

## AMENDMENT NO. 3143

At the request of Mr. MARSHALL, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. OSSOFF) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3143 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. 3182

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3182 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. 3209

At the request of Ms. DUCKWORTH, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3209 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. 3210

At the request of Ms. DUCKWORTH, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) and the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3210 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. 3256

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. HAWLEY) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3256 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. 3592

At the request of Mr. WELCH, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3592 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 con-

struction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

## AMENDMENT NO. 3668

At the request of Mr. WARNER, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. OSSOFF) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3668 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. 3702

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. PETERS) and the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3702 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. PADILLA (for himself and Mr. SCHIFF):

S. 2735. A bill to take certain Federal land in the State of California into trust for the benefit of the Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Mr. PADILLA. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce Shingle Springs Band Miwok Indians Land Transfer Act of 2025. This bill would place approximately 80 acres of land currently managed by the Bureau of Land Management into trust for the Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians and place into trust 185 acres of fee land already owned by the Tribe.

The Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians is a federally recognized Tribe located near Placerville, CA. The Tribe's current land base is limited, just 160 acres, and their reservation access was significantly disrupted decades ago when Highway 50 was constructed across their only entrance. While the Tribe has since invested in an off-ramp to restore access, their existing land remains insufficient to meet the needs of their citizens, particularly related to housing.

Today, more than 180 Tribal families are on a housing waitlist. To address this crisis, the Tribe purchased 118 acres of nearby land with the goal of building housing for their citizens, which this bill would place into trust.

The land owned by BLM cannot be placed into trust without an act of Congress, making this bill essential to meeting the Tribe's goals of housing,

fire risk management, and responsible land stewardship.

This legislation is a commonsense step forward that will empower the Tribe to build much needed housing and better manage its ancestral lands. I want to thank Senator SCHIFF for cosponsoring this legislation, and I also want to thank Republican Congressman TOM McCLINTOCK, who also represents this land, for introducing companion legislation in the House.

## SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

## SENATE RESOLUTION 375—RECOGNIZING SEPTEMBER 8 THROUGH 14, 2025, AS "INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATORS' WEEK"

Mr. HUSTED submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:

S. RES. 375

Whereas, each year, the Senate recognizes the invaluable contributions of interscholastic athletic administrators to the physical, academic, and emotional development of students in the United States;

Whereas interscholastic athletic programs play a critical role in forming a well-rounded educational experience for students;

Whereas participation in sports is proven to improve concentration, memory, and academic behavior, such as school attendance;

Whereas participation in sports results in higher levels of confidence and self-esteem, reducing the risk of suicidal thoughts and other mental health struggles in teenagers and young adults;

Whereas research shows that participation in sports can reduce the rate of youth violence and crime by providing youth with access to personal growth opportunities;

Whereas participation in sports plays a critical role in the development of leadership skills and resiliency in students;

Whereas interscholastic athletic administrators—

(1) work tirelessly every day to ensure the safety and well-being of all student athletes;

(2) often work long and unpredictable hours to ensure that every student athlete has access to the training and assistance they need; and

(3) tirelessly dedicate themselves to the athletic, academic, and personal development of their students and players, building mature and hardworking young men and women;

Whereas more than 8,000,000 student athletes in the United States rely on the hard work of interscholastic athletic administrators for guidance, coaching, and mentorship; and

Whereas the athletic programs led by interscholastic athletic administrators promote values of leadership, service, hard work, and teamwork in schools and communities: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) recognizes September 8 through 14, 2025, as "Interscholastic Athletic Administrators' Week";

(2) commends interscholastic athletic administrators for their commitment and their leadership of student athletes at the secondary school level;

(3) recognizes the critical role school athletic programs play in student leadership development; and

(4) commends the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association as the leading organization that prepares individuals who lead secondary school athletics throughout the United States, providing continuous learning, compassion, and preparation within the profession.

**SENATE RESOLUTION 376—RECOGNIZING SUICIDE AS A SERIOUS PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM, EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DESIGNATION OF SEPTEMBER 8, 2025, AS “988 DAY” AND THE ROLE OF 988 SUICIDE AND CRISIS LIFELINE**

Mr. BOOKER (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:

**S. RES. 376**

Whereas, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (referred to in this preamble as the “CDC”), in 2023—

(1) suicide was the second-leading cause of death for people aged 10 to 34;

(2) suicide was responsible for more than 49,000 deaths, or about 1 death every 11 minutes;

(3) suicide was the eleventh-leading cause of death in the United States overall;

Whereas, according to the CDC, from 1999 through 2018, the national suicide rate increased by 35 percent;

Whereas suicide and attempts have a devastating and long-lasting impact on individuals, families, and communities across the United States;

Whereas over 90 percent of individuals who die by suicide were living with a diagnosable mental health condition at the time of their death, conditions that are frequently undiagnosed or untreated;

Whereas untreated mental health conditions, such as depression, anxiety, and substance use disorders, significantly increase the risk of suicide;

Whereas access to timely and effective mental health services and crisis support is a vital component of suicide prevention;

Whereas, on July 16, 2022, 988 became the nationwide, three-digit dialing code for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, now known as the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline (referred to in this preamble as the “988 Lifeline”);

