

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

*Charles Arrington, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term expiring July 1, 2030.

*Edward Forst, of Florida, to be Administrator of General Services.

*Stephen F. Rickard, 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.

*Elana S. Suttnerberg, 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.

*John Cuong Truong, 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.

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. KENNEDY:

S. 3104. A bill to make ideologically motivated crimes eligible for the death penalty; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEE (for himself and Mr. BUDD):

S. 3105. A bill to regulate human cadaveric islets for transplantation as organs; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. KELLY):

S. 3106. A bill to require the approval of Congress before explosive nuclear testing may be resumed; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 3107. A bill to require the Comptroller General of the United States to submit reports to Congress on theft of mail and United States Postal Service property, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HAWLEY (for himself and Mr. WARNER):

S. 3108. A bill to require reports regarding artificial intelligence-related job impacts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself and Ms. CORTEZ MASTO):

S. 3109. A bill to amend titles 46 and 49, United States Code, to require that individuals who commit human trafficking violations be permanently disqualified from obtaining certain licenses issued by the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. CORNYN):

S. 3110. A bill to update the Department of Transportation's multimodal counter-trafficking training and awareness campaign and to award grants to all modes of transportation to address human trafficking awareness, education, and prevention efforts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. MULLIN:

S. 3111. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to adjust the dollar thresholds for National Labor Relations Board jurisdiction over certain labor disputes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. SLOTKIN (for herself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 3112. A bill to amend the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978 to establish an interagency seasonal and perishable fruits and vegetables working group, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. LEE):

S. 3113. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to clarify that aliens who have been convicted of defrauding the United States Government or unlawfully receiving public benefits are inadmissible and deportable; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. COONS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. HEINRICH, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. OSSOFF, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MARKEY, and Mrs. GILLIBRAND):

S. Res. 483. A resolution honoring the extraordinary life, leadership, and legacy of Dr. Jane Goodall; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. FISCHER (for herself and Mr. PETERS):

S. Res. 484. A resolution designating October 2025 as "School Bus Safety Month"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MORAN (for himself, Ms. ROSEN, and Mr. CASSIDY):

S. Res. 485. A resolution designating the month of October 2025 as "National Military Toxic Exposures Awareness Month"; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 421

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 421, a bill to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 to establish country of origin labeling requirements for beef, and for other purposes.

S. 567

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 567, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the First Rhode Island Regiment, in recognition of their dedicated service during the Revolutionary War.

S. 935

At the request of Mr. VAN HOLLEN, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) and the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) were added as cosponsors of S. 935, a bill to prohibit sales and the issuance of licenses for

the export of certain defense articles to the United Arab Emirates, and for other purposes.

S. 976

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 976, a bill to amend the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to reduce fraudulent enrollments in qualified health plans, and for other purposes.

S. 1404

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. RICKETTS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1404, a bill to combat organized crime involving the illegal acquisition of retail goods and cargo for the purpose of selling those illegally obtained goods through physical and online retail marketplaces.

S. 1532

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. YOUNG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1532, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the railroad track maintenance credit.

S. 1538

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the names of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1538, a bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to expand and improve the enforcement capabilities of the Attorney General, and for other purposes.

S. 1552

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1552, a bill to promote and protect from discrimination living organ donors.

S. 1677

At the request of Ms. BALDWIN, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1677, a bill to provide health insurance benefits for outpatient and inpatient items and services related to the diagnosis and treatment of a congenital anomaly or birth defect.

S. 1725

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1725, a bill to amend the Animal Health Protection Act with respect to the importation of live dogs, and for other purposes.

S. 1793

At the request of Mr. COTTON, the names of the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) and the Senator from Nebraska (Mrs. FISCHER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1793, a bill to protect the United States and assets of the United States from incursions.

S. 2290

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. BOOZMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2290, a bill to clarify certain

regulations to allow for the installation of pulsating light systems for high-mounted stop lamps, and for other purposes.

S. 2714

At the request of Mr. HUSTED, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. MORENO) was added as a cosponsor of 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.

S. 2740

At the request of Mr. HUSTED, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2740, a bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to encourage States to develop academic standards for elementary school and secondary school for artificial intelligence and other emerging technologies.

S. 2983

At the request of Mr. PETERS, the names of the Senator from Nevada (Ms. ROSEN), the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) and the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2983, a bill to reauthorize the Cybersecurity Information Sharing Act of 2015.

S. 3031

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3031, a bill making continuing appropriations for essential Federal Aviation Administration and Transportation Security Administration pay and operations in the event of a Federal Government shutdown, and for other purposes.

S. 3090

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the names of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. WELCH), the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) and the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) were added as cosponsors of S. 3090, a bill to prohibit the use of funds for an explosive nuclear weapons test.

S. 3103

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3103, a bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to products of certain countries.

