

And in 2024, Stacey supported the creation of the Rail Academy of Central California, a vital workforce development initiative designed to train the next generation of rail professionals.

Throughout her career, Stacey has demonstrated a unique ability to unite people around a shared vision and inspire others to deliver meaningful, sustained progress and change.

As Stacey retires from her role as executive director of the San Joaquin Regional Rail Commission, on behalf of all Californians, I thank her for her outstanding commitment to public service. I also thank her spouse Leah for supporting Stacey over all these years.

As she transitions to the next chapter of her life, I thank my colleagues for joining me in recognizing Stacey and applauding her outstanding contributions and her exemplary service.●

RECOGNIZING DK DONUTS

● Mr. RISC. Mr. President, as a member and former chairman of the Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, each month I recognize and celebrate the American entrepreneurial spirit by highlighting the success of a small business in my home State of Idaho. Today, I am proud to honor DK Donuts in Boise as the Idaho Small Business of the Month for October 2025.

DK Donuts first opened its doors in the 1980s and has become a beloved institution in the Treasure Valley. The current owner Angkearot Long took over operations in 2004 and purchased the business 5 years later. Under his ownership, Angkearot has kept DK strong by maintaining the old-school donut shop everyone knows and loves. Offering a variety of sweets, from traditional cakes and glazed donuts to their famous bacon maple bar, DK Donuts is a Boise staple, even drawing customers from across State lines.

When leasing troubles for the 40-year-old donut shop arose last year, many fans worried the iconic store might close for good. Fortunately, Angkearot was able to work out a deal, signing a multiyear lease and continuing the delicious DK legacy that loyal customers keep coming back for.

Earlier this year, DK Donuts opened a second location in Nampa, managed by Angkearot's daughter Vimean Rath. Embracing innovation, Vimean expanded the menu to include baked goods, sandwiches, and a range of drink options, allowing customer to enjoy their goods all day long.

Congratulations to Angkearot Long, Vimean Rath, and all the employees at DK Donuts on being recognized as the Idaho Small Business of the Month for October 2025. Your dedication to excellence makes Idaho proud, and I look forward to your continued growth and success.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to

the Senate by Ms. Holstead, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

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 Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-2067. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a letter relative to Executive Order 14347, "Restoring the United States Department of War" listing officials and organizations using secondary titles; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-2068. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the continuation of the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia that was declared in Executive Order 12978 of October 21, 1995; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2069. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency that was originally declared in Executive Order 13413 of October 27, 2006, with respect to the situation in or in relation to the Democratic Republic of the Congo; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2070. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the continuation of the national emergency with respect Sudan that was declared in Executive Order 13067 of November 3, 1997; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2071. A communication from the Director for Public Affairs and Congressional Relations, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office of the Comptroller's 2024 Office of Minority and Women Inclusion Annual Report to Congress; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2072. A communication from the Director, Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Imposition of Special Measure regarding Huilone Group, as a Foreign Financial Institution of Primary Money Laundering Concern" (RIN1506-AB68) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 21, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2073. A communication from the Associate General Counsel for General Law, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, thirteen (13) reports relative to nominations, vacancies, designations of service in acting roles, discontinuations of service in acting roles and actions on nominations for positions covered by the Federal Vacancies

Reform Act of 1998, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 16, 2025; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2074. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Supply Chain Risk Management Reliability Standards Revisions; Equipment and Services Produced or Provided by Certain Entities Identified as Risks to National Security" ((RIN1902-AG22) (Docket No. RM24-4-000)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 16, 2025; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2075. A communication from the Congressional and Public Affairs Specialist, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Firearms License Requirements" (RIN0694-AJ46) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 16, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2076. A communication from the Congressional and Public Affairs Specialist, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Expansion of End-User Controls to Cover Affiliates of Certain Listed Entities" (RIN0694-AK11) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 16, 2025; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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. COTTON:

S. 3034. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to require the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to review regulations that may affect the reliable operation of the bulk-power system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. CRAMER, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 3035. A bill to amend the Natural Gas Act to provide for expanded natural gas exports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida:

S. 3036. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from engaging in transactions involving the exchange of Special Drawing Rights issued by the International Monetary Fund that are held by the Chinese Community Party; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself, Mr. TUBERVILLE, and Mr. JUSTICE):

S. 3037. A bill to prohibit United States persons from engaging in financial transactions with AliPay; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

