, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1115(b); Public Law 111-352, Sec. 3; (124 Stat. 3868); jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Oversight and Government Reform.

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. WESTERMAN: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 131. A bill to make certain