

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 Ms. HASSAN (for herself and Mr. YOUNG):

S. 3596. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the earned income threshold for the refundable child tax credit; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. YOUNG (for himself, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. DAINES, Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. BUDD, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. ROUNDS, and Mr. SCHUMER):

S. 3597. A bill to reauthorize the National Quantum Initiative Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 3598. A bill to provide for the periodic issuance of up-to-date clinical guidance on addressing the health effects of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself and Ms. SLOTKIN):

S. 3599. A bill to amend the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to establish a public health insurance option, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. SLOTKIN:

S. 3600. A bill to require the President to declare a national housing emergency and invoke the Defense Production Act to incentivize residential housing production, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SCHMITT:

S. 3601. A bill to authorize a grant program to support institutions of higher education in hiring veterans as campus security, to prohibit Federal funding for Equity Assistance Centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 3602. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to clarify the definitions of "public charge" and "likely at any time to become a public charge," to establish requirements for affidavits of support and public charge bonds, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. SCHIFF):

S. 3603. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to improve the cost of living adjustment exclusion from income under the supplemental nutrition assistance program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Ms. DUCKWORTH, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 3604. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to carry out activities to establish, expand, and sustain a public health nursing workforce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. GRAHAM (for himself and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. 3605. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a portion of general business credit carryforwards to be transferred by certain taxpayers affected by

federally declared disasters and other incidents; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. COTTON, Mr. BUDD, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. HAGERTY):

S. 3606. A bill to subject aliens convicted of fraud to deportation and to bestow concurrent jurisdiction to revoke the citizenship of any naturalized United States citizen convicted of fraud on any court that enters such a conviction; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. CAPITO, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 3607. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for expanded coverage of services furnished by genetic counselors under part B of the Medicare program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SHEEHY:

S. 3608. A bill to require a strategy for the expanded use of Trade Transparency Units; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 3609. A bill to establish a community protection and wildfire resilience grant program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. BANKS:

S. 3610. A bill to prohibit the provision of United States financial assistance to any entity that is controlled by an agent of a covered foreign principal; 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. SCOTT of Florida (for himself, Mr. COTTON, Mr. BUDD, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. CURTIS, Mr. SCHMITT, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. ROUNDS, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. MULLIN, and Mr. CRUZ):

S. Res. 576. A resolution commending the United States military action in Venezuela; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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

S. Res. 577. A resolution observing the 1-year anniversary of the 2025 Southern California wildfires; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. CANTWELL (for herself and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. Res. 578. A resolution congratulating the University of Washington men's soccer team on winning the 2025 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division 1 Men's Soccer National Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. KAINE, Mr. KING, Mr. CURTIS, Mr. GRASSLEY, and Mr. DURBIN):

S. Res. 579. A resolution affirming the importance of the Social Security program to the people of the United States and expressing the sense of the Senate that Social Security must be preserved, protected, and strengthened for current and future generations; considered and agreed to.

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

S. Res. 580. A resolution directing the Architect of the Capitol to prominently display, in a publicly accessible location in the Senate wing of the United States Capitol, a plaque honoring the members of law enforcement responding on January 6, 2021, until the

plaque can be placed in its permanent location; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. KELLY, Mr. MURPHY, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. GALLEGO, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. KIM, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. KAINE, Mr. REED, Mr. LUJÁN, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. COONS, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. BENNET, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. SCHATZ, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. WELCH, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WARNER, and Mr. MARKEY):

S. Con. Res. 25. A concurrent resolution recognizing the 15th anniversary of the January 8, 2011, Tucson, Arizona, shooting and honoring the survivors and victims, including former Congresswoman Gabby Giffords, a gun violence survivor and one of the most influential voices of courage in the United States in the fight to end gun violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 121

At the request of Mr. LANKFORD, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) and the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) were added as cosponsors of S. 121, a bill to extend the statute of limitations for violations relating to pandemic-era programs to be 10 years.

S. 128

At the request of Mr. LEE, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. MULLIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 128, a bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to require proof of United States citizenship to register an individual to vote in elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.

S. 276

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mrs. MOODY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 276, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand and improve health savings accounts, and for other purposes.

S. 405

At the request of Mr. TUBERVILLE, the name of the Senator from West Virginia (Mr. JUSTICE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 405, a bill to modify eligibility requirements for amateur sports governing organizations.

