

S. 2709. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to extend certain telehealth flexibilities under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself and Ms. HASSAN):

S. 2710. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to require pharmaceutical and device manufacturers to publicly disclose covered payments made to patient advocacy organizations; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. BALDWIN:

S. 2711. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 and title 17, United States Code, to provide greater access to in-State television broadcast programming for cable and satellite subscribers in certain counties; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 2712. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a carbon fee to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 2713. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to provide grants for natural gas distribution pipeline infrastructure safety and modernization, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. HUSTED:

S. 2714. A bill to require artificial intelligence chatbots to implement age verification measures and establish certain protections for minor users, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. KING):

S. 2715. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require hospitals with approved medical residency training programs to submit to the Secretary of Health and Human Services certain information regarding osteopathic and allopathic candidates for such programs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GALLEG0:

S. 2716. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the inclusion in gross income of social security benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. PADILLA, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 2717. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to allow for deductions of student loan payments from income; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. CRAPO, Ms. SMITH, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. PETERS, and Mrs. HYDE-SMITH):

S. 2718. A bill to amend the Community Development Banking and Financial Institutions Act of 1994 to provide for capitalization assistance to enhance liquidity; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. KAINE, and Mr. KIM):

S. 2719. A bill to establish a program to provide low- and moderate-income first-time, first-generation homebuyers with access to affordable and sustainable wealth-building home loans; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. KIM, and Ms. ALSOBROOKS):

S. 2720. A bill to provide technical assistance and grants for faith-based organizations, institutions of higher education, and local governments to increase the supply of affordable rental housing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. LANKFORD (for himself, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. DAINES, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. BUDD, Mr. CASSIDY, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mrs. BRITT, Ms. ERNST, and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 2721. A bill to provide for a period of continuing appropriations in the event of a lapse in appropriations under the normal appropriations process, to establish procedures and consequences in the event of a failure to enact appropriations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. RICKETTS (for himself and Mr. COONS):

S. 2722. A bill to promote the energy security of Taiwan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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

S. 2723. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to modify the provisions relating to treatment courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 2724. A bill to require executive agencies and Federal courts to comply with address confidentiality programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 2725. A bill to increase the criminal penalty for mail fraud involving misrepresentation of the country of origin, to terminate the authority to exclude countries from the requirement to transmit advance electronic information for 100 percent of mail shipments under the STOP Act of 2018, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BANKS (for himself, Mr. MARSHALL, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Mrs. HYDE-SMITH):

S. 2726. A bill to prescribe Guiding Principles for Federal Architecture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. SMITH:

S. 2727. A bill to amend the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990 to authorize grants for eligible institutions to carry out agriculture workforce training programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. MARKEY:

S. 2728. A bill to prohibit the use of United States embassies or consulates in raising funds for foreign political parties or candidates; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. WARREN (for herself, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. FETTERMAN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. SMITH, and Mr. WELCH):

S. 2729. A bill to repeal the authority under the National Labor Relations Act for States to enact laws prohibiting agreements requiring membership in a labor organization as a condition of employment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S.J. Res. 76. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule

submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to "Extension of Deadlines in Standards of Performance for New, Recon-structed, and Modified Sources and Emissions Guidelines for Existing Sources: Oil and Natural Gas Sector Climate Review Final Rule"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. WELCH, Ms. WARREN, and Mr. REED):

S. Res. 373. A resolution recognizing the 50th anniversary of the independence of the Republic of Cabo Verde and celebrating the contributions of Cabo Verdean-Americans to democracy in Cabo Verde and the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. ALSOBROOKS (for herself, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. KAINE, Mr. KIM, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. REED, Ms. ROSEN, Ms. SMITH, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. WELCH, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. COONS):

S. Res. 374. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that Secretary of Health and Human Services Robert Fitzgerald Kennedy Jr. does not have the confidence of the Senate or of the American people to faithfully carry out the duties of his office and should be removed from his position; to the Committee on Finance.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 339

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) was added as a cosponsor of S. 339, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare coverage of multi-cancer early detection screening tests.

S. 555

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. OSSOFF) was added as a cosponsor of S. 555, a bill to direct the Secretary of State to establish a national registry of Korean American divided families, and for other purposes.

S. 691

At the request of Mr. YOUNG, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 691, a bill to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to improve the administration of antidumping and countervailing duty laws, and for other purposes.

S. 858

At the request of Mr. JUSTICE, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 858, a bill to authorize the National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation to establish a commemorative work on the National Mall to honor the extraordinary acts of valor, selfless service, and sacrifice displayed by Medal of Honor recipients.

S. 1101

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. MULLIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1101, a bill to authorize the use of Federal Bureau of Investigation criminal history record information for administration of certain licenses.

S. 1164

At the request of Ms. HASSAN, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1164, a bill to allow additional individuals to enroll in standalone dental plans offered through Federal Exchanges.

S. 1449

At the request of Mr. PETERS, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1449, a bill to reauthorize the trade adjustment assistance program.

S. 1491

At the request of Ms. WARREN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1491, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to modify the definition of special Government employee, and for other purposes.

S. 1879

At the request of Mr. OSSOFF, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1879, a bill to amend chapter 131 of title 5, United States Code, to require Members of Congress and their spouses and dependent children to place certain assets into blind trusts, and for other purposes.

S. 1929

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1929, a bill to establish programs to reduce rates of sepsis.

S. 1932

At the request of Mr. VAN HOLLEN, the names of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) and the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) were added as cosponsors of S. 1932, a bill to amend the National Housing Act and the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 to include information regarding VA home loans in the Informed Consumer Choice Disclosure required to be provided to prospective FHA borrowers and to require a military service question on the Uniform Residential Loan Application, and for other purposes.

S. 2212

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the names of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH) were added as cosponsors of S. 2212, a bill to amend section 287 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to require all immigration enforcement officers to display visible identification during public-facing immigration enforcement actions and to promote transparency and accountability.

S. 2225

At the request of Mr. LUJÁN, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2225, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to add physical therapists to the list of providers allowed to utilize locum tenens arrangements under Medicare.

S. 2488

At the request of Mr. SCHATZ, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2488, a bill to promote transparency and accountability in covered digital labor platform work, and for other purposes.

S. 2520

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2520, a bill to establish a State rail formula grant program, to direct Federal Railroad Administration to create a Green Railroads Fund, to expand passenger rail programs, to address air quality concerns, to establish rail workforce training centers, and for other purposes.

S. 2702

At the request of Mr. BANKS, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. COTTON), the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MARSHALL), the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT), the Senator from Alabama (Mr. TUBERVILLE) and the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) were added as cosponsors of S. 2702, a bill to require local educational agencies, State educational agencies, and other governmental education entities to respect the rights of parents regarding gender transition, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 323

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Ms. WARREN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 323, a resolution urging the United States to lead a global effort to halt and reverse the nuclear arms race.

AMENDMENT NO. 3332

At the request of Mr. SCHIFF, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3332 intended to be proposed to S. 2296, an original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2026 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3334

At the request of Mr. SCHIFF, the names of the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) and the Senator from Montana (Mr. SHEEHY) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3334 intended to be proposed to S. 2296, an original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2026 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Depart-

ment of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3666

At the request of Mr. WARNER, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3666 intended to be proposed to S. 2296, an original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2026 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3761

At the request of Mr. PAUL, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3761 intended to be proposed to S. 2296, an original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2026 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 2712. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a carbon fee to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

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. 2712

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 "America's Clean Future Fund Act".

SEC. 2. CLIMATE CHANGE FINANCE CORPORATION.

(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—There is established in the executive branch an independent agency, to be known as the "Climate Change Finance Corporation" (referred to in this section as the "C2FC"), which shall finance clean energy and climate change resiliency activities in accordance with this section.

(2) MISSION.—The mission of the C2FC is to combat climate change by reducing the dependency of the United States on fossil fuels, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, and building resilience to the harmful impacts of climate change.

(3) ACTIVITIES.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—The C2FC shall reduce the reliance of the United States on fossil fuels and mitigate the impacts of climate change by financing—

(i) the deployment of low- and zero-emissions energy technologies and fuels;

(ii) the construction of climate-resilient infrastructure;

(iii) research, development, and commercialization of new climate-smart technologies and tools to facilitate industrial decarbonization;