

entitled "Organizations, Functions, and Procedures" (RIN2132-AB52) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 9, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1281. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Lebanon that was declared in Executive Order 13441 of August 1, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1282. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the situation in Mali that was declared in Executive Order 13882 of July 26, 2019; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1283. A communication from the Senior Congressional Liaison, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Small Business Lending Under the Equal Credit Opportunity Act (Regulation B); Extension of Compliance Dates" (RIN3170-AB40) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 9, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1284. A communication from the Acting Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of the Comptroller's 2024 Annual Report on Preservation and Promotion of Minority-Owned National Banks and Federal Savings Associations; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1285. A communication from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Deputy Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 9, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. HOEVEN, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 2256. An original bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 119-37).

By Mr. MULLIN, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 2257. An original bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 119-38).

By Mr. BOOZMAN, from the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 222. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to allow schools that participate in the school lunch program to serve whole milk, and for other purposes.

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. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SUL-

LIVAN, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, and Mr. BARRASSO):

S. 2235. A bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to reauthorize the diesel emissions reduction program; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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

S. 2236. A bill to establish a comprehensive United States Government initiative to build the capacity of young leaders and entrepreneurs in Africa, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. TILLIS, Ms. SMITH, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2237. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to extend acute hospital care at home waiver flexibilities, and to require an additional study and report on such flexibilities; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 2238. A bill to prevent the theft of catalytic converters and other precious metal car parts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. DUCKWORTH (for herself, Mr. KIM, Mr. KING, Ms. WARREN, Mr. BOOKER, Mrs. MURRAY, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. BENNET, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, and Ms. BALDWIN):

S. 2239. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to establish a pilot program regarding treating pregnancy as a qualifying event for enrollment in TRICARE Select; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. MORAN:

S. 2240. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to expand authorities for intergovernmental support agreements for the Department of Defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

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

S. 2241. A bill to direct the Secretary of Labor to train certain employees of Department of Labor how to effectively detect and assist law enforcement in preventing human trafficking during the course of their official duties, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 2242. A bill to require the Director of National Intelligence to submit an action plan to enhance counternarcotics collaboration, coordination, and cooperation with the Government of Mexico, and for other purposes; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. WELCH):

S. 2243. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to assess certain fees on shipping and other vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. PAUL:

S. 2244. A bill to require immediate changes to Medicaid relating to alien eligibility and payments to Medicaid expansion States that furnish health care to certain aliens; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. 2245. A bill to amend the Digital Coast Act to improve the acquisition, integration, and accessibility of data of the Digital Coast program and to extend the program; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. MARKEY:

S. 2246. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to prohibit certain offices of the Small

Business Administration from undertaking a reduction in force, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. WELCH:

S. 2247. A bill to enhance local capacity and expand local control over the disaster response, recovery, and preparedness process, to guarantee stable Federal funding streams for disaster-impacted communities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 2248. A bill to reauthorize titles II and V of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 2249. A bill to expand eligibility for special overtime pay to U.S. Border Patrol agents classified above grade GS-12; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself and Mr. COTTON):

S. 2250. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, relating to sentencing of armed career criminals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RISCH (for himself, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. SCHMITT, Mr. BUDD, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. HAWLEY, and Mr. SHEEHY):

S. 2251. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to prevent the use of funds under such Act to teach or advance concepts related to gender ideology, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 2252. A bill to require United States foreign assistance commodities to be made available for their intended purposes before they expire; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. 2253. A bill to increase consumer protection with respect to negative options in all media, including on the internet, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. GALLEGO (for himself and Mr. WELCH):

S. 2254. A bill to codify the Federal Trade Commission's negative option rule; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. COONS, and Mr. DAINES):

S. 2255. A bill to provide for the vacating of certain convictions and expungement of certain arrests of victims of human trafficking; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HOEVEN:

S. 2256. An original bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes; from the Committee on Appropriations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. MULLIN:

S. 2257. An original bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes; from the Committee on Appropriations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. HAWLEY:

S. 2258. A bill to prohibit the acquisition and ownership of agricultural land and residential real property by certain foreign entities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. SLOTKIN:

S. 2259. A bill to prohibit the operation on property of the Department of Defense of certain vehicles designed, developed, manufactured, or supplied by persons owned by, controlled by, or subject to the jurisdiction of a foreign entity of concern, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. PADILLA:

S. 2260. A bill to provide for the water quality restoration of the Tijuana River and the New River, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. PADILLA:

S. 2261. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to provide for the establishment of standards to limit the carbon intensity of the fuel used by certain vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. RISCH, and Mr. CURTIS):

S. 2262. A bill to amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to clarify the nature of public investment for purposes of certain rulemaking, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

S. 2263. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to exempt air traffic controllers from certain mandatory separation requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself and Mr. SHEEHY):

S.J. Res. 61. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Bureau of Land Management relating to "Miles City Field Office Record of Decision and Approved Resource Management Plan Amendment"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRAMER (for himself and Mr. HOEVEN):

S.J. Res. 62. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Bureau of Land Management relating to "North Dakota Field Office Record of Decision and Approved Resource Management Plan"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

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

S. Res. 317. A resolution commending the courage, bravery, and resolve of the fathers, mothers, sons, and daughters of Cuba, who, 4 years ago, stood in the face of brutal harassment, beatings, and torture to protest against the Communist Cuban regime, demanding access to their fundamental rights to life, dignity, and freedom; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. Res. 318. A resolution recognizing that climate change poses a growing threat to public health and necessitates coordinated action to mitigate its impacts and safeguard the health and well-being of all people in the United States; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself, Mr. KIM, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. DURBIN, and Mr. YOUNG):

S. Res. 319. A resolution recognizing and celebrating 100 years of quantum mechanics; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER (for herself, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. WARREN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. KAINE, Mr. COONS, Mr. HEINRICH, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. FETTERMAN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. OSSOFF, Ms. SMITH, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. BENNET, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. LUJÁN, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. Con. Res. 16. A concurrent resolution recognizing the significance of equal pay and the disparity in wages paid to men and to Black women; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 176

At the request of Mr. COTTON, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 176, a bill to direct the President to take such actions as may be necessary to prohibit the purchase of public or private real estate located in the United States by citizens and entities of the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes.

S. 1318

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BANKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1318, a bill to direct the American Battle Monuments Commission to establish a program to identify American-Jewish servicemembers buried in United States military cemeteries overseas under markers that incorrectly represent their religion and heritage, and for other purposes.

S. 1375

At the request of Mr. HAGERTY, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) 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. 1383

At the request of Mr. SCOTT of Florida, the names of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) and the Senator from Florida (Mrs. MOODY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1383, a bill to establish the Veterans Advisory Committee on Equal Access, and for other purposes.

S. 1659

At the request of Mr. COONS, the names of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS), the Senator from Michigan (Ms. SLOTKIN), the Senator

from North Carolina (Mr. BUDD), the Senator from Virginia (Mr. KAINE), the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT), the Senator from Florida (Mrs. MOODY) and the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1659, a bill to amend titles 11 and 28, United States Code, to modify the compensation payable to trustees serving in cases under chapter 7 of title 11, United States Code, to extend the term of certain temporary offices of bankruptcy judges, and for other purposes.

S. 1918

At the request of Mr. BOOZMAN, the names of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER) and the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) were added as cosponsors of S. 1918, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a refundable tax credit against income tax for the purchase of qualified access technology for the blind.

S. 1970

At the request of Mr. BUDD, the names of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER) and the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1970, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the service members of the Military Assistance Command Vietnam-Studies and Observations Group, in recognition of their bravery and outstanding service in South Vietnam, North Vietnam, Laos, and Cambodia during the Vietnam War.

S. 1973

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1973, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coordination of programs to prevent and treat obesity, and for other purposes.

S. 1974

At the request of Mr. COONS, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) and the Senator from Vermont (Mr. WELCH) were added as cosponsors of S. 1974, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to allow certain public health data modernization grants to be used to track hospital bed capacity, and for other purposes.

S. 2211

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) and the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) were added as cosponsors of S. 2211, a bill to reauthorize the Special Diabetes Program for Type 1 Diabetes and the Special Diabetes Program for Indians.

S. RES. 315

At the request of Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 315, a resolution expressing support for the designation of July 10, 2025, as Journeyman Lineworkers Recognition Day.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. WELCH: