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Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, September 25, 2025, at 12 p.m.

House of Representatives

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2025

The House met at 9 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

PRAYER

The Reverend John Kellogg, Christ Church Capitol Hill, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Gracious God, bless the leaders of our land. Watch over our country now and in the days to come. Grant our Representatives wisdom, integrity, and courage in the exercise of their duties. Give them quiet spirits and steadfast hearts as they seek to provide for the needs of our people.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to clause 13 of rule I, 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.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, September 23, 2025.

I hereby designate the period from Monday, September 29, 2025, through Monday, October 6, 2025, as a "district work period" under clause 13 of Rule I.

MIKE JOHNSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Kevin F. McCumber, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly an enrolled bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 2483. An act to reauthorize certain programs that provide for opioid use disorder prevention, treatment, and recovery, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to clause 13 of rule I, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Friday, September 26, 2025.

Thereupon (at 9 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, September 26, 2025, 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-1999. A letter from the Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Inflation Ad-

justment of Acquisition-Related Thresholds (DFARS Case 2024-D002) [Docket: DARS-2024-0039] (RIN: 0750-AL99) received September 10, 2025, 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-2000. A letter from the Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Preventing Conflicts of Interest for Certain Consulting Services (DFARS Case 2024-D007) [Docket: DARS-2024-0029] (RIN: 0750-AM04) received September 10, 2025, 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-2001. A letter from the Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Limitation on Certain Institutions of Higher Education (DFARS Case 2024-D023) [Docket: DARS-2024-0025] (RIN: 0750-AM20) received September 10, 2025, 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-2002. A letter from the Alternate OSD Federal Liaison Officer, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Technical Amendments [Docket: DARS-2025-0001] received September 10, 2025, 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-2003. A letter from the Assistant Division Chief, Competition Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Implementation of the National Suicide Hotline Act of 2018 [WC Docket No. 18-336] received September 10, 2025, 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.

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

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EC-2004. A letter from the Acting Division Chief, Economic Analysis Division, Office of Economics and Analytics, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Review of the Commission's Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2025 [MD Docket No. 25-190]; Assessment and Collection of Space and Earth Station Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2025 [MD Docket No. 24-85] received September 10, 2025, 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-2005. A letter from the Chief Regulatory Officer, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Codification of Certain U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Law Enforcement Authorities [CIS No.: 2827-25; DHS Docket No.: USCIS-2025-0106] (RIN: 1615-AD03) received September 10, 2025, 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-2006. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Francis Scott Key Bridge, Patapsco River, Baltimore, MD [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0680] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2007. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Bay St. Louis, MS [Docket Number: USCG-2024-1001] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2008. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Ohio River, Owensboro, KY [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0784] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2009. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; Intracoastal Waterway, Palm Beach, FL [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0319] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received September 17, 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-2010. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Special Local Regulation; Cuyahoga River, Cleveland, Ohio [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0646] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received September 17, 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-2011. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Fixed and Moving Safety Zone, Vicinity of the M/V ZHEN HUA 29; Freeport Ship Channel, Freeport, TX [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0667] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2012. A letter from the Administrative Assistant to the Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; West of Cyril E. King Airport, St. Thomas, VI [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0578] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2013. A letter from the Administrative Assistant to the Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Maumee River, Toledo, OH [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0735] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2014. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Gulf of America; Sand Key Beach, Clearwater, FL [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0274] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2015. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulated Navigation Area; Ludington Harbor Channel and Pere Marquette Lake, Ludington, MI [Docket Number: USCG-2024-1102] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received September 17, 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-2016. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Electric Boat Shipyard, Narragansett Bay, Quonset Point, North Kingstown, RI [Docket Number: USCG-2024-0994] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received September 17, 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-2017. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Port Huron Float Down; St. Clair River, Port Huron, MI [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0672] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2018. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Lake Michigan, Sheboygan, WI [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0654] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2019. A letter from the Administrative Assistant to the Office of the Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Southern Branch of the Elizabeth River,

Chesapeake, Virginia [Docket No.: USCG-2025-0182] (RIN: 1625-AA09) received September 17, 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-2020. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Security Zone; Intracoastal Waterway, Palm Beach, FL [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0690] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 15, 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-2021. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Beltway 8 Bridge Construction, Houston Ship Channel, Houston, TX [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0678] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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-2022. A letter from the Administrative Assistant, United States Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Laguna Madre, South Padre Island, TX [Docket Number: USCG-2025-0462] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received September 17, 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.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILL 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. GUTHRIE: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 3632. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to adjust the requirements for orders, rules, and regulations relating to furnishing adequate service, to require owners or operators of generating facilities to provide notice of planned retirements of certain electric generating units, and for other purposes. (Rept. 119-307). 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 Ms. ANSARI (for herself, Ms. BALINT, Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. BYNUM, Mr. CARSON, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. MAGAZINER, Ms. MCBRIDE, Mr. NEGUSE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. THANEDAR, and Ms. TLAIB):

H.R. 5541. A bill to amend the John D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act to permanently authorize the Every Kid Outdoors program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.