

By Mr. SCHIFF:

S. 4650. A bill to amend the Plant Protection Act to improve plant pest and disease preparedness for specialty crops; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

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

S. 4651. A bill to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act to increase access to Federal crop insurance for specialty crops; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

S. 4652. A bill to amend the Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Reform Act of 1998 to reauthorize the specialty crop research initiative and establish a specialty crop mechanization and automation research and development program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. YOUNG:

S. 4653. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for loan interest payments made with respect to certain vehicles; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

S. 4654. A bill to amend the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978 to expand agricultural market access, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

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

S. 4655. A bill to allow the Farm Credit Administration the option to examine low-risk Farm Credit System institutions under a 24-month cycle; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND:

S. 4656. A bill to provide for secure and accountable use of artificial intelligence by the Department of Defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. YOUNG (for himself and Ms. ALSOBROOKS):

S. 4657. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on heavy trucks and trailers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 4658. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to include Parkinson's disease in the list of illnesses and diseases deemed to be proximately caused by employment in fire protection activities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN (for herself and Mr. GRAHAM):

S. 4659. A bill to provide additional election security funding to States providing voter registration information to the Department of Homeland Security; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

S. 4660. A bill to provide appropriations to the Secretary of Agriculture to make payments to producers of specialty crops; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

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

S. 4661. A bill to amend the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 to provide permanent disaster assistance for specialty crops, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. GALLEG0:

S. 4662. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to ensure that high net-worth individuals cannot avoid paying taxes on their income and assets; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 4663. A bill to appropriate sums for the Secretary of Agriculture to provide block grants to States for losses of revenue as a consequence of certain freezes or cold weather conditions; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. COONS (for himself and Mr. HUSTED):

S. 4664. A bill to authorize the Safer Choice Program within the Environmental Protection Agency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CURTIS:

S. 4665. A bill to require the Secretary of State to submit a strategy to Congress for countering Iranian and Hezbollah influence operations in Latin America; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. LUJÁN (for himself and Mr. SCHATZ):

S. 4666. A bill to require officers and employees of the Department of Homeland Security to receive training with respect to Indian tribes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 4667. A bill to provide for the modernization of electronic case management systems, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. SCHMITT, and Mr. COONS):

S. 4668. A bill to protect the name, image, and likeness rights of, and provide protections for, students athletes and to promote fair competition among intercollegiate athletics, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. HAGERTY (for himself, Mr. BUDD, Mr. LEE, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mr. RICKETTS):

S.J. Res. 194. A joint resolution disapproving the action of the District of Columbia Council in approving the Body-Worn Camera Transparency for Use of Force Temporary Amendment Act of 2026; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HAGERTY (for himself, Mr. BUDD, Mr. LEE, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mr. RICKETTS):

S.J. Res. 195. A joint resolution disapproving the action of the District of Columbia Council in approving the Full Accountability in Arrest Reporting Temporary Amendment Act of 2026; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 180

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 180, a bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize the use of grant amounts for providing training and resources for first responders on the use of containment devices to prevent secondary exposure to fentanyl and other potentially lethal substances, and purchasing such containment devices for use by first responders.

S. 737

At the request of Mr. LEE, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) was added as a cosponsor

of S. 737, a bill to require certain interactive computer services to adopt and operate technology verification measures to ensure that users of the platform are not minors, and for other purposes.

S. 1182

At the request of Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1182, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to prohibit institutions of higher education that authorize antisemitic events on campus from participating in the student loan and grand programs under title IV of such Act.

S. 1186

At the request of Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1186, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to apply prescription drug inflation rebates to drugs furnished in the commercial market and to change the base year for rebate calculations.

S. 1296

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the names of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. FETTERMAN) and the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1296, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to strengthen disclosure requirements relating to foreign gifts and contracts, to prohibit contracts between institutions of higher education and certain foreign entities and countries of concern, and for other purposes.

S. 1335

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Ms. CORTEZ MASTO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1335, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude debt held by certain insurance companies from capital assets and to extend capital loss carryovers for such companies from 5 years to 10 years.

S. 1404

At the request of Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) 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. 1441

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1441, a bill to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to award grants to nonprofit entities to assist such entities in carrying out programs to provide service dogs to eligible veterans, and for other purposes.

S. 1500

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1500, a bill to amend title XXVII of

the Public Health Service Act to prohibit group health plans and health insurance issuers offering group or individual health insurance coverage from imposing cost-sharing requirements with respect to diagnostic and supplemental breast examinations.

S. 1541

At the request of Mr. KELLY, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1541, a bill to support the national defense and economic security of the United States by supporting vessels, ports, and shipyards of the United States and the U.S. maritime workforce.

S. 1547

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the names of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. LANKFORD) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. MURPHY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1547, a bill to amend title 54, United States Code, to reauthorize the National Parks and Public Land Legacy Restoration Fund, and for other purposes.

S. 1705

At the request of Mr. COTTON, the names of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) and the Senator from Michigan (Ms. SLOTKIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1705, a bill to require the Secretary of Commerce to issue standards with respect to chip security mechanisms for integrated circuit products, and for other purposes.