S. 3038. A bill to establish a real-time data dashboard for graduate medical education training positions to improve health care workforce planning and distribution for the purposes of alleviating physician shortages in medically underserved communities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. PETERS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. WARNER, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. KAIN, Mr. KIM, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. GALLEGO,

MR. COONS, Ms. WARREN, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. WELCH, Ms. SMITH, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KELLY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 3039. A bill to appropriate funds for pay and allowances of Federal employees during the lapse in appropriations that began on October 1, 2025, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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

S. 3040. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to modify the requirements of the Edith Nourse Rogers STEM Scholarship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself and Mr. MULLIN):

S. 3041. A bill to allow the U.S. Marshals Service to assist in certain Tribal criminal matters, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HICKENLOOPER (for himself and Mr. BANKS):

S. 3042. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to submit to Congress each year an annual report that contains data and information on the causes of deaths among veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

S. 3043. A bill to appropriate funds for pay and allowances of Federal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. CURTIS (for himself and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. 3044. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to modify the handling of air quality monitoring with respect to prescribed fires, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. LUMMIS (for herself and Mr. BARRASSO):

S. 3045. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to take certain actions with respect to certain qualified coal applications, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

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

S. 3046. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to require the Attorney General to submit an annual report to Congress on gang activity, reporting, investigation, and prosecution, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. HYDE-SMITH (for herself and Mr. SCHIFF):

S. 3047. A bill to provide for the treatment of certain critical access hospitals; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WARNER, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. KAINE, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr.

LUJÁN, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. KELLY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WELCH, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 3048. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to allow for the use of telehealth in substance use disorder treatment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LEE:

S. 3049. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to repeal a provision concerning citizen suits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. RISCH, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. WELCH, Mr. GRASSLEY, and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. 3050. A bill to amend the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, to modify requirements under that Act relating to exemptions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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

S. 3051. A bill to build the capacity of the armed forces of Mexico to counter the threat posed by transnational criminal organizations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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

S. 3052. A bill to promote recruiter access to secondary schools; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CORNYN:

S. 3053. A bill to require a plan to modernize the nuclear security enterprise; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. GRAHAM, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. TILLIS, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. BUDD, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. SCHMITT, and Mrs. BRITT):

S. 3054. A bill to amend the William Wilberforce Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2008 and the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to enhance efforts to combat the trafficking of children; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. REED (for himself and Mr. TILLIS):

S. 3055. A bill to amend the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to require proxy advisory firms to register as investment advisers under that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. COONS, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. Res. 463. A resolution expressing condemnation of the Chinese Communist Party's persecution of religious minority groups, including Christians, Muslims, and Buddhists and the detention of Pastor "Ezra" Jin Mingri and leaders of the Zion Church, and reaffirming the United States' global commitment to promote religious freedom and tolerance; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mrs. HYDE-SMITH (for herself, Mr. PETERS, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. DAINES, and Mr. PADILLA):

S. Res. 464. A resolution designating September 2025 as "National Cholesterol Edu-

cation Month" and September 30, 2025, as "LDL-C Awareness Day"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina (for himself and Mr. REED):

S. Res. 465. A resolution designating September 2025 as "National Childhood Cancer Awareness Month"; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. WARREN (for herself and Mr. SCHIFF):

S. Res. 466. A resolution condemning President Trump's pardoning of Binance founder Changpeng Zhao, who had violated United States anti-money laundering laws, and calling for Congress to use its authority to stop this form of corruption; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 339

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) 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. 364

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. CURTIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 364, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to remove silencers from the definition of firearms, and for other purposes.

S. 401

At the request of Mr. CRAMER, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. McCONNELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 401, a bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act to prohibit certain financial service providers who deny fair access to financial services from using taxpayer funded discount window lending programs, and for other purposes.

S. 906

At the request of Mr. HICKENLOOPER, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 906, a bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to carry out a pilot program to support evidence-based mental health peer support activities for students.

S. 932

At the request of Mr. MULLIN, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS), the Senator from West Virginia (Mrs. CAPITO), the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY), the Senator from Ohio (Mr. HUSTED), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) and the Senator from Montana (Mr. SHEEHY) were added as cosponsors of S. 932, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to molecularly targeted pediatric cancer investigations, and for other purposes.

S. 986

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 986, a bill to address and take action to prevent bullying and harassment of students.