

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations to the bill H.R. 4 to the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate with instructions to report the same back to the Senate in 3 days, not counting any day on which the Senate is not in session, with changes that—

(1) are within the jurisdiction of such committee; and

(2) would prohibit the recession of funding for providers participating in the Emergency Alert System.

H.R. 4

Mr. WARNOCK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the following motions to recommit for the bill H.R. 4 be placed in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD:

Mr. WARNOCK moves to recommit the bill H.R. 4 to the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate with instructions to report the same back to the Senate in 3 days, not counting any day on which the Senate is not in session, with changes that—

(1) are within the jurisdiction of such committee; and

(2) would protect funding for the production and distribution of programming to support early childhood development.

Mr. WARNOCK moves to recommit the bill H.R. 4 to the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate with instructions to report the same back to the Senate in 3 days, not counting any day on which the Senate is not in session, with changes that—

(1) are within the jurisdiction of such committee; and

(2) would protect funding to support emergency alert systems during natural disasters.

Mr. WARNOCK moves to recommit the bill H.R. 4 to the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate with instructions to report the same back to the Senate in 3 days, not counting any day on which the Senate is not in session, with changes that—

(1) are within the jurisdiction of such committee; and

(2) would protect funding to support rural broadcasting and journalism.

H.R. 4

Mr. GALLEG0. Mr. President, when the Senate considers the rescissions bill, H.R. 4, it is my intention to make the following motion to recommit the bill:

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations to modify the proposed rescission of funds from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting to exclude amounts designated to support public radio or television stations that are licensed to or primarily serve rural areas or Tribal communities.

REMEMBERING REGINALD ADAMS BERRY

Mr. WELCH. Mr. President, I rise to pay tribute to Reginald Adams Berry, a native of Washington, DC, who died unexpectedly on June 28.

Mr. Berry was, by all accounts, an exceptionally kind, thoughtful, and intellectually curious person who was also the beloved husband of my friend—and the friend of many of my colleagues—Ann Berry, who served as Secretary of the Senate from March 2021 until January 2025. Ann rose from ex-

tremely humble beginnings in Alabama to her lofty position on the third floor of the Capitol Building, but I think she would agree that being married to Reginald and mother to their daughter Elizabeth was more important than any of her many professional achievements.

As his obituary describes, Reginald was an accomplished architect who had a lifelong love of learning. He traveled the world, and his breadth and depth of knowledge rubbed off on all who knew him. Above all, he was devoted to his family and many friends.

I was shocked and saddened to learn of Reginald's passing at the age of 68, and I extend my deepest condolences to Ann and Elizabeth.

I ask unanimous consent that the obituary of Reginald Berry be printed in the RECORD.

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

REGINALD ADAMS BERRY

(December 9, 1956–June 28, 2025)

Reginald Adams Berry, a cherished husband, father, and friend, passed away on June 28, 2025, at the age of 68. The native Washingtonian, born on December 9, 1956, remained a local as he grew up, pursued his higher education, built a career as an accomplished architect, and established a family. At the time of his passing, he resided in Bowie, MD. He leaves behind his beloved wife, Sonceria Ann Berry, cherished daughter, Elizabeth Ruth Berry, and a legacy of dedication and kindness.

While his roots were firmly planted in the Washington area, Reginald was a man who reached for horizons. After earning his Bachelor of Arts degree from Howard University's School of Architecture, he charted a professional path that spanned three decades. In that time, he made significant contributions designing facilities for the Naval Academy, the U.S. Information Agency, and the U.S. Department of State. Reginald was devoted to his work, which enriched his life and took him around the globe, amassing over a million frequent-flyer miles.

Known for his discerning taste, informed by his insatiable curiosity about the world around him, Reginald had a particular appreciation for excellent wine and modern art. He read multiple newspapers a day and was quick to recommend a relevant book or piece of reporting to a person who expressed interest in a given subject. His joy for learning was contagious, and his broad knowledge earned him the admiration of friends and family alike.

Reginald's family was his greatest source of love and pride. He regularly brought Ann flowers. He relished going to movies with Elizabeth. They remember him as a devoted family man, a loving dad, and a pillar of support, wisdom, and love.