S. 749

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 749, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend increased dependency and indemnity compensation paid to surviving spouses of veterans who die from amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, regardless of how long the veterans had such disease prior to death, and for other purposes.

S. 1021

At the request of Ms. KLOBUCHAR, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. SLOTKIN) and the Senator from

New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1021, a bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to establish a dairy nutrition incentive program, and for other purposes.

S. 1124

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. HUSTED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1124, a bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act to prohibit the Federal reserve banks from offering certain products or services directly to an individual, to prohibit the use of central bank currency for monetary policy, and for other purposes.

S. 1157

At the request of Ms. SMITH, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) and the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) were added as cosponsors of S. 1157, a bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to conduct a review to evaluate the status of research on lung cancer in women and underserved populations, and for other purposes.

S. 1748

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1748, a bill to protect the safety of children on the internet.

S. 1763

At the request of Mr. YOUNG, the names of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) and the Senator from Michigan (Ms. SLOTKIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1763, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the 7-year recovery period for motorsports entertainment complexes.

S. 2061

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2061, a bill to require the Interagency Working Group on Toxic Exposure to conduct research on the diagnosis and treatment of health conditions of descendants of individuals exposed to toxic substances while serving as members of the Armed Forces, and for other purposes.

S. 2378

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. RISCH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2378, a bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish funds for investments in aviation security checkpoint technology, and for other purposes.

S. 2827

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2827, a bill to amend the Fair Housing Act to prohibit discrimination based on source of income, veteran status, or military status.

S. 2949

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a co-

sponsor of S. 2949, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to eliminate the coinsurance requirement for certain colorectal cancer screening tests furnished under the Medicare program.

S. 2994

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. BENNET) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2994, a bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to clarify that a State may not use an individual's failure to vote as the basis for initiating the procedures provided under such Act for the removal of the individual from the official list of registered voters in the State on the grounds that the individual has changed residence, and for other purposes.

S. 3023

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. LEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3023, a bill to limit liability for certain entities storing child sexual abuse material for law enforcement agencies, and for other purposes.

S. 3292

At the request of Mr. COONS, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3292, a bill to support research about the impact of digital communication platforms on society by providing privacy-protected, secure pathways for independent research on data held by large internet companies.

S. 3410

At the request of Mr. KIM, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. HUSTED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3410, a bill to establish Federal agency technology and artificial intelligence talent teams to improve competitive service hiring practices, and for other purposes.

S. 3492

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the names of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER) and the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) were added as cosponsors of S. 3492, a bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to require skilled nursing facilities, nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities for the intellectually disabled, and inpatient rehabilitation facilities to permit essential caregivers access during any period in which regular visitation is restricted.

S. 3583

At the request of Mr. HUSTED, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. SHEEHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3583, a bill to establish a pilot program in which States may use consolidated funds, through Upward Mobility Grants, for antipoverty programs, and for other purposes.

S. 3589

At the request of Ms. HASSAN, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3589, a bill to amend the Higher Edu-

cation Act of 1965 to provide students with disabilities and their families with access to critical information needed to select the right college and succeed once enrolled.

S.J. RES. 98

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS), the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. PETERS), the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) and the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) were added as cosponsors of S.J. Res. 98, 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.

S. RES. 61

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 61, a resolution expressing support for the continued value of arms control agreements and negotiated constraints on Russian and Chinese strategic nuclear forces.

AMENDMENT NO. 4056

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the names of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) and the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 4056 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4016, a bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026, and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. CAPITO, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 3607. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for expanded coverage of services furnished by genetic counselors under part B of the Medicare program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

S. 3607

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 "Access to Genetic Counselor Services Act of 2026".

SEC. 2. MEDICARE COVERAGE OF GENETIC COUNSELING SERVICES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1861 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395x) is amended—

(1) in subsection (s)(2)—

(A) by striking "and" at the end of subparagraph (II);

(B) by adding "and" at the end of subparagraph (JJ); and

(C) by adding at the end the following new subparagraph:

"(KK) covered genetic counseling services (as defined in subsection (nnn)(1));"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"Covered Genetic Counseling Services

"(nnn)(1) The term 'covered genetic counseling services' means genetic counseling services furnished on or after January 1, 2027,