

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:04 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Alli, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 1346. An act to amend the Clean Air Act with respect to the ethanol waiver for Reid Vapor Pressure under that Act, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 96. Concurrent resolution expressing support for law enforcement officers.

MEASURES REFERRED

The following bill was read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 1346. An act to amend the Clean Air Act with respect to the ethanol waiver for Reid Vapor Pressure under that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

PRIVILEGED NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

On request by Senator TIM KAINE, under the authority of S. Res. 116, 112th Congress, the following nomination was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations: Juan Segura, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2026.

On request by Senator TIM KAINE, under the authority of S. Res. 116, 112th Congress, the following nomination was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations: Juan Segura, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2032.

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-3439. 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 the Central African Republic that was declared in Executive Order 13667 of May 12, 2014; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3440. 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 the stabilization of Iraq that was declared in Executive Order 13303 of May 22, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3441. 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

Yemen that was declared in Executive Order 13611 of May 16, 2012; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3442. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(b)(5)(C) of the Arms Export Control Act, the notification of enhancements or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology or capability (RSAT Case 26-0Q); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-3443. A communication from the Chief Regulatory Officer, Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Signatures on Immigration Benefit Requests" (RIN1615-AD17) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 13, 2026; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-3444. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) and 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Malaysia and the Republic of Korea in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 25-108); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-3445. A communication from the Acting Chair of the Administrative Conference of the United States, transmitting, a report entitled "Equal Access to Justice Act Awards Report to Congress Fiscal Year 2025"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-3446. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of firearms, parts, and components controlled under Category I of the U.S. Munitions List to the Netherlands and Ukraine in the amount of \$1,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 26-027); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-3447. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Report to Congress on Department of State Actions in FY 2025 Pursuant to the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-3448. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Report to Congress on Department of State Actions in FY 2025 Pursuant to the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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. BANKS:

S. 4525. A bill to prohibit certain federally funded research collaborations with certain foreign entities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. COTTON:

S. 4526. A bill to establish a new ground for inadmissibility for close relatives of foreign terrorists; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCORMICK (for himself and Mr. GALLEGGO):

S. 4527. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide greater opportunities

for veterans to pursue education programs involving emerging technologies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. COONS, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. BOOKER, and Mr. BOOZMAN):

S. 4528. A bill to provide for the long-term improvement of Historically Black Colleges and Universities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 4529. A bill to require the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to allow the use of commercial-grade steel and concrete in non-safety-related structures at nuclear power plants, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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

S. 4530. A bill to amend chapters 83 and 84 of title 5, United States Code, to authorize an increase of the retirement age for members of the Capitol Police; considered and passed.

By Mr. HUSTED (for himself, Mr. CASIDY, and Mr. TUBERVILLE):

S. 4531. A bill to amend section 498A of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require the Secretary of Education to prioritize program reviews of institutions of higher education that disburse Federal financial aid under title IV of such Act without verifying the identity of a student whose FAFSA presents a reasonable suspicion of identity fraud; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO:

S. 4532. A bill to include smoke in the definition of disaster in the Small Business Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

S. 4533. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to include the Coast Guard in the requirement to buy certain articles from American sources; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself and Ms. ALSOBROOKS):

S. 4534. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to establish a direct loan program for microbusinesses at the Small Business Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. MURPHY (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Ms. WARREN):

S. 4535. A bill to establish the Strength in Diversity Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. ROSEN (for herself, Mr. CURTIS, and Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER):

S. 4536. A bill to amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to authorize grant funds under the Midsize and Large Drinking Water System Infrastructure Resilience and Sustainability Program to be used to increase resilience to extreme temperatures, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. PAUL, and Ms. LUMMIS):

S. 4537. A bill to repeal the Military Selective Service Act; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. FETTERMAN (for himself, Mr. MCCORMICK, Mr. KAINE, Mr. WARNER, Mr. JUSTICE, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 4538. A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study on the feasibility of designating Washington's Trail-1753 as a national historic trail, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG (for himself and Mr. LANKFORD):

S. 4539. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the penalties relating to the disclosure of tax return information relating to contributors to certain tax-exempt organizations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. HASSAN, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. SMITH, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 4540. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve reproductive health care of individuals with disabilities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Mr. WICKER):

S. 4541. A bill to ensure that significantly more students graduate college with the international knowledge and experience essential for success in today's global economy through the establishment of the Senator Paul Simon Study Abroad Program in the Department of State; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CORNYN:

S. 4542. A bill to disqualify aliens from establishing good moral character, maintaining eligibility for asylum, and retaining lawful permanent resident status if they engage in activities in opposition to the United States Constitution, our form of government, or support Sharia law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 4543. A bill to create dedicated funds to conserve butterflies in North America, plants in the Pacific Islands, freshwater mussels in the United States, and desert fish in the Southwest United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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

S. 4544. A bill to require a report on countering the smuggling of hydrocarbon products by transnational criminal organizations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. WARREN, and Ms. BALDWIN):

S. 4545. A bill to amend the America COMPETES Act to establish certain scientific integrity policies for Federal agencies that fund, conduct, or oversee scientific research, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. TUBERVILLE:

S. 4546. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to establish a national-interest standard for immigration, end certain family-sponsored immigration categories, revise standards relating to good moral character, eliminate the diversity im-

migrant category, revise public-charge and sponsor-support rules, revise naturalization requirements, reform employment-based immigration and H-1B visas, eliminate Optional Practical Training absent express statutory authorization, revise asylum procedures, require employment eligibility verification, establish additional penalties relating to unlawful presence and visa overstays, revise parole authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHMITT:

S. 4547. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to strengthen requirements for naturalization, to require instruction on the oath of allegiance and the principles of the Constitution, to establish consequences for fraud and concealment in the naturalization process, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. JUSTICE:

S. 4548. A bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to establish a program to promote upland species habitat restoration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. CORNYN:

S. 4549. A bill to ensure the reliable delivery of water to the United States under the 1944 Water Treaty, to provide a mechanism to compensate United States agricultural producers for economic losses resulting from delivery shortfalls, and for other purposes; 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. SCHMITT:

S. Res. 729. A resolution recognizing and honoring Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, and the Corps of Discovery, for their expedition to explore the Louisiana Purchase; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself and Ms. HIRONO):

S. Res. 730. A resolution congratulating the University of Hawaii men's volleyball team for winning the 2026 National Collegiate Athletic Association Men's Volleyball Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. MOODY:

S. Res. 731. A resolution recognizing the 175th anniversary of the founding of Alpha Delta Pi Sorority; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. Res. 732. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that over 25 years of real-world evidence and hundreds of peer-reviewed studies proving that mifepristone is safe and effective should be respected, and law and policy governing access to life-

saving, time-sensitive medication abortion care in the United States should be equitable, transparent, and based on the best available peer-reviewed evidence-based science; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LANKFORD (for himself and Mr. FETTERMAN):

S. Res. 733. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that public servants should be commended for their dedication and continued service to the United States during Public Service Recognition Week and throughout the year; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. HEINRICH, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. JUSTICE, Mr. DAINES, and Mr. COONS):

S. Res. 734. A resolution designating May 16, 2026, as "Kids to Parks Day"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. THUNE, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. KING, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. KAINE, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mrs. BRITT, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. HUSTED, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. MOODY, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. CRAPO, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. COTTON, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. REED, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. WELCH, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. KELLY, Mr. HAGERTY, Ms. HIRONO, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. OSSOFF, Mr. SHEEHY, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. ERNST, Mr. COONS, Mr. MCCORMICK, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BUDD, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. ROUNDS, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. RICKETTS, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. CASSIDY, Ms. ALSOBROOKS, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. PETERS, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. DAINES, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. JUSTICE, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. WICKER, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. SCHMITT, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. KENNEDY, and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. Res. 735. A resolution designating the week of May 10 through May 16, 2026, as "National Police Week"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mrs. CAPITO, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. WICKER, Mr. KING, and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

S. Res. 736. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Hospital Week, to be observed from May 10 through May 16, 2026; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. DAINES, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. WARNER, Mr. CORNYN, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. BARRASSO, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. YOUNG, Mrs. BRITT, Mrs. CAPITO, Ms. ROSEN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Mr. HUSTED):

S. Res. 737. A resolution recognizing National Foster Care Month as an opportunity to raise awareness about the challenges of children in the foster care system and to encourage Congress to implement policies to improve the lives of children in the foster care system; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 391

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 391, a bill to clarify the rights of certain persons who are held or detained