

Richardson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 23, 2025.

*Coast Guard nomination of Kailee H. Everetze, to be Lieutenant Commander.

By Mr. LEE for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

*Timothy John Walsh, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Environmental Management).

*Audrey Robertson, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy).

*Lanny Erdos, of Ohio, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

By Mr. PAUL for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

*Sean Plankey, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

*Pedro Allende, of Florida, to be Under Secretary for Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security.

*Christopher Fox, of Virginia, to be Inspector General of the Intelligence Community, Office of the Director of National Intelligence.

*Edward Aloysius O'Connell, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

*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.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

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. HUSTED (for himself and Ms. HASSAN):

S. 2529. A bill to increase the clarity and predictability of the process for developing applications for Rx-to-nonprescription switches; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 2530. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the ability to expense certain qualified productions; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. ALSOBROOKS (for herself and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. 2531. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to award grants to increase early detection of and intervention for uterine fibroids, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Ms. HASSAN, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 2532. A bill to reauthorize the program of first responder training; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, and Ms. WARREN):

S. 2533. A bill to require performance and security audits of certain agency computer systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SCHU-

MER, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. ROSEN, Ms. WARREN, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. KING, Ms. SMITH, Mr. WELCH, Mr. HEINRICH, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. GALLEG0, and Ms. CORTEZ MASTO):

S. 2534. A bill to improve the reproductive assistance provided by the Department of Defense and the Department of Veterans Affairs to certain members of the Armed Forces, veterans, and their spouses or partners, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 2535. A bill to enable passenger vessels that were not built in the United States to receive coastwise endorsement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 2536. A bill to exempt large cruise ships from certain requirements applicable to passenger vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 2537. A bill to adjust certain ownership and other requirements for passenger vessels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. KING (for himself and Mr. CASSIDY):

S. 2538. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit for hazard mitigation projects in connection with certain working waterfront property; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. ROUNDS (for himself and Mr. KING):

S. 2539. A bill to redesignate the Department of Defense Africa Center for Strategic Studies as the James M. Inhofe Africa Center for Strategic Studies; to the Committee on Armed Services.

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

S. 2540. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to reauthorize the Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Grant Program of the Department of Justice; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 2541. A bill to establish requirements for quality and discard date phrases that are voluntarily declared on the food label to display calendar dates; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself, Mr. LANKFORD, and Ms. ERNST):

S. 2542. A bill to direct the Director of the Federal Protective Service to establish guidance relating to emergency protocols for buildings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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

S. 2543. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to submit a report on New World screwworm readiness and response; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mrs. BRITT (for herself, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 2544. A bill to permit State, local, and Tribal law enforcement agencies and grantees that receive eligible Federal grant funds to use such funds for investigating elder financial fraud, pig butchering, and general financial fraud, and to clarify that Federal law enforcement agencies may assist State, local, and Tribal law enforcement agencies in the use of tracing tools for blockchain and related technology, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 2545. A bill to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to provide for certain ways in which credit unions may be Agent members of the National Credit Union Administration Central Liquidity Facility; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. COONS (for himself, Mr. SCHMITT, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. CASSIDY, Ms. WARREN, and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. 2546. A bill to provide for an extension of the legislative authority of the National Emergency Medical Services Memorial Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. BUDD, Mr. JUSTICE, and Mr. RICKETTS):

S. 2547. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase penalties for individuals who illegally enter and reenter the United States after being removed, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 2548. A bill to designate the Camp Hutchins Wilderness and establish Special Management Areas in the Shawnee National Forest in the State of Illinois, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. COONS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. GALLEG0, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. KAINE, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. REED, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 2549. A bill to provide employees with a minimum of 2 consecutive hours of paid leave in order to vote in Federal elections; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 2550. A bill to provide for international cooperation to secure critical mineral supply chains, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 2551. A bill to provide the Secretary of Homeland Security with the authority to temporarily extend the duration of protections provided under the SAFETY Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. MCCORMICK (for himself and Mr. FETTERMAN):

S. 2552. A bill to amend the securities laws to prohibit brokers and dealers with certain connections to the People's Republic of China from being members of a national securities association, to prohibit investment advisers with certain connections to the People's Republic of China from registering with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. HAGERTY (for himself, Mr. LEE, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. BUDD, Mrs. CAPITO, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. COTTON, and Mrs. FISCHER):

S. 2553. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to classify aliens who have been convicted of, or who have committed, an offense for driving while intoxicated or impaired as inadmissible and deportable; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself and Mr. SULLIVAN):

S. 2554. A bill to provide for the recognition of certain Alaska Native communities

and the settlement of certain claims under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. TUBERVILLE:

S. 2555. A bill to improve student and exchange visitor visa programs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MERKLEY, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. WELCH, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. KING, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. REED, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WARNER, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. KAINE, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. COONS, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. WARNOCK, Ms. SMITH, Mr. KELLY, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. KIM, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. OSSOFF, Ms. HASSAN, and Mr. MURPHY):

S. 2556. A bill to repeal the changes made by the health subtitle of the One Big Beautiful Bill Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MERKLEY (for himself, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. KIM, Mr. KELLY, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WARNER, Mr. REED, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. COONS, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. DUCKWORTH, and Mr. BENNET):

S. 2557. A bill to direct the Attorney General to make publicly available documents related to Jeffrey Epstein, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

S. 2558. A bill to require the Subcommittee on the Economic and Security Implications of Quantum Information Science to assess possible migration by Federal agencies to post-quantum cryptography, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. KIM:

S. 2559. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to eliminate certain requirements under the summer food service program for children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. SULLIVAN (for himself and Mr. MERKLEY):

S. 2560. A bill to expand the imposition of sanctions under the Uyghur Human Rights Policy Act of 2020 with respect to human rights abuses in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region of the People's Republic of China and to counter the genocidal policies of the Government of the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BUDD, Mr. CORNYN, and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. Res. 346. A resolution urging all members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organiza-

tion to spend a minimum of 5 percent of gross domestic product on defense; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. MORENO:

S. Res. 347. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Federal Open Market Committee should take immediate steps to lower interest rates to support economic growth, job creation, and affordability for American families and businesses; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CASSIDY:

S. Res. 348. A resolution declaring August 14, 2025, as "National Save Social Security Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PADILLA (for himself, Ms. ERNST, Ms. SMITH, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. ROUNDS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. WELCH, Mr. KING, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. BENNET, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, and Ms. ALSOBROOKS):

S. Res. 349. A resolution designating the week of August 3 through August 9, 2025, as "National Farmers Market Week"; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 83

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MARSHALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 83, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide enhanced penalties for convicted murderers who kill or target America's public safety officers.

S. 107

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 107, a bill to amend the Lumbee Act of 1956.

S. 138

At the request of Mr. SHEEHY, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Ms. CORTEZ MASTO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 138, a bill to require each enterprise to include on the Uniform Residential Loan Application a disclaimer to increase awareness of the direct and guaranteed home loan programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

S. 199

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BANKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 199, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide special rules for the taxation of certain residents of Taiwan with income from sources within the United States.

S. 248

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 248, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permanently extend certain in-home cardiopulmonary rehabilitation flexibilities established in response to COVID-19, and for other purposes.

S. 525

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the name of the Senator from Mississippi

(Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 525, a bill to transfer the functions, duties, responsibilities, assets, liabilities, orders, determinations, rules, regulations, permits, grants, loans, contracts, agreements, certificates, licenses, and privileges of the United States Agency for International Development relating to implementing and administering the Food for Peace Act to the Department of Agriculture.

S. 561

At the request of Mr. LEE, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 561, a bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to require the Secretary to designate food and food products to be made available under the supplemental nutrition assistance program, and for other purposes.

S. 575

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. FETTERMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 575, a bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to increase access to services provided by advanced practice registered nurses under the Medicare and Medicaid programs, and for other purposes.

S. 766

At the request of Ms. ERNST, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mrs. MOODY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 766, a bill to require an annual report of taxpayer-funded projects that are over budget and behind schedule.

S. 872

At the request of Ms. ERNST, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mrs. MOODY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 872, a bill to amend the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006 to ensure that other transaction agreements are reported to USAspending.gov, and for other purposes.

S. 879

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. HASSAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 879, a bill to expand medical, employment, and other benefits for individuals serving as family caregivers for certain veterans, and for other purposes.

S. 957

At the request of Mr. LUJÁN, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. ROUNDS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 957, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to eliminate consideration of the income of organ recipients in providing reimbursement of expenses to donating individuals, and for other purposes.

S. 1318

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. HASSAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1318, a bill to direct the American Battle Monuments Commission to establish a program to identify