

accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-2718. A communication from the Senior Bureau Official, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Data Mining Activities by Federal Agencies" received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2719. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revised Jurisdictional Thresholds for Section 7A of the Clayton Act" received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-2720. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Fiscal Year 2024 Report to Congress on the Nurse Corps Loan Repayment and Scholarship Program"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2721. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Calendar Years 2023–2024 Healthcare Fraud Prevention Partnership Biennial Report to Congress"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-2722. A communication from the General Counsel, Office of the Executive Director, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "An update of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Schedule for Filing Fees" ((RIN1902-AG40) (Docket No. RM26-8-000)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-2723. A communication from the Deputy Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, two (2) 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 February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2724. A communication from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulatory Capital Rule: Modifications to the Enhanced Supplementary Leverage Ratio Standards for U.S. Global Systemically Important Bank Holding Companies and Their Subsidiary Depository Institutions; Total Loss-Absorbing Capacity and Long-Term Debt Requirements for U.S. Global Systemically Important Bank Holding Companies" (RIN7100-AG96) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2725. A communication from the Associate Director of Congressional Affairs, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice of Interpretation to Clarify the Applicability of Backfitting to Commercial Non-Power Production or Utilization Facilities" (10 CFR Part 50) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2726. A communication from the Attorney Advisor, Office of the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pur-

suant to law, a report relative to action on a nomination for a position covered by the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998 for the position of Chief Financial Officer, Department of Transportation, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2727. A communication from the Attorney Advisor, Office of the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a nomination for a position covered by the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998 for the position of Chief Financial Officer, Department of Transportation, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2728. A communication from the Biologist, Office of Protected Resources-Greater Atlantic Region, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Taking of Marine Mammals Incidental to Commercial Fishing Operations; Harbor Porpoise Take Reduction Plan; Change to Gillnet Gear Requirements" (RIN0648-BN37) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 5, 2026; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. GRASSLEY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 1809. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking or transmitting video of defense information, and for other purposes.

S. 2544. A bill to permit State, local, and Tribal law enforcement agencies and grantees that receive eligible Federal grant funds to use such funds for investigating elder financial fraud, pig butchering, and general financial fraud, and to clarify that Federal law enforcement agencies may assist State, local, and Tribal law enforcement agencies in the use of tracing tools for blockchain and related technology, and for other purposes.

#### 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 Mrs. FISCHER (for herself and Mr. HICKENLOOPER):

S. 3802. A bill to amend title IV of the Social Security Act to establish a demonstration grant program to provide emergency relief to foster youth and improve pre-placement services offered by foster care stabilization agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 3803. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to permit actions to be instituted upon claims against the United States for money damages for personal injuries and death caused by Federal law enforcement officers without first being presented to the appropriate Federal agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BOOKER:

S. 3804. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to hold police accountable in the courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

S. 3805. A bill to amend chapter 93 of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit obstruction of immigration laws by official interference; read the first time.

By Mr. BOOKER:

S. 3806. A bill to require the Secretary of Transportation to publish a notice of proposed rulemaking concerning seat belts on school buses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. BOOKER:

S. 3807. A bill to require the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to implement a national employer notification service; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. BRITT (for herself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. TILLIS, and Mr. FETTERMAN):

S. 3808. A bill to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to increase civil penalties for, and improve enforcement with respect to, customs fraud, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself, Mr. ROUNDS, and Mr. HEINRICH):

S. 3809. A bill to authorize the Director of the National Science Foundation to identify grand challenges and award competitive prizes for artificial intelligence research and development; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. OSSOFF, and Mr. MERKLEY):

S. 3810. A bill to amend the Plant Protection Act to establish a fund for spotted wing drosophila research and mitigation; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. REED, Ms. DUCKWORTH, and Mr. SANDERS):

S. 3811. A bill to prohibit the award of Federal Government contracts to inverted domestic corporations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 278

At the request of Mr. SCHATZ, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 278, a bill to prohibit users who are under age 13 from accessing social media platforms, to prohibit the use of personalized recommendation systems on individuals under age 17, and limit the use of social media in schools.

S. 345

At the request of Mr. LEE, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. CASSIDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 345, a bill to provide that silencers be treated the same as firearms accessories.

S. 383

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 383, a bill to extend Federal Pell Grant eligibility of certain short-term programs.

S. 645

At the request of Mrs. FISCHER, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. BUDD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 645, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the individuals and communities who volunteered or donated items to the North

Platte Canteen in North Platte, Nebraska, during World War II from December 25, 1941, to April 1, 1946.

