

TILLIS, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. HAGERTY, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. RICKETTS, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. MORENO, Mr. BANKS, and Mr. MCCORMICK):

S. 2116. A bill to require the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States to annually review, update, and report on the facilities and property of the United States Government determined to be national security sensitive for purposes of review of real estate transactions under section 721 of the Defense Production Act of 1950; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. HUSTED (for himself and Mr. WARNOCK):

S. 2117. A bill to establish the Task Force on Artificial Intelligence in the Financial Services Sector to report to Congress on issues related to artificial intelligence in the financial services sector, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina:

S. 2118. A bill to amend title 41, United States Code, and title 10, United States Code, to provide best value through the multiple award schedule program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 2119. A bill to enhance United States support for identifying and recovering Ukrainian children who were abducted by the Russian Federation, and to hold accountable those who are responsible for such abductions; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. KAINE, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. MURKOWSKI, and Mr. LUJÁN):

S. 2120. A bill to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2026 through 2030, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. MULLIN, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, and Mr. HICKENLOOPER):

S. 2121. A bill to reauthorize certain programs that provide for opioid use disorder prevention, treatment, and recovery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. WELCH, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. COONS, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. LUJÁN):

S. 2122. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to prohibit the exclusion of individuals from service on a Federal jury on account of sexual orientation or gender identity; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. LUJÁN):

S. 2123. A bill to direct the Federal Communications Commission to take certain actions to increase diversity of ownership in the broadcasting industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. PADILLA, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. REED, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. WELCH, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PETERS, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. WARNER):

S. 2124. A bill to provide enhanced protections for election workers; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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

S. 2125. A bill to require a report on the wealth of the leadership of the Chinese Communist Party, and for other purposes; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

By Mr. WICKER (for himself and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. 2126. A bill to reauthorize the Integrated Coastal and Ocean Observation System Act of 2009, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Ms. WARREN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. FETTERMAN, and Mr. MERKLEY):

S. 2127. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a tax on certain trading transactions; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MERKLEY (for himself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. PADILLA, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 2128. A bill to encourage and facilitate efforts by States and other stakeholders to conserve and sustain the western population of monarch butterflies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. FETTERMAN (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, and Ms. ERNST):

S. 2129. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow certain abused or abandoned spouses to file as unmarried or heads of households; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. RICKETTS (for himself, Mr. KAINE, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. COONS, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mr. SULLIVAN):

S. 2130. A bill to make improvements to the AUKUS partnership, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. WARNOCK (for himself, Mr. MARSHALL, and Mr. GALLEGO):

S. 2131. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to carry out a public awareness campaign to increase awareness of the importance of father inclusion and engagement in improving overall health outcomes during pregnancy, childbirth, and postpartum, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. WELCH, Mr. RISCH, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2132. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent and mitigate the potential for conflicts of interest following government service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself and Mr. PAUL):

S. 2133. A bill to repeal the Caesar Syria Civilian Protection Act of 2019; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN:

S. 2134. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to ensure that veterans in each of the 48 contiguous States are able to receive services in at least one full-service hospital of the Veterans Health Administration in the State or receive comparable services provided by contract in the State; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 2135. A bill to modify other transaction authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 2136. A bill to modify and extend the pilot program to accelerate contracting and

pricing processes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 2137. A bill to provide for the use of procedures other than competitive procedures, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 2138. A bill to modify buy-to-budget requirements for end items, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 2139. A bill to provide for the expedited procurement for experimental purposes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself, Mr. BENNET, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. COONS, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. KAINE, Mr. KING, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mrs. MURRAY, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. Res. 287. A resolution reaffirming the importance of the United States promoting the safety, health, and well-being of refugees and displaced persons in the United States and around the world; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. MCCORMICK (for himself, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. BENNET, Mr. LEE, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. LANKFORD, Ms. ROSEN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. RISCH, Mr. KING, Mr. CRAPO, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. MORENO, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. BUDD, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. SHEEHY, Mr. DAINES, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. ERNST, Mr. JUSTICE, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. CASSIDY, Mrs. BRITT, and Mrs. FISCHER):

S. Res. 288. A resolution condemning the rise in ideologically motivated attacks on Jewish individuals in the United States, including the recent violent assault in Boulder, Colorado, and reaffirming the commitment of the Senate to combating antisemitism and politically motivated violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MERKLEY:

S. Res. 289. A resolution recognizing the importance of pollinators to ecosystem health and agriculture in the United States by designating June 15 through June 22, 2025, as "National Pollinator Week"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. CASSIDY, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. KING, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. KELLY, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. HIRONO, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. WICKER, Mr. YOUNG, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. JUSTICE, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KAINE, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. BOOKER, and Mr. CRUZ):

S. Res. 290. A resolution commemorating June 19, 2025, as "Juneteenth National Independence Day" in recognition of June 19,

1865, the date on which news of the end of slavery reached the slaves in the Southwestern States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself and Mr. TILLIS):

S. Res. 291. A resolution celebrating the June 2025 North Atlantic Treaty Organization Summit in the Hague, the Netherlands, and reaffirming priorities pertaining to transatlantic security and our commitment to NATO; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. Res. 292. A resolution expressing support for the designation of June 19, 2025, as “World Sickle Cell Awareness Day” in order to increase public awareness across the United States and global community about sickle cell disease and the continued need for empirical research, early detection screenings, novel effective treatments leading to a cure, and preventative care programs with respect to complications from sickle cell anemia and conditions relating to sickle cell disease; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Ms. SMITH):

S. Res. 293. A resolution commending the Minnesota Frost for winning the 2025 Professional Women’s Hockey League Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. CAPITO (for herself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. WICKER, and Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER):

S. Res. 294. A resolution designating the week of May 18 through May 24, 2025, as “National Public Works Week”; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. JUSTICE, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. LEE, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. MULLIN, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. SHEEHY, and Mr. MORENO):

S. Con. Res. 15. A concurrent resolution expressing support for America’s law enforcement professionals; considered and agreed to.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 167

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. HOEVEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 167, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to punish criminal offenses targeting law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.

S. 284

At the request of Ms. LUMMIS, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 284, a bill to reauthorize the Congressional Award Act.

S. 439

At the request of Mr. BUDD, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 439, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income gain from the sale of qualified real property interests acquired under the authority of the Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) program administered by the Department of Defense pursuant to section 2684a of title 10, United States Code, and for other purposes.

S. 1043

At the request of Mr. GRAHAM, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1043, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the energy credit for qualified fuel cell property.

S. 1220

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1220, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for a Savings Opportunity and Affordable Repayment plan as an income contingent repayment plan.

S. 1375

At the request of Mr. HAGERTY, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BANKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1375, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reinstate the exception for de minimis payments by third party settlement organizations with respect to returns relating to payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, as in effect prior to the enactment of the American Rescue Plan Act, and for other purposes.

S. 1477

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1477, a bill to address the homelessness and housing crises, to move toward the goal of providing for a home for all Americans, and for other purposes.

S. 1532

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1532, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the railroad track maintenance credit.

S. 1609

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1609, a bill to provide for further comprehensive research at the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke on unruptured intracranial aneurysms.

S. 1638

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1638, a bill to protect the United States from artificial intelligence applications based in or affiliated with countries of concern, and for other purposes.

S. 1668

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) 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. 1894

At the request of Ms. LUMMIS, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1894, a bill to amend MAP-21 to modify provisions relating to a categorical exclusion for projects of limited Federal assistance, and for other purposes.

S. 1939

At the request of Mr. WARNOCK, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1939, a bill to provide protections for good faith donations of pet food and supplies.

S. 2069

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2069, a bill to amend title XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to provide for 12-month continuous enrollment of individuals under the Medicaid program and Children’s Health Insurance Program.

S. 2096

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the names of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) were added as cosponsors of S. 2096, a bill to amend titles 10 and 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements in the Transition Assistance Program and Solid Start Program to address mental health issues, and for other purposes.

#### STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. KING, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. SMITH, Mr. REED, and Ms. WARREN):

S. 2107. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 regarding proprietary institutions of higher education in order to protect students and taxpayers; 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. 2107

*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 “Protecting Our Students and Taxpayers Act of 2025” or “POST Act of 2025”.

#### SEC. 2. 85/15 RULE.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 102(b) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1002(b)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1)—

(A) in subparagraph (D), by striking “and” after the semicolon;

(B) in subparagraph (E), by striking the period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

(C) by adding at the end the following:

“(F) meets the requirements of paragraph (2).”;

(2) by redesignating paragraph (2) as paragraph (3); and