S. 1716

At the request of Mr. CRAMER, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1716, a bill to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act to improve health care coverage under vision plans, and for other purposes.

S. 1748

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1748, a bill to protect the safety of children on the internet.

S. 1847

At the request of Mr. PAUL, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. YOUNG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1847, a bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to clarify the treatment of certain association health plans as employers, and for other purposes.

S. 2059

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEGRO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2059, a bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to enhance financial support for rural and safety net hospitals providing maternity, labor, and delivery services to vulnerable populations, and for other purposes.

S. 2298

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2298, a bill to direct the

Secretary of Labor to promulgate an occupational safety and health standard to protect workers from heat-related injuries and illnesses.

S. 2355

At the request of Mr. MARSHALL, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. ARMSTRONG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2355, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for hospital and insurer price transparency.

S. 2903

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. HUSTED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2903, a bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to require a group health plan or health insurance coverage offered in connection with such a plan to provide an exceptions process for any medication step therapy protocol, and for other purposes.

S. 3226

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3226, a bill to provide for the creation of the missing Armed Forces and civilian personnel Records Collection at the National Archives, to require the expeditious public transmission to the Archivist and public disclosure of missing Armed Forces and civilian personnel records, and for other purposes.

S. 3267

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH), the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN), the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) were added as cosponsors of S. 3267, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare coverage of blood-based dementia screening tests.

S. 3323

At the request of Mr. HICKENLOOPER, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3323, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to codify the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, and for other purposes.

S. 3524

At the request of Mr. MCCORMICK, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) and the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) were added as cosponsors of S. 3524, a bill to amend title 54, United States Code, to modify certain cost-sharing requirements for grant programs under the American Battlefield Protection Program, and for other purposes.

S. 3981

At the request of Mr. VAN HOLLEN, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3981, a bill to amend the Burma Unified through Rigorous Military Accountability Act of 2022 to extend the sunset, to require a determination with respect to the imposi-

tion of sanctions on certain persons of Burma, and for other purposes.

S. 4121

At the request of Mr. MURPHY, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. SCHIFF) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4121, a bill to prohibit the unauthorized possession of a firearm at a Federal election site.

S. 4421

At the request of Mr. GALLEGRO, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4421, a bill to amend the Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act to expand review by Congress of actions relating to sanctions imposed with respect to the Russian Federation.

S. 4454

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4454, a bill to amend the Consumer Product Safety Act to remove the exclusion of pistols, revolvers, and other firearms from the definition of consumer product in order to permit the issuance for safety standards for such articles by the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

S. 4464

At the request of Mr. RICKETTS, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4464, a bill to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act and the Poultry Products Inspection Act to ensure that consumers can make informed decisions in choosing between meat and poultry products and cell-cultivated protein products, and for other purposes.

S. 4535

At the request of Mr. MURPHY, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4535, a bill to establish the Strength in Diversity Program, and for other purposes.

S. 4586

At the request of Mr. SCOTT of Florida, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. YOUNG) and the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BANKS) were added as cosponsors of S. 4586, a bill to require a review of the national security risk posed by communications equipment and services produced or provided by certain entities, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 741

At the request of Ms. HIRONO, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 741, a resolution designating May 2026 as "National Wildfire Preparedness Month".

S. RES. 752

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 752, a resolution expressing support for the designation of the month of May 2026 as "Progressive Supranuclear Palsy and

Corticobasal Degeneration Awareness Month”.

#### AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 5451. Mr. SANDERS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 2, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 33; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5452. Mr. TILLIS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

#### TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

**SA 5451.** Mr. SANDERS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 2, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 33; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

#### SEC. \_\_\_\_ . LIMITATION ON CONTRIBUTIONS TO INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEES.

(a) LIMITATIONS.—Section 315(a)(1)(C) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (52 U.S.C. 30116(a)(1)(C)) is amended by striking “to any other political committee” and inserting “to an independent expenditure committee or any other political committee”.

(b) DEFINITION.—Section 301 of such Act (52 U.S.C. 30101) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(27) INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE COMMITTEE.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘independent expenditure committee’ means a political committee which—

“(i) makes independent expenditures aggregating \$5,000 or more during a calendar year; or

“(ii) makes contributions to other independent expenditure committees aggregating \$5,000 or more during a calendar year.

“(B) TREATMENT OF SEPARATE ACCOUNTS.—The term ‘independent expenditure committee’ includes an account of a political committee which is established for the purpose of making independent expenditures or contributions to other committees making independent expenditures.”.

(c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply with respect to contributions and independent expenditures made during the first calendar year which begins after the date of the enactment of this Act and each succeeding calendar year.

**SA 5452.** Mr. TILLIS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 2, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 33; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

#### SEC. \_\_\_\_ . PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS FOR ANTI-WEAPONIZATION FUND; REALLOCATION TO FRAUD ENFORCEMENT.