S. 1124

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. HAGERTY) 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. 1282

At the request of Mr. ROUNDS, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1282, a bill to codify the Rural Hospital Technical Assistance Program of the Department of Agriculture.

S. 1392

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1392, a bill to establish Ocean Innovation Clusters to strengthen the coastal communities and ocean economy of the United States through technological research and development, job training, and cross-sector partnerships, and for other purposes.

S. 1509

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1509, a bill to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act and the Federal Meat Inspection Act to support small and very small meat and poultry processing establishments, and for other purposes.

S. 1547

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the names of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MARSHALL) and the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) 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. 1763

At the request of Mr. YOUNG, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor 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. 2426

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the names of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) and the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) were added as cosponsors of S. 2426, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide pharmacy payment of certain services.

S. 2461

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the names of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) were added as

cosponsors of S. 2461, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Small Business Act to expand the availability of employee stock ownership plans in S corporations, and for other purposes.

S. 2485

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2485, a bill to amend section 455(m) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 in order to allow adjunct faculty members to qualify for public service loan forgiveness.

S. 2667

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEGOS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2667, a bill to prevent violence in the West Bank and authorize the imposition of sanctions with respect to any foreign person endangering United States national security and undermining prospects for a two-state solution by committing illegal violent acts.

S. 2731

At the request of Mr. SCHIFF, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2731, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Social Security Act to provide that an individual engaged in a labor dispute may receive unemployment benefits.

S. 3257

At the request of Mr. HOEVEN, the names of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. KENNEDY) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. WARNOCK) were added as cosponsors of S. 3257, a bill to require the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to revise regulations for certain individuals carrying out aviation activities who disclose a mental health diagnosis or condition, and for other purposes.

S. 3296

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3296, a bill to amend chapter 81 of title 5, United States Code, to cover, for purposes of workers' compensation under such chapter, services by physician assistants and nurse practitioners provided to injured Federal workers, and for other purposes.

S. 3366

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. HOEVEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3366, a bill to protect law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.

S. 3400

At the request of Mr. CURTIS, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3400, a bill to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to require cov-

erage of hearing devices and systems in certain private health insurance plans, and for other purposes.

S. 3561

At the request of Mr. REED, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Ms. WARREN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3561, a bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act and the Consumer Financial Protection Act of 2010 to apply certain protections and oversight to buy now, pay later loans, and for other purposes.

S. 3589

At the request of Mr. BANKS, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3589, a bill to amend the Higher Education 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. 3606

At the request of Mrs. BLACKBURN, the names of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) and the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. RICKETTS) were added as cosponsors of 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.

S. 3622

At the request of Mr. SANDERS, the name of the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3622, a bill to prohibit the naming, renaming, designating, or redesignating of any Federal building, land, or other asset in the name of a sitting President, and for other purposes.

S. 3631

At the request of Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) were added as cosponsors of S. 3631, a bill to allocate funds for the local law enforcement grant programs, and for other purposes.

S. 3663

At the request of Mr. LEE, the names of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) and the Senator from Texas (Mr. CRUZ) were added as cosponsors of S. 3663, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to modify delayed notice requirements, and for other purposes.

S. 3674

At the request of Mr. SCHMITT, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3674, a bill to expand and clarify the grounds for civil denaturalization proceedings for individuals who have defrauded a governmental program, joined a terrorist organization, or committed certain criminal offenses.

S. 3726

At the request of Mr. MORAN, the names of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) and the Senator

from Arkansas (Mr. BOOZMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 3726, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the President to define veteran success and to develop and implement a National Veterans Strategy, and for other purposes.

S. 3747

At the request of Mrs. MOODY, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Ms. LUMMIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3747, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to recognize students who have completed secondary school education in a home school setting as high school graduates, and for other purposes.

S. 3752

At the request of Mr. LEE, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. YOUNG), the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. COTTON) were added as cosponsors of S. 3752, 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. 3777

At the request of Mr. REED, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. MURPHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3777, a bill to provide for the long-term improvement of public school facilities, and for other purposes.

S. 3784

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) and the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) were added as cosponsors of S. 3784, a bill to amend the Student Support and Academic Enrichment Grant program to promote career awareness in accounting as part of a well-rounded STEM educational experience.

S. 3791

At the request of Mr. WICKER, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. CASSIDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3791, a bill to reauthorize Regional Ocean Partnerships, and for other purposes.

S.J. RES. 103

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN), the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) were added as cosponsors of S.J. Res. 103, a joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs relating to "Reproductive Health Services".

S. RES. 61

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the names of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY), the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS), the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) and the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) were added as cospon-

sors 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.

S. RES. 600

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 600, a resolution recognizing January 2026 as "National Mentoring Month".

#### STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. REED, Ms. DUCKWORTH, and Mr. SANDERS):

S. 3811. A bill to prohibit the award of Federal Government contracts to inverted domestic corporations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

S. 3811

*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 "American Business For American Companies Act of 2026".

#### SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON AWARDING CONTRACTS TO INVERTED DOMESTIC CORPORATIONS.

(a) CIVILIAN CONTRACTS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 47 of title 41, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following new section:

##### "§ 4715. Prohibition on awarding contracts to inverted domestic corporations

"(a) PROHIBITION.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—The head of an executive agency may not award a contract for the procurement of property or services to—

"(A) any foreign incorporated entity that such head has determined is an inverted domestic corporation or any subsidiary of such entity; or

"(B) any joint venture if more than 10 percent of the joint venture (by vote or value) is held by a foreign incorporated entity that such head has determined is an inverted domestic corporation or any subsidiary of such entity.

"(2) SUBCONTRACTS.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—The head of an executive agency shall include in each contract for the procurement of property or services awarded by the executive agency with a value in excess of \$10,000,000, other than a contract for exclusively commercial items, a clause that prohibits the prime contractor on such contract from—

"(i) awarding a first-tier subcontract with a value greater than 10 percent of the total value of the prime contract to an entity or joint venture described in paragraph (1); or

"(ii) structuring subcontract tiers in a manner designed to avoid the limitation in paragraph (1) by enabling an entity or joint venture described in paragraph (1) to perform more than 10 percent of the total value of the prime contract as a lower-tier subcontractor.

"(B) PENALTIES.—The contract clause included in contracts pursuant to subparagraph (A) shall provide that, in the event that the prime contractor violates the contract clause—

"(i) the prime contract may be terminated for default; and

"(ii) the matter may be referred to the suspension or debarment official for the appropriate agency and may be a basis for suspension or debarment of the prime contractor.

"(b) INVERTED DOMESTIC CORPORATION.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of this section, a foreign incorporated entity shall be treated as an inverted domestic corporation if, pursuant to a plan (or a series of related transactions)—

"(A) the entity completes on or after May 8, 2014, the direct or indirect acquisition of—

"(i) substantially all of the properties held directly or indirectly by a domestic corporation; or

"(ii) substantially all of the assets of, or substantially all of the properties constituting a trade or business of, a domestic partnership; and

"(B) after the acquisition, either—

"(i) more than 50 percent of the stock (by vote or value) of the entity is held—

"(I) in the case of an acquisition with respect to a domestic corporation, by former shareholders of the domestic corporation by reason of holding stock in the domestic corporation; or

"(II) in the case of an acquisition with respect to a domestic partnership, by former partners of the domestic partnership by reason of holding a capital or profits interest in the domestic partnership; or

"(ii) the management and control of the expanded affiliated group which includes the entity occurs, directly or indirectly, primarily within the United States, as determined pursuant to regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and such expanded affiliated group has significant domestic business activities.

"(2) EXCEPTION FOR CORPORATIONS WITH SUBSTANTIAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES IN FOREIGN COUNTRY OF ORGANIZATION.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—A foreign incorporated entity described in paragraph (1) shall not be treated as an inverted domestic corporation if after the acquisition the expanded affiliated group which includes the entity has substantial business activities in the foreign country in which or under the law of which the entity is created or organized when compared to the total business activities of such expanded affiliated group.

"(B) SUBSTANTIAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES.—The Secretary of the Treasury (or the Secretary's delegate) shall establish regulations for determining whether an affiliated group has substantial business activities for purposes of subparagraph (A), except that such regulations may not treat any group as having substantial business activities if such group would not be considered to have substantial business activities under the regulations prescribed under section 7874 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 18, 2017.

"(3) SIGNIFICANT DOMESTIC BUSINESS ACTIVITIES.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of paragraph (1)(B)(ii), an expanded affiliated group has significant domestic business activities if at least 25 percent of—

"(i) the employees of the group are based in the United States;

"(ii) the employee compensation incurred by the group is incurred with respect to employees based in the United States;

"(iii) the assets of the group are located in the United States; or

"(iv) the income of the group is derived in the United States.

"(B) DETERMINATION.—Determinations pursuant to subparagraph (A) shall be made in the same manner as such determinations are made for purposes of determining substantial