

S. 1668

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1668, a bill to amend chapter 131 of title 5, United States Code, to prohibit the President, Vice President, Members of Congress, and individuals appointed to Senate-confirmed positions from issuing, sponsoring, or endorsing certain financial instruments, and for other purposes.

S. 1670

At the request of Mr. SULLIVAN, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1670, a bill to amend the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to require investment advisers for passively managed funds to arrange for pass-through voting of proxies for certain securities, and for other purposes.

S. 1672

At the request of Ms. LUMMIS, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1672, a bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify that a permit is not required under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System for a discharge resulting from the aerial application of certain products used for fire control and suppression, and for other purposes.

S. 1675

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the names of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. BUDD) and the Senator from Alabama (Mrs. BRITT) were added as cosponsors of S. 1675, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, by adding an additional aggravating factor to be considered in determining whether a sentence of death is warranted.

S. 1683

At the request of Mr. BUDD, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1683, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for Workforce Pell Grants.

S. 1709

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1709, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish direct care registered nurse-to-patient staffing ratio requirements in hospitals, and for other purposes.

S. 1711

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1711, a bill to address national security risks and prohibit the use of Federal funds for the procurement of certain vehicles and vehicle technologies produced or provided by entities based in certain countries, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 195

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. OSSOFF) and the Senator

from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 195, a resolution requesting information on El Salvador's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1741. A bill to ensure transparency with respect to the impact of certain tariffs on the prices of goods, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the text of the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 1741

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Truth in Tariffs Act".

SEC. 2. TARIFF IMPACT TRANSPARENCY.

(a) REQUIREMENT.—Beginning on the date that is 30 days after the date of enactment of this section, subject to subsection (b), no person may sell to a consumer in the United States a good without displaying to such consumer, in a clear and conspicuous manner, the portion of the price of such good that is attributable to a covered tariff, which shall be identified to the consumer as the "tariff surcharge".

(b) EXEMPTION.—The requirements of subsection (a) shall not apply to a sale made by a small business concern (as such term is defined in section 3 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 632)).

(c) ENFORCEMENT BY THE COMMISSION.—

(1) UNFAIR OR DECEPTIVE ACTS OR PRACTICES.—A violation of this section or a regulation promulgated under this section shall be treated as a violation of a rule defining an unfair or deceptive act or practice prescribed under section 18(a)(1)(B) of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15 U.S.C. 57a(a)(1)(B)).

(2) POWERS OF THE COMMISSION.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—The Commission shall enforce this section and the regulations promulgated under this section in the same manner, by the same means, and with the same jurisdiction, powers, and duties as though all applicable terms and provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15 U.S.C. 41 et seq.) were incorporated into and made a part of this Act.

(B) PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES.—Any person who violates this section or a regulation promulgated under this section shall be subject to the penalties and entitled to the privileges and immunities provided in the Federal Trade Commission Act.

(C) AUTHORITY PRESERVED.—Nothing in this Act shall be construed to limit the authority of the Commission under any other provision of law.

(D) RULEMAKING.—The Commission may promulgate, in accordance with section 553 of title 5, United States Code, such regulations as may be necessary to carry out this section.

(d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

(1) COMMISSION.—The term "Commission" means the Federal Trade Commission.

(2) COVERED TARIFF.—The term "covered tariff" means a tariff, including a tariff rate change—

(A) imposed on an emergency or other discretionary basis by the President; and

(B) that entered into force on or after January 20, 2025.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mr. REED):

S. 1742. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to prohibit employment of children in tobacco-related agriculture as oppressive child labor; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Mr. DURBIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the text of the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 1742

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as "Children Don't Belong on Tobacco Farms Act".

SEC. 2. TOBACCO-RELATED AGRICULTURE EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN.

Section 3(l) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (29 U.S.C. 203(l)) is amended—

(1) in the first sentence—

(A) by striking "in any occupation, or (2)" and inserting "in any occupation, (2)"; and

(B) by inserting before the semicolon the following: "or (3) any employee under the age of eighteen years has direct contact with tobacco plants or dried tobacco leaves"; and

(2) in the second sentence, by striking "other than manufacturing and mining" and inserting "other than manufacturing, mining, and (as described in paragraph (3) of the first sentence of this subsection) tobacco-related agriculture,".

SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 218—CONDEMNING ANY ACCEPTANCE OF PRESIDENTIAL AIRCRAFT, OR ANY OTHER SUBSTANTIAL GIFT, FROM A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT

Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Mr. COONS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. OSSOFF, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. WARNER, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. CANTWELL, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. PETERS, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. KING, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. KIM, and Mr. KELLY) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:

S. RES. 218

Whereas the aircraft commonly referred to as "Air Force One" is a symbol of the United States;

Whereas Air Force One is one of the most recognizable symbols of the Office of the President of the United States;

Whereas Air Force One is equipped with some of the most sensitive technologies designed to transmit some of the most highly classified national security information of the United States;

Whereas the acceptance of Presidential aircraft from a foreign government—

(1) constitutes a substantial gift; and
 (2) poses counter-intelligence and other national security concerns;

Whereas the acceptance of a substantial gift from a foreign government could unduly influence the foreign policies of the United States;

Whereas the acceptance of Presidential aircraft from a foreign government would establish a concerning precedent for the acceptance of substantial gifts from foreign governments without the consent of Congress;

Whereas the Foreign Emoluments Clause contained in clause 8 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States states that no present, emolument, office, or title, of any kind, may be accepted by the President of the United States from a king, prince, or foreign state without the consent of Congress;

Whereas the President of the United States has a constitutional and statutory obligation to uphold the public trust; and

Whereas the violation of the Foreign Emoluments Clause of the Constitution of the United States undermines public trust and the integrity of public office in the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) condemns any acceptance of a Presidential aircraft, or any other substantial gift, from a foreign government as a grave national security threat to the Office of the President;

(2) demands that any such gift may only be accepted by the President with the explicit consent of Congress;

(3) urges the executive branch to reject compromising the national security of the United States by operating an aircraft not built under the security specifications or supervision of the Department of Defense as Air Force One; and

(4) condemns any acceptance of a Presidential aircraft, or any other substantial gift, from a foreign government if such acceptance violates any law.

SENATE RESOLUTION 219—DIRECTING THE SENATE LEGAL COUNSEL TO BRING A CIVIL ACTION IN THE NAME OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE TO ENFORCE THE FOREIGN EMOLUMENTS CLAUSE CONTAINED IN CLAUSE 8 OF SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. WELCH, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. WARREN, Mr. OSSOFF, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. COONS, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration:

S. RES. 219

Whereas the Foreign Emoluments Clause contained in clause 8 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (in this preamble referred to as the “Foreign Emoluments Clause”) states that no present, emolument, office, or title, of any kind, may be accepted by the President of the United States from a king, prince, or foreign state without the consent of Congress;

Whereas the Founders included the Foreign Emoluments Clause in the Constitution—by unanimous agreement of the State delegations—to ensure the President would remain loyal to the Nation and the public interest;

Whereas the Foreign Emoluments Clause has long been understood to be “directed against every kind of influence by foreign governments upon officers of the United States,” in the absence of consent by Congress’;

Whereas President Donald J. Trump reportedly plans to—

(1) accept a plane from the government of Qatar for United States Government use as Air Force One during the Trump Administration; and

(2) transfer that plane nominally to the Donald J. Trump Presidential Library shortly before the expiration of his term of office but continue personal use of the plane after his Presidency;

Whereas MGX Fund Management Limited is an investment firm established and backed by the government of the United Arab Emirates;

Whereas, on May 1, 2025, MGX Fund Management Limited announced an agreement to use a stablecoin from the cryptocurrency business World Liberty Financial, which is owned in part by President Trump and members of his family, to complete a \$2,000,000,000 deal with Binance Holdings Ltd. (in this preamble referred to as the “MGX Fund-Binance deal”);

Whereas, as a result of the MGX Fund-Binance deal, President Trump and the family of President Trump stand to receive hundreds of millions of dollars from a foreign state;

Whereas, since the election of President Trump, businesses owned in whole or in part by President Trump have announced other deals involving the governments of Saudi Arabia, Serbia, and Oman;

Whereas the President of the United States has a constitutional and statutory obligation to uphold the public trust; and

Whereas the violation of the Foreign Emoluments Clause undermines public trust and the integrity of public office in the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate Legal Counsel shall bring a civil action in the name of the United States Senate to enforce the Foreign Emoluments Clause contained in clause 8 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States with respect to the emoluments described in the fourth, sixth, and eighth whereas clauses of the preamble by enjoining President Donald J. Trump from accepting any present, emolument, office, or title of any kind whatever from a foreign state without obtaining the consent of Congress.

SENATE RESOLUTION 220—DESIGNATING THE WEEK OF MAY 11 THROUGH MAY 17, 2025, AS “NATIONAL POLICE WEEK”

Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. KING, Mrs. MOODY, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. SHEEHY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. COONS, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. RISCH, Mr. WELCH, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. KAINE, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. PAUL, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. SCHATZ, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. JUSTICE, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. BRITT, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. MORAN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. BARRASSO, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. OSSOFF, Mr. RICKETTS, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BANKS, Mr. KELLY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. KIM, Ms. ERNST, Ms.

BALDWIN, Mr. BUDD, Mr. PETERS, Mr. TILLIS, Ms. CANTWELL, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. WARNER, Mr. MARSHALL, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. DAINES, Ms. HASSAN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. BENNET, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. LEE, Mr. ROUNDS, Mr. THUNE, Mr. MORENO, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. COTTON, Mr. HUSTED, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. WICKER, Mr. SCHMITT, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. HAWLEY, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. MCCORMICK, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. CASSIDY, and Mr. REED) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 220

Whereas Federal, State, local, and Tribal police officers, sheriffs, and other law enforcement officers across the United States serve with valor, dignity, and integrity;

Whereas each law enforcement officer is charged with—

(1) pursuing justice for all individuals; and

(2) performing the duties of a law enforcement officer with fidelity to the constitutional and civil rights of the public the officer serves;

Whereas law enforcement officers swear an oath to uphold the public trust even though, through the performance of the duties of a law enforcement officer, the officers may become targets for senseless acts of violence;

Whereas, in 1962, President John Fitzgerald Kennedy signed Public Law 87-726 (76 Stat. 676) (referred to in this preamble as the “Joint Resolution”), which authorizes the President to proclaim May 15 of every year as “Peace Officers Memorial Day” in honor of the Federal, State, and local officers who have been killed, disabled, or otherwise injured in the line of duty;

Whereas the Joint Resolution also authorizes the President to designate the week in which Peace Officers Memorial Day falls as “National Police Week”;

Whereas the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial, dedicated on October 15, 1991, is the national monument to honor those law enforcement officers who have died in the line of duty;

Whereas Peace Officers Memorial Day 2025 honors the 234 law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty during 2024, including—

- (1) Cliff Acosta;
- (2) Charles Afanasewicz;
- (3) Benedicto Albizu;
- (4) Luis Algarin de Jesus;
- (5) Cody Allen;
- (6) Jesus Anaya;
- (7) Michael Ansbro;
- (8) Derek Baer;
- (9) Earl Barksdale;
- (10) Ross Bartlett;
- (11) Rondald Bates;
- (12) Dustin Beasley;
- (13) Christopher Berry;
- (14) Salvatore Bertocci;
- (15) Marcellus Bethea;
- (16) Isaiah Bias;
- (17) Steven Bilodeau;
- (18) Steven Blecki;
- (19) Tobin Bolter;
- (20) Matthew Bowen;
- (21) Jeremy Boykins;
- (22) Paul Brantman;
- (23) Joshua Briese;
- (24) Taylor Bristow;
- (25) Jeffrey Brown;
- (26) Adam Buckner;
- (27) James Buebendorf;
- (28) Jeffrey Burke;
- (29) William Burkel;
- (30) Darron Burks;