

quick brushwork. Her artwork, “Alabama Camellia” represents Alabama’s State flower and reflects its cultural significance across the State. The Camellia is an icon of Alabama’s heritage and is prominently featured in public gardens, festivals, and residential landscapes. Ms. Price’s work captures this symbolism with clarity and elegance.

Craig Reynolds, of Gadsden, AL, is recognized for his plein air and studio oil paintings of landscapes, rural scenes and nature. He began painting professionally in 1984 and has worked as a full-time artist since 2005. His piece “Alabama Snow” is the largest artwork on display in my office. The painting portrays cotton fields commonly found in northern Alabama beneath a clear blue sky, offering a distinctive view of the State’s agricultural landscape.

Collectively, these artists have made a meaningful contribution—not only to my office, but to the State of Alabama—by allowing their work to be displayed on Capitol Hill. Their generosity and artistic excellence help ensure that Alabama is represented not only through public service and policy, but through creativity and culture. Without a doubt, Mr. Austin, Ms. Price, and Mr. Reynolds are truly some of Alabama’s finest. I am honored to have their pieces in my office.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Hanley, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The messages received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

NOTICE OF THE REASONS FOR ACTION TO ADJUST IMPORTS OF PROCESSED CRITICAL MINERALS AND THEIR DERIVATIVE PRODUCTS (PCMDPS) SO THAT SUCH IMPORTS WILL NOT THREATEN TO IMPAIR THE NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO PROCLAMATION 11001 OF JANUARY 14, 2026—PM 49

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Consistent with applicable law, including section 232(c)(2) of the Trade

Expansion Act of 1962, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1862(c)(2)) (section 232), I am providing notice of the reasons why I have decided to take action to adjust imports of processed critical minerals and their derivative products (PCMDPs) so that such imports will not threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

On October 24, 2025, the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary), in accordance with section 232, transmitted to me a report on his investigation into the effects of imports of PCMDPs on the national security of the United States. Based on the facts considered in that investigation, the Secretary found and advised me of his opinion that PCMDPs are being imported into the United States in such quantities and under such circumstances as to threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

In Proclamation 11001 of January 14, 2026 (Adjusting Imports of Processed Critical Minerals and Their Derivative Products Into The United States) (Proclamation), after considering the Secretary’s report, the factors in section 232(d) (19 U.S.C. 1862(d)), and other relevant factors and information, I concurred with the Secretary’s finding that PCMDPs are being imported into the United States in quantities and under circumstances that threaten to impair the national security of the United States. In my judgment, and in light of the Secretary’s report, the factors in section 232(d), and other relevant factors and information, I determined that it is necessary and appropriate to direct negotiations of agreements to address the national security threat. In the Proclamation, I also noted that depending on the status or outcome of those negotiations, I may take other measures to adjust the imports of PCMDPs to address the national security threat.

I am enclosing a copy of the Proclamation that I have issued. The Proclamation further explains the circumstances underlying the threat to impair the national security of the United States posed by imports of PCMDPs, and the actions taken in the Proclamation to eliminate that threat.

DONALD J. TRUMP.

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 11, 2026.

NOTICE OF THE REASONS FOR ACTION TO ADJUST IMPORTS OF MEDIUM- AND HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLES (MHDVS), AND MEDIUM- AND HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLE PARTS (MHDVPS), AND BUSES SO THAT SUCH IMPORTS WILL NOT THREATEN TO IMPAIR THE NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO PROCLAMATION 10984 OF OCTOBER 17, 2025—PM 50

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report and papers; which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Consistent with applicable law, including section 232(c)(2) of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1862(c)(2)) (section 232), I am providing notice of the reasons why I have decided to take action to adjust imports of medium- and heavy-duty vehicles (MHDVs), and medium- and heavy-duty vehicle parts (MHDVPS), and buses so that such imports will not threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

In September 2025, the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary), in accordance with section 232, transmitted to me a report on his investigation into the effects of imports of MHDVs, MHDVPS, and buses on the national security of the United States. Based on the facts considered in that investigation, the Secretary found and advised me of his opinion that MHDVs, MHDVPS, and buses are being imported into the United States in such quantities and under such circumstances as to threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

In Proclamation 10984 of October 17, 2025 (Adjusting Imports of Medium- and Heavy-Duty Vehicles, Medium- and Heavy-Duty Vehicle Parts, and Buses Into the United States) (Proclamation), after considering the Secretary’s report, the factors in section 232(d) (19 U.S.C. 1862 (d)), and other relevant factors and information, I concurred with the Secretary’s finding that MHDVs, MHDVPS, and buses are being imported into the United States in quantities and under circumstances that threaten to impair the national security of the United States. In my judgment, and in light of the Secretary’s report, the factors in section 232(d), and other relevant factors and information, I determined that it is necessary and appropriate to impose tariffs on certain imports of MHDVs, MHDVPS, and buses.

I am enclosing a copy of the Proclamation that I have issued. The Proclamation further explains the circumstances underlying the threat to impair the national security of the United States posed by imports of MHDVs, MHDVPS, and buses and the actions taken in the Proclamation to eliminate that threat.