As we remember him, let us cherish the memories and the lasting impact he has left on the lives he touched. His spirit and legacy will live in the hearts of all who knew and loved him.

REMEMBERING TERRANCE TAYLOR

Mr. VAN HOLLEN. Mr. President, I rise to honor the memory of the late Terrance Taylor, a treasured Marylander and true public servant who served in Congressman STENY HOYER'S

office for over two decades, including as his district director.

Terrance's expertise and unwavering commitment to service touched countless lives across Maryland's Fifth Congressional District. He embodied the very best of public service: compassionate, dependable, and driven by a tireless dedication to ensuring that Marylanders received the assistance and benefits they deserved. Whether it was a veteran seeking benefits, a senior navigating bureaucratic redtape, or a community rebuilding after hardship, Terrance was always there as a steadfast, patient, and kind advocate.

Beyond his outstanding professional contributions, Terrance will also be remembered as a devoted husband to his wife Candace and as a loving father to his son Simon. Terrance leaves a legacy of leadership, compassion, and good humor. I ask my colleagues to join me in expressing appreciation for and paying respects to Terrance's legacy and memory, with gratitude for his impact on the people of Maryland and our Nation.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

TRIBUTE TO RADIAN LAWSON HENNIGAN

• Mr. CASSIDY. Mr. President, I rise to pay tribute to Mr. Radian Lawson Hennigan, CPA, who is celebrating his retirement.

Mr. Hennigan grew up in a military family. After his father retired from the U.S. Army, the Hennigans settled on a family farm in Bienville Parish. Mr. Hennigan spent his teenage years raising cattle and maintaining his family's timberland. These experiences instilled in Mr. Hennigan a strong work ethic and deep commitment to serving others, which shaped his career.

During his career, Mr. Hennigan developed a reputation for integrity, generosity, and dedication to his clients and hometown of Ruston, LA. In 1988, he founded *Radian L. Hennigan, CPA*. His accounting firm served the Ruston area and the broader Louisiana community. Through his accounting firm and other business investments, Mr. Hennigan employed over 400 individuals in the Ruston community. He also partnered with Louisiana Tech University, his alma mater, to develop a summer associate program to mentor future CPAs.

Mr. Hennigan retired from *Radian L. Hennigan, CPA* this July after leading the firm for 37 years. During his retirement, Mr. Hennigan will enjoy the company of his wife of 47 years, three children, five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

The work ethic, generosity, and service that Mr. Hennigan exhibited during his career are nothing short of inspiring. I ask that all of Louisiana join me in congratulating Mr. Hennigan on his distinguished career and wish him a happy retirement. •

TRIBUTE TO JEREMY RENNER

• Mr. SCHIFF. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Jeremy Renner, one of Hollywood's most electrifying and influential actors.

Throughout his career, Jeremy Renner has clearly displayed his versatility as an actor, with an ability to bring an extensive range of characters to life. His breakout role in "The Hurt Locker" earned him his first Academy Award nomination for Best Actor. With his distinct boldness and gravitas, Mr. Renner continued making his mark on Hollywood in blockbuster franchises, including "Mission: Impossible—Ghost Protocol", "Mission: Impossible—Rogue Nation", and "The Bourne Legacy."

Additionally, Mr. Renner is well known for his portrayal of Clint Barton, also known as Hawkeye, in the Marvel Cinematic Universe. Mr. Renner crafted a character that combines action-star grandeur with emotional nuance, making Hawkeye a beloved character that captures audiences over multiple blockbuster films and the Disney+ series "Hawkeye."

Mr. Renner currently stars in "Mayor of Kingstown", a thrilling crime drama in which his character Mike McLusky maneuvers through a morally tangled web of local politics and prisons. His upcoming role will be in the much-anticipated third "Knives Out" installment, "Wake Up Dead Man."

Mr. Renner's impact extends beyond his acting career as a New York Times bestselling author and nonprofit founder. Following a near-fatal accident, he wrote "My Next Breath: A Memoir", a deeply personal memoir that chronicles his road to recovery despite insurmountable odds.