Whereas the 988 Lifeline is operated by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (referred to in this preamble as “SAMHSA”) and connects individuals in crisis to a national network of over 200 State and locally funded crisis centers that are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week;

Whereas the 988 Lifeline offers services in over 150 languages, and provides support through phone, chat, and TTY services for the deaf and hard of hearing, as well as specialized options, including a veterans crisis line, services for Spanish speakers, and services tailored for at-risk populations;

Whereas, since the launch of the 988 Lifeline in July 2022, it has routed nearly 18,000,000 contacts, including calls, texts, and chats;

Whereas, according to SAMHSA, a recent study found that 98 percent of callers reported the 988 Lifeline was helpful and 88 percent of callers said the 988 Lifeline prevented them from harming themselves;

Whereas, since the original launch of the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline in 2005, annual contact volume increased steadily by approximately 14 percent, with the number

of interactions growing from 46,000 in 2005 to over 2,600,000 in 2020;

Whereas, in August 2022, the 988 Lifeline received 112,000 more contacts than the Lifeline did in August 2021, a 45 percent increase;

Whereas, from July 2022 to July 2024, the 988 Lifeline received 10,800,000 contacts, and in May 2024 alone, the 988 Lifeline received over 500,000 contacts, an increase of 33 percent over May 2023 and 80 percent over May 2022; and

Whereas SAMHSA annually recognizes September 8th as 988 Day, which is observed by organizations nationwide to raise awareness of the service and promote mental health support: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Senate—

(1) supports the designation of September 8, 2025, as “988 Day”;

(2) recognizes suicide as a serious and growing public health concern in the United States;

(3) commends the development and implementation of the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline as a critical component of the national mental health safety net;

(4) encourages continued public education and outreach regarding the availability and importance of the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline, particularly for high-risk populations;

(5) supports Federal, State, and local efforts to expand access to mental health services and crisis intervention programs; and

(6) supports the goals and ideals of 988 Day as a way to recognize the essential role of the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline in saving lives and supporting mental health across all communities in the United States.

**SENATE RESOLUTION 377—EXECUTIVE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EN BLOC CONSIDERATION IN EXECUTIVE SESSION OF CERTAIN NOMINATIONS ON THE EXECUTIVE CALENDAR**

Mr. THUNE submitted the following resolution; which was submitted and read:

**S. RES. 377**

*Resolved*, That it shall be in order to move to proceed to the en bloc consideration of the following nominations on the Executive Calendar:

(1) Calendar Number 89: Jessica Kramer, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

(2) Calendar Number 105: Dario Gil, of New York, to be Under Secretary for Science, Department of Energy.

(3) Calendar Number 107: Brandon Williams, of New York, to be Under Secretary for Nuclear Security.

(4) Calendar Number 121: Tristan Abbey, of Florida, to be Administrator of the Energy Information Administration.

(5) Calendar Number 122: Leslie Beyer, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

(6) Calendar Number 123: Theodore J. Garrish, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Nuclear Energy).

(7) Calendar Number 124: Andrea Travnicek, of North Dakota, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

(8) Calendar Number 132: Justin Overbaugh, of Florida, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of Defense.

(9) Calendar Number 133: Scott Pappano, of Pennsylvania, to be Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration.

(10) Calendar Number 135: Michael Cadenazzi, of Rhode Island, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

(11) Calendar Number 136: Sean O’Keefe, of Virginia, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of Defense.

(12) Calendar Number 137: Michael Obadal, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Army.

(13) Calendar Number 139: Katherine Sutton, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

(14) Calendar Number 141: William L. Doffermyre, of Texas, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior.

(15) Calendar Number 142: Kyle Haustveit, of Oklahoma, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Fossil Energy).

(16) Calendar Number 152: Matthew Napoli, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator for Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation, National Nuclear Security Administration.

(17) Calendar Number 153: Richard Anderson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

(18) Calendar Number 154: Conner Prochaska, of Texas, to be Director of the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy, Department of Energy.

(19) Calendar Number 156: Tina Pierce, of Idaho, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Energy.

(20) Calendar Number 157: Jonathan Brightbill, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

(21) Calendar Number 161: Robert Gleason, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors for a term of 5 years.

(22) Calendar Number 177: Sean McMaster, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration.

(23) Calendar Number 180: Donald Bergin III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Congressional and Legislative Affairs).

(24) Calendar Number 185: John Squires, of Florida, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

(25) Calendar Number 251: Daniel Aronowitz, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

(26) Calendar Number 276: Michael Dodd, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense (New Position).

(27) Calendar Number 277: William Gillis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

(28) Calendar Number 278: Jules Hurst III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

(29) Calendar Number 279: Brent Ingraham, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

(30) Calendar Number 283: George Wesley Street, of Virginia, to be Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center.

(31) Calendar Number 285: Peter Thomson, of Louisiana, to be Inspector General, Central Intelligence Agency.

(32) Calendar Number 289: Jeffrey Bartos, of Pennsylvania, to be Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations for U.N. Management and Reform, with the Rank of Ambassador, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

(33) Calendar Number 290: Jennifer Locetta, of Florida, to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations.