

Lynette's dedication to supporting to children that are going through a difficult time is an outstanding example of the Granite State spirit of stepping up to help those in need. Her compassion and attentiveness to children entering foster care is why I am proud to name her June's Granite Stater of the Month.●

#### TRIBUTE TO ROY DRINKARD

● Mr. TUBERVILLE. Mr. President, folks often say that a life well lived isn't about how long you live, but how many lives you touch along the way. If that is true—and I believe it is—then Mr. Roy Drinkard of Cullman, AL, has lived one of the richest lives imaginable. On July 12, he will celebrate his 105th birthday, and it is a privilege to recognize him here today.

Roy was born in Falkville, AL, in Morgan County back in 1920, and he has witnessed more American history than most of us will ever read about. When World War II broke out, he joined the U.S. Marine Corps and served with distinction in the Pacific Theater under General Dwight D. Eisenhower. He earned the rank of private first class and carried himself with honor. Today, he is known as the oldest living Marine in the United States, a title that represents far more than just a number. It stands for a life defined by courage, sacrifice, and steadfast patriotism.

After the war, Roy returned home and rolled up his sleeves to help his community grow. He was part of the "Flying Fifty," a group that brought new industry to north Alabama. He founded Drinkard Chevrolet and later led Drinkard Development, helping shape Cullman into the thriving community it is today. In 2019, the Cullman Times named him Distinguished Citizen of the Century; and it is hard to think of anyone more deserving.

Roy is also a proud Troy University graduate and now trustee. He still attends every home football game and cheers on the Trojans like a fan half his age.

He is a man of deep faith and a longtime member of First Baptist Church in Cullman, where he has been a steady presence for decades.

If you happen to stop by 412 Public House in downtown Cullman, there is a good chance you will run into him. He is always ready with a handshake, a good story, and one of his famous \$2 bills with his own face on it. It has become his trademark—something between a business card and a souvenir—and it fits him perfectly.

Even now, at 105, Roy isn't slowing down. He still hosts events, supports local causes, organizes a vendor convention out in Las Vegas, and keeps on building the community in every way he can.

Mr. Drinkard's life is a story of service—to his country, his church, his university, and his neighbors. I ask my colleagues to join me in wishing him a happy 105th birthday and in thanking him for more than a century of leadership, character, and commitment to the people of Alabama.●

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-1191. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pepino Mosaic virus, Strain LP, Isolate VX1 and Pepino Mosaic Virus, Strain CH2, Isolate VC1; Exemptions from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 12767-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1192. A communication from the Board Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's proposed fiscal year 2026 Budget and Performance Plan received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1193. A communication from the Chairman, Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Corporation's annual report for calendar year 2024 received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1194. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class E Airspace; Tarboro, NC; CORRECTION" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2024-1980)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1195. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class D Airspace; Bedford, MA" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2025-1171)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1196. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Airbus SAS Airplanes; Amendment 39-23058" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2025-0343)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1197. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; MHI RJ Aviation ULC (Type

Certificate Previously Held by Bombardier, Inc.); Amendment 39-23057" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2025-0336)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1198. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments, Amendment No. 4170" ((RIN2120-AA65) (Docket No. 31610)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1199. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments; Amendment No. 41769" ((RIN2120-AA65) (Docket No. 31609)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1200. A communication from the Manager of Legal Litigation and Support, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier Inc. Airplanes; Amendment 39-23059" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2025-0477)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 23, 2025; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

#### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. CRUZ for the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

\*Bryan Bedford, of Indiana, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration for the term of five years.

Mr. CRUZ. Mr. President, for the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation I report favorably the following nomination list which was printed in the RECORD on the date indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that this nomination lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

\*Coast Guard nominations beginning with John C. Adams and ending with Judson B. Wheeler, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 22, 2025.

\*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.

## 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. WYDEN:

S. 2159. A bill to establish a pilot program to address technology-related abuse in domestic violence cases; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself and Ms. SLOTKIN):

S. 2160. A bill to reaffirm and clarify the Federal relationships of the Grand River Bands of Ottawa Indians of Michigan as a federally recognized Indian Tribe, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY:

S. 2161. A bill to establish an Office of Public Engagement and Participation within the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. DUCKWORTH (for herself and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 2162. A bill to prohibit certain activities involving kangaroos and kangaroo products, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. GALLEGO:

S. 2163. A bill to amend the Anti-Border Corruption Act of 2010 with respect to waving the polygraph examination requirement for former Federal law enforcement officers seeking employment with U.S. Customs and Border Protection, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Ms. WARREN, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. SCHATZ):

S. 2164. A bill to direct the Federal Trade Commission to require impact assessments of automated decision systems and augmented critical decision processes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. KAINE, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Ms. HIRONO, Ms. WARREN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. COONS, Mr. WELCH, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. REED, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. SMITH, Mr. WYDEN, and Ms. KLOBUCHAR):

S. 2165. A bill to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the distribution of 3D printer plans for the printing of firearms, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. KAINE, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. KELLY, Mr. LUJÁN, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2166. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include child development and early learning as community services under the Federal work-study program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HICKENLOOPER (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 2167. A bill to permit nurse practitioners and physician assistants to furnish necessary services, appliances, and supplies to individuals receiving medical benefits for illnesses; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida:

S. 2168. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to in-

crease the rate of duty on unmanned aircraft imported from the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HAWLEY (for himself, Ms. HASSAN, and Mr. KELLY):

S. 2169. A bill to require the development of a comprehensive rural hospital cybersecurity workforce development strategy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

S. 2170. A bill to prohibit United States assistance to foreign countries that oppose the position of the United States in the United Nations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. BOOKER, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 2171. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to prohibit smoking on the premises of any facility of the Veterans Health Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BANKS:

S. 2172. A bill to prohibit fetal remains in publicly owned water systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. ERNST:

S. 2173. A bill to require the Administrator of General Services to sell certain Federal buildings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 2174. A bill to require the President to give notice of denunciation of the North Atlantic Treaty for purposes of withdrawing the United States from the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. BUDD (for himself, Mr. SULLIVAN, and Mr. SHEEHY):

S. 2175. A bill to establish requirements and limitations regarding the use of automatic dependent surveillance-broadcast data, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. FISCHER:

S. 2176. A bill to require a report on future activities and resources for the delivery of specialized infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

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

S. 2177. A bill to protect the United States Government from foreign adversary AI and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. KELLY (for himself and Mr. CORNYN):

S. Res. 302. A resolution designating June 30, 2025 as "Asteroid Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. REED (for himself and Mrs. FISCHER):

S. Res. 303. A resolution expressing support for the designation of May 17, 2025, as "DIPG Pediatric Brain Cancer Awareness Day" to raise awareness of, and encourage research on, diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma tumors and pediatric cancers in general; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SULLIVAN (for himself, Mr. SCHATZ, and Ms. DUCKWORTH):

S. Res. 304. A resolution commemorating the 75th anniversary of the outbreak of the Korean War and reaffirming the critical importance of maintaining military readiness in defense of the United States and its allies; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MORENO:

S. Res. 305. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate concerning the nomination of President Donald John Trump for the Nobel Peace Prize; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

## ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 133

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 133, a bill to modify the fire management assistance cost share, and for other purposes.

S. 237

At the request of Ms. KLOBUCHAR, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 237, a bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide public safety officer benefits for exposure-related cancers, and for other purposes.

S. 278

At the request of Mr. SCHATZ, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 278, a bill to prohibit users who are under age 13 from accessing social media platforms, to prohibit the use of personalized recommendation systems on individuals under age 17, and limit the use of social media in schools.

S. 349

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEGO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 349, a bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to permit removal of trees around electrical lines on National Forest System land without conducting a timber sale, and for other purposes.

S. 453

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEGO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 453, a bill to establish a Wildfire Intelligence Center, and for other purposes.

S. 522

At the request of Mr. HAGERTY, the names of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) and the Senator from Ohio (Mr. MORENO) were added as cosponsors of S. 522, a bill to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to modify the frequency of board of directors meetings, and for other purposes.

S. 624

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the names of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) and the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) were added as cosponsors of S. 624, a bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to achieve parity between the cost-of-living adjustment with respect to an annuity under the Federal Employees Retirement System and an annuity under the Civil