DONALD J. TRUMP.

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 11, 2026.

NOTICE OF THE REASONS FOR ACTION TO ADJUST IMPORTS OF SEMICONDUCTORS, SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING EQUIPMENT, AND THEIR DERIVATIVE PRODUCTS SO THAT SUCH IMPORTS WILL NOT THREATEN TO IMPAIR THE NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO PROCLAMATION 11002 OF JANUARY 14, 2026—PM 51

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report and papers; which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Congress of the United States:

Consistent with applicable law, including section 232(c)(2) of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1862(c)(2)) (section 232), I am providing notice of the reasons why I have decided to take action to adjust imports of semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivative products so that such imports will not threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

On December 22, 2025, the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary), in accordance with section 232, transmitted to me a report on his investigation into the effects of imports of semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivative products on the national security of the United States. Based on the facts considered in that investigation, the Secretary found and advised me of his opinion that semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivative products are being imported into the United States in such quantities and under such circumstances as to threaten to impair the national security of the United States.

In Proclamation 11002 of January 14, 2026 (Adjusting Imports of Semiconductors, Semiconductor Manufacturing Equipment, and Their Derivative Products Into The United States) (Proclamation), after considering the Secretary's report, the factors in section 232(d) (19 U.S.C. 1862(d)), and other relevant factors and information, among other things, I concurred with the Secretary's finding that semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivatives are being imported into the United States in quantities and under circumstances that threaten to impair the national security of the United States. In my judgment, and in light of the Secretary's report, the factors in section 232(d), and other relevant factors and information, I determined that it is necessary and appropriate to direct negotiations of agreements to address the national security threat. In the Proclamation, I also noted that depending on the status or resolution of those negotiations, I may take other measures to adjust the imports of semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivatives to address the national security threat. I also determined that it is necessary and appropriate to impose an immediate *ad valorem* duty rate on the import of certain advanced computing chips and certain derivative products to address the national security threat found in the Proclamation.

I am enclosing a copy of the Proclamation that I have issued. The Proclamation further explains the circumstances underlying the threat to impair the national security of the United States posed by imports of semiconductors, semiconductor manufacturing equipment, and their derivative products, and the actions taken in

the Proclamation to eliminate that threat.

DONALD J. TRUMP.
THE WHITE HOUSE, February 11, 2026.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 2:43 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, without amendment:

S. 3705. An act to provide for the creation of a congressional time capsule in commemoration of the semiquincentennial of the United States, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 1531. An act to direct certain financial regulators to exclude representatives of the People's Republic of China from certain banking organizations upon notice of certain threats or danger, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3190. An act to amend the Burma Unified through Rigorous Military Accountability Act of 2022 to extend the sunset, to require a determination with respect to the imposition of sanctions on certain persons of Burma, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3390. An act to amend the Federal Reserve Act to require the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System to carry out a review of discount window operations and to implement improvements to such operations, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3682. An act to amend the Financial Stability Act of 2010 to require the Financial Stability Oversight Council to consider alternative approaches before determining that a U.S. nonbank financial company shall be supervised by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and for other purposes.

H.R. 6644. An act to increase the supply of housing in America, and for other purposes.

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

H. Con. Res. 74. Concurrent resolution providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a message from the President.

MEASURES REFERRED

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

H.R. 1531. An act to direct certain financial regulators to exclude representatives of the People's Republic of China from certain banking organizations upon notice of certain threats or danger, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

H.R. 3190. An act to amend the Burma Unified through Rigorous Military Accountability Act of 2022 to extend the sunset, to require a determination with respect to the imposition of sanctions on certain persons of Burma, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

H.R. 3390. An act to amend the Federal Reserve Act to require the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System to carry out a review of discount window operations and to implement improvements to such operations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

H.R. 3682. An act to amend the Financial Stability Act of 2010 to require the Financial

Stability Oversight Council to consider alternative approaches before determining that a U.S. nonbank financial company shall be supervised by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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-2757. A communication from the Deputy General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program" (RIN1840-AA28) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 10, 2026; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2758. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on applications for delayed-notice search warrants and extensions during fiscal year 2025; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-2759. A communication from the Senior Attorney Advisor, Federal Protective Service, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Protection of Federal Property; Technical Amendment" (RIN1601-AB17) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 11, 2026; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2760. 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 "Rescission of Principles for Climate-Related Financial Risk Management for Large Financial Institutions" (RIN3064-ZA32) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 11, 2026; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2761. A communication from the Acting Branch Supervisor of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Chlorate; Exemption from the Requirement of a Pesticide Tolerance" (FRL No. 13148-01-OCSP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 9, 2026; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2762. A communication from the Acting Branch Supervisor of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "PDHP 68949; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 13197-01-OCSP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 9, 2026; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2763. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-2764. A communication from the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Total Medicare Part B Spending on Lab Tests Rose in 2024, Driven by Increased Spending on Genetic Test"; to the Committee on Finance.