S.J. RES. 90

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY), the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN), the Senator from Delaware (Ms. BLUNT ROCH-ESTER), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. WELCH), the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. MARKEY), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN), the Senator from

Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL), the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS), the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) and the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) were added as cosponsors of S.J. Res. 90, a joint resolution to direct the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities within or against Venezuela that have not been authorized by Congress.

SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 483—HONORING THE EXTRAORDINARY LIFE, LEADERSHIP, AND LEGACY OF DR. JANE GOODALL

Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. COONS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. HEINRICH, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. OSSOFF, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MARKEY, and Mrs. GILLIBRAND) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 483

Whereas Dr. Jane Goodall, born in Hampstead, London, on April 3, 1934, became one of the world's most celebrated ethologists, animal behaviorists, and environmental conservationists;

Whereas, throughout her life, Jane Goodall remained an indefatigable advocate for wildlife, dedicating herself not only to the protection of chimpanzees and other primates, but also to broader efforts to safeguard the natural world;

Whereas Jane Goodall's work extended far beyond science, inspiring generations through her books, films, lectures, and the Jane Goodall Institute and the "Roots and Shoots Program," which encourages youth around the world to work to make the world a better place for people, animals, and the environment;

Whereas, in 1957, at the age of just 23, Ms. Goodall moved to Africa on her own, where she met the famed paleontologist Louis Leakey, and with his support and encouragement, she began the work that would define her life;

Whereas, in 1960, Jane Goodall traveled to the Gombe Stream Chimpanzee Reserve (Gombe) in Tanzania, accompanied by her mother, Vanne, to begin her groundbreaking study of wild chimpanzees and where she established what has become the world's longest-running wild chimpanzee research program, one that continues uninterrupted as of the date of this resolution;

Whereas, while at Gombe, Ms. Goodall, who at the time had not received formal academic training, made observations that challenged prevailing scientific assumptions;

Whereas Ms. Goodall documented chimpanzees making and using tools, hunting, and displaying complex social behaviors, activities that had once been thought exclusive to humans;

Whereas these findings not only transformed the study of primatology but reshaped how the world views the emotional and social lives of all animals;

Whereas, recognizing the importance of formal study, Ms. Goodall enrolled at Newnham College, Cambridge, in 1962, earning a degree in natural sciences and went on

to pursue a doctorate at Darwin College, Cambridge, completing her Ph.D. in 1966 with a thesis on the behavior of free-living chimpanzees;

Whereas Jane Goodall's early years of research at Gombe became the foundation of a scientific legacy that bridged rigorous observation with empathy for the animals she studied;

Whereas Jane Goodall's influence extended far beyond academia, as she authored more than 27 books for both adults and children, appeared in numerous documentaries and films, and became a cultural figure whose presence extended beyond scientific circles;

Whereas, in 2019, the National Geographic Society honored her life's work with "Becoming Jane," a traveling exhibit that continues to tour across the United States;

Whereas Ms. Goodall's most recent book, "The Book of Hope: A Survival Guide for Trying Times," has been translated into more than 20 languages, ensuring her voice resonates with people around the globe;

Whereas Jane Goodall's achievements have been recognized with some of the world's highest honors;

Whereas Jane Goodall was named a United Nations Messenger of Peace in 2002, and 2 years later, she was made a Dame Commander of the Order of the British Empire at Buckingham Palace;

Whereas Jane Goodall received the United States Presidential Medal of Freedom, the French Légion d'honneur, the Benjamin Franklin Medal in Life Science, Japan's prestigious Kyoto Prize, the Gandhi-King Award for Nonviolence, the Medal of Tanzania, the Schweitzer Medal, and the Tyler Prize for Environmental Achievement;

Whereas countless other governments, institutions, and organizations have also celebrated Mr. Goodall's unique contributions;

Whereas Jane Goodall recognized that protecting nature is first and foremost about educating and motivating human beings on whom the survival of all species depends, which became her life's mission, and she also never stopped advocating for the ethical treatment of animals;

Whereas most of the leading primatologists have been either mentored by Jane Goodall or inspired by her life and work;

Whereas, in 1991, Ms. Goodall founded the "Roots and Shoots Program," to bring together young people, from preschool through university, to learn about environmental challenges and to take action to address them;

Whereas, as of the date of this resolution, the Roots and Shoots Program has local chapters in some 75 countries, encompassing thousands of community-based groups and youth members worldwide;

Whereas Jane Goodall recognized the critical role that indigenous people have played throughout history as caretakers of the natural environment and stressed the need to include indigenous people in decisions about policies, programs, and activities that impact their lands and livelihoods;

Whereas Jane Goodall founded the Lake Tanganyika Catchment Reforestation and Education (TACARE) program, recognizing that protecting forests and other natural resources is not possible if people living in the surrounding areas lack the necessities of life;

Whereas the TACARE program supports community-led sustainable agriculture techniques, reforestation, public health, girls' education, fuel-efficient stoves, and small business development;

Whereas Jane Goodall's life was a remarkable blend of science, advocacy, and compassion;