(a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

(1) SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT.—The term “Settlement Agreement” —

(A) means the settlement agreement styled *Trump v. Internal Revenue Service*, No. 1:26-cv-20609-KMW (S.D. Fla.), executed on or about May 18, 2026; and

(B) includes any implementing order, memorandum, directive, agreement, modi-

fication, or successor instrument with respect to the agreement described in subparagraph (A).

(2) ANTI-WEAPONIZATION FUND.—The term “Anti-Weaponization Fund” means any fund, account, claims process, compensation mechanism, or successor entity established or contemplated pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, by whatever name designated.

(3) COVERED ACTIVITIES.—The term “covered activities” means any of the following:

(A) Establishment, capitalization, staffing, or operation of the Anti-Weaponization Fund.

(B) Review, processing, administration, auditing, or adjudication of claims submitted under the Settlement Agreement.

(C) Issuance of monetary awards, reimbursements, debt relief, attorneys’ fees, compensation, grants, transfers, or other financial benefits pursuant to the Settlement Agreement.

(D) Implementation, defense, or enforcement of any order of the Attorney General issued to carry out the Settlement Agreement.

(b) RESTRICTION ON USE OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS.—

(1) GENERAL RESTRICTION.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no funds appropriated or otherwise made available by any Act of Congress, including amounts available under section 1304 of title 31, United States Code (commonly known as the “Judgment Fund”), may be obligated, transferred, reserved, committed, administered, or expended for covered activities.

(2) RESTRICTION ON SETTLEMENT AUTHORITY.—The Attorney General may not use any funds appropriated to the Department of Justice, or exercise any authority under section 516 or 519 of title 28, United States Code, to negotiate, execute, implement, or defend any agreement, order, or instrument that would obligate funds of the United States for covered activities.

(3) CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to affect the authority of the Attorney General to settle or compromise claims against the United States in matters unrelated to the Settlement Agreement.

(c) REALLOCATION.—

(1) SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING USE OF FUNDS.—It is the sense of Congress that the funds that would have been used by the Attorney General for covered activities, but for the restrictions under subsection (b), should instead be used for fraud prevention and enforcement activities, in accordance with this subsection.

(2) APPROPRIATION.—In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated to the Department of Justice for fiscal year 2026, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$1,700,000,000, to remain available until expended, for fraud prevention and enforcement activities, including—

(A) investigations and prosecutions under sections 3729 through 3733 of title 31, United States Code (commonly known as the “False Claims Act”);

(B) procurement fraud and grant fraud enforcement;

(C) public corruption investigations;

(D) forensic auditing and data analytics capabilities;

(E) coordination initiatives with inspectors general of Federal agencies;

(F) recovery of improperly obtained Federal funds;

(G) criminal and civil fraud litigation; and

(H) anti-fraud technology modernization, including advanced data analytics and case management systems.

(3) REPORTING.—Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, and

annually thereafter, the Attorney General shall submit to the Committees on the Judiciary and the Committees on Appropriations of the Senate and the House of Representatives a report detailing the use of funds made available under this subsection, including the number of investigations initiated, cases filed, and amounts recovered.

(d) CONSTRUCTION REGARDING RIGHTS AND CLAIMS.—

(1) NO VESTED RIGHTS FROM SETTLEMENT.—No person or entity shall acquire any legally enforceable right, entitlement, expectancy, or property interest arising solely from the Settlement Agreement or from any proposed Anti-Weaponization Fund process, unless expressly authorized by an Act of Congress enacted after the date of enactment of this Act.

(2) SAVINGS CLAUSE.—Nothing in this section shall be construed to—

(A) prevent any person from pursuing any claim against the United States through any judicial or administrative remedy otherwise available under law independent of the Settlement Agreement;

(B) affect any right or claim arising under sections 2671 through 2680 of title 28, United States Code (commonly known as the “Federal Tort Claims Act”), section 552a of title 5, United States Code (commonly known as the “Privacy Act of 1974”), or section 6103 or 7431 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that does not depend upon the Settlement Agreement for its existence; or

(C) waive, modify, or limit the sovereign immunity of the United States except as expressly provided in this section.

(e) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION REGARDING THE JUDGMENT FUND.—The restriction under subsection (b) constitutes a limitation on the availability of the permanent, indefinite appropriation under section 1304 of title 31, United States Code, with respect to covered activities, consistent with the authority of Congress to impose conditions on the Judgment Fund as recognized in the legislative history and judicial interpretation of such section 1304.

(f) SUPERSESION.—To the extent of any inconsistency with any provision of the Settlement Agreement, or any order, directive, or action of the Attorney General issued pursuant thereto, this section shall supersede the provision, order, directive, or action, as applicable.

(g) SEVERABILITY.—If any provision of this section, or the application of such provision to any person or circumstance, is held to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, the remainder of this section, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected.

#### AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I have four requests for committees to meet during today’s session of the Senate. They have the approval of the Majority and Minority Leaders.

Pursuant to rule XXVI, paragraph 5(a), of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the following committees are authorized to meet during today’s session of the Senate:

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY

The Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, at 10 a.m., to conduct a hearing.