In 2023, Mr. Renner launched the RennerVation Foundation with his sister Kym Renner. The RennerVation Foundation empowers foster youth in Nevada to thrive through access to resources, education, and life-changing opportunities. At Camp RennerVation, foster and at-risk youth find community, lifelong mentors, and develop tools to navigate complex emotions. Nestled in the wilderness of Lake Tahoe, Camp RennerVation fosters connection, joy, and personal growth. Through his foundation, Mr. Renner continues to impact youth beyond the movie screen and empower them to be future leaders in their communities.

We are honored to welcome Jeremy Renner as the keynote speaker at the 2025 Lake Tahoe Summit, and I ask all Members to join me in thanking Jeremy Renner for his tremendous contributions on screen and through his RennerVation Foundation.●

RECOGNIZING THE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S TENNIS TEAM

• Mr. SCHMITT. Mr. President, I rise today to honor the athletes of the

Washington University Women's Tennis Team and to congratulate them on their recent victory in the NCAA Division III Women's Tennis National Championship. Over the last year, the entire team has shown remarkable dedication and commitment to enhancing their athletic prowess and working to ensure that their skills are at their peak. With over half a million athletes competing for NCAA championship titles each year, the WashU Bears have more than proven their mettle, as demonstrated by their remarkable victory against the Pomona-Pitzer Sagehens.

I would also like to offer my congratulations to head coach Paige Madara and assistant coaches Ally Persky and Erin Swaller, as their steady leadership has been an important part of the Bears' success. Thank you for your committed work to helping the team succeed and reach their fullest potential. I am excited to see all the success this team continues to achieve.●

RECOGNIZING FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

• Mr. SCHMITT. Mr. President, I rise today to commemorate the bicentennial anniversary of the founding of First Baptist Church—FBC—of Lafayette County, MO. Since its founding as "Little Sni-a-Bar Church" in 1825, First Baptist has been a cornerstone of Lafayette County and has helped spread the message of Jesus Christ to countless individuals over its two centuries of service. To this day, it remains the longest serving active church in the county. I am proud to recognize the legacy forged by Pastor John Warder 200 years ago, as well as his 41 successors, and wish to express my appreciation for the ongoing steady leadership of Pastor Russell Pierce over the last decade.

To the elders and church body of FBC, thank you for your devoted service to building stronger the community in Christ. I appreciate your devotion to the Word, and I wish your entire community the best as First Baptist Church enters its third century.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Hanley, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The messages received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 10:22 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by

Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 1717. An act to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish a council to make recommendations on ways to increase the security, reliability, and interoperability of communications networks, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 6913, and the order of the House of January 3, 2025, the Speaker appoints the following Members on the part of the House of Representatives to the Congressional Executive Commission on the People's Republic of China: Mr. Suozzi of New York and Mr. Subramanyam of Virginia.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The President Pro tempore (Mr. GRASSLEY) announced that on today, July 16, 2025, he had signed the following enrolled bill, which was previously signed by the Speaker of the House:

H.R. 517. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the rules for postponing certain deadlines by reason of disaster.

MEASURES REFERRED

The following bill was read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 1717. An act to direct the Federal Communications Commission to establish a council to make recommendations on ways to increase the security, reliability, and interoperability of communications networks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

MEASURES DISCHARGED PETITION

(07/15/2025)

We, the undersigned Senators, in accordance with Title 10 of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, hereby direct that the Senate Committees on Appropriations and Budget be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4, an Act to rescind certain budget authority proposed to be rescinded in special messages transmitted to the Congress by the President on June 3, 2025, in accordance with section 1012(a) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974:

John Thune, Ted Budd, Katie Boyd Britt, Roger Marshall, Tommy Tuberville, John Barrasso, Tim Scott, Steve Daines, Marsha Blackburn, Eric Schmitt, Pete Ricketts, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Tim Sheehy, James C. Justice, Ron Johnson, Jon Husted, Rick Scott, Chuck Grassley, James Lankford and Joni Ernst.

MEASURES DISCHARGED

(07/15/2025)

The following joint resolution was discharged from the Committees on Appropriations and the Budget by petition, pursuant to section 1012(a) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Act of 1974, and placed on the calendar: