

on February 27, 2026; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2931. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Economic Adjustment Assistance for Textile Mills - Payment Rate" ((RIN0581-AE48) (Docket No. AMS-FTPP-25-0683)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 27, 2026; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2932. A communication from the Chairman of the Board, Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the requirements of the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2933. A communication from the Acting Chief Privacy and Civil Liberties Officer, Office of Privacy and Civil Liberties, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Privacy Act of 1974; Implementation" (CPCLO Order No. 01-2026) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2026; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-2934. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revising the National Drug Code Format and Drug Label Barcode Requirements" (RIN0910-A152) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 5, 2026; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. WICKER for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Brian Birdwell, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Mark Ditlevson, of Minnesota, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

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. HUSTED:

S. 4033. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to adjust the percentage depletion rate for certain rare earths, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. RICKETTS (for himself and Ms. CORTEZ MASTO):

S. 4034. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to specify certain registration statement contents for emerging growth companies, to permit issuers to file draft registration statements with the Securities and Exchange Commission for confidential review, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

S. 4035. A bill to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to prohibit the listing of con-

tracts relating to war, death, and similar activities; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mrs. CAPITO (for herself, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MORAN, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. KIM, Mr. BOOKER, and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. 4036. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to expand the Project ECHO Grant Program, to allow for such program to disseminate knowledge and build capacity to address Alzheimer's disease and other dementias, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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

S. 4037. A bill to ensure continued access to diabetes technology upon Medicare enrollment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. SCHUMER, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Ms. ROSEN):

S. 4038. A bill to exempt small business concerns from duties imposed by the President under section 122 of the Trade Act of 1974 and to prevent price gouging with respect to goods subject to such duties; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. ALSOBROOKS (for herself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. KAINE, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. KIM, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. SMITH, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, and Mr. LUJÁN):

S. 4039. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reverse the reductions in Federal loan availability for graduate and professional students enacted under Public Law 119-21; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HOEVEN (for himself, Mr. PADILLA, and Mr. CRAMER):

S. 4040. A bill to amend Public Law 89-108 to modify the authorization of appropriations for State and Tribal, municipal, rural, and industrial water supplies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself and Mr. HICKENLOOPER):

S. 4041. A bill to reauthorize the Cooperative Watershed Management Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BOOKER:

S. 4042. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the standard deduction, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BANKS (for himself and Ms. DUCKWORTH):

S. 4043. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to make permanent the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide treatment and rehabilitation for seriously mentally ill and homeless veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself and Ms. WARREN):

S. 4044. A bill to require the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to designate national high-energy astrophysics hubs; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. FETTERMAN (for himself, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. BENNET, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 4045. A bill to amend the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to establish online and delivery standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. DUCKWORTH (for herself, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. KAINE, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. SCHIFF, and Ms. BALDWIN):

S.J. Res. 123. A joint resolution to direct the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities within or against the Islamic Republic of Iran that have not been authorized by Congress; 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. HAWLEY (for himself and Mr. SCHMITT):

S. Res. 630. A resolution honoring the lives of fallen Missouri police officers and expressing condolences to their families; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 631. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Uzbekistan's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 632. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Ghana's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 633. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Honduras's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 634. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Equatorial Guinea's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 635. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Kosovo's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 636. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Guatemala's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KAINE:

S. Res. 637. A resolution requesting information on the Republic of Cameroon's human rights practices pursuant to section 502B(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act 1961; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself, Mr. PETERS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WELCH, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. Con. Res. 28. A concurrent resolution expressing support for the recognition of March 10, 2026, as "Abortion Provider Appreciation Day"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 120

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 120, a bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to establish a pilot program for the construction of temporary disaster assistance housing, and for other purposes.

S. 134

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 134, a bill to place limitations on accepting positions from the competitive service, and for other purposes.

S. 136

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 136, a bill to lift the trade embargo on Cuba, and for other purposes.

S. 199

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. DUCKWORTH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 199, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide special rules for the taxation of certain residents of Taiwan with income from sources within the United States.

S. 567

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 567, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the First Rhode Island Regiment, in recognition of their dedicated service during the Revolutionary War.

S. 864

At the request of Mr. KAINE, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. BOOKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 864, a bill to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act to apply financial assistance towards the cost-sharing requirements of health insurance plans, and for other purposes.

S. 867

At the request of Mr. LUJÁN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 867, a bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to clarify that the Federal Communications Commission may not take action against a broadcast licensee or any other person on the basis of viewpoint, and for other purposes.

S. 907

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the names of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. RISCH) and the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEGRO) were added as cosponsors of S. 907, a bill to amend the Camp Lejeune Justice Act of 2022 to make technical corrections.

S. 1151

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1151, a bill to expand the use of E-Verify to hold employers accountable, and for other purposes.

S. 1158

At the request of Mr. LEE, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. BARRASSO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1158, a bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide compensatory time for employees in the private sector.

S. 1247

At the request of Mr. SCHMITT, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr.

SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1247, a bill to ensure the ability of public safety officers to retain their right to free speech on matters related to public safety, working conditions, and other matters.

S. 1398

At the request of Mr. RICKETTS, the name of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1398, a bill to require the Secretary of Agriculture to submit to Congress a report on residue testing for all imported organic feedstuffs shipped in bulk, and for other purposes.

S. 1441

At the request of Mr. TILLIS, the names of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. OSSOFF) and the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) were added as cosponsors 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. 1547

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the names of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) and the Senator from Colorado (Mr. BENNET) 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. 1552

At the request of Mr. COTTON, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. VAN HOLLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1552, a bill to promote and protect from discrimination living organ donors.

S. 1881

At the request of Mr. MARKEY, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1881, a bill to amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 to expand coverage under such Act to public employees.

S. 1892

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. MCCORMICK) were added as cosponsors of S. 1892, a bill to clarify that amounts from declinations should be deposited in the Crime Victims Fund and to temporarily provide additional deposits into the Crime Victims Fund.

S. 2019

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. BOOZMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2019, a bill to establish a Task Force for Recognizing and Averting Payment Scams, and for other purposes.

S. 2169

At the request of Mr. HAWLEY, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2169, a bill to require the de-

velopment of a comprehensive rural hospital cybersecurity workforce development strategy, and for other purposes.

S. 2840

At the request of Mr. HAGERTY, the names of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) and the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 2840, a bill to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to postpone the date of payment or satisfaction upon redemption of certain securities in the case of the financial exploitation of specified adults, and for other purposes.

S. 2903

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. KIM) were added as cosponsors 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. 3213

At the request of Mr. SCOTT of Florida, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3213, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to extend the destruction authority of the Secretary of Health and Human Services to articles that present a significant public health concern, and for other purposes.

S. 3267

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mrs. BRITT) was added as a cosponsor 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. 3314

At the request of Mr. SHEEHY, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3314, a bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to expand a directive of the Veterans Health Administration regarding informed consent to apply to certain types of medications.

S. 3339

At the request of Mr. BANKS, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MARSHALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3339, a bill to better forecast and plan for the impact of artificial intelligence on the workforce of the United States, to provide data to improve training programs for in-demand industry sectors and occupations, and for other purposes.

S. 3475

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3475, a bill to authorize, ratify, and confirm the Agreement of Settlement and Compromise to Resolve

the Akwesasne Mohawk Land Claim in the State of New York, and for other purposes.

S. 3746

At the request of Mr. MORENO, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. SHEEHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3746, a bill to prohibit individuals receiving public assistance from conducting remittance transfers.

S. 3774

At the request of Mr. GALLEG0, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3774, a bill to prohibit online platforms from displaying fraudulent or deceptive commercial advertisements, and for other purposes.

S. 3775

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. MARKEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3775, a bill to reduce the incidence of death by underride by enhancing underride protection on trailers, semitrailers, and single unit trucks, which will result in more survivable truck crashes, to improve motor carrier, passenger motor vehicle, and Vulnerable Road User safety, and for other purposes.

S. 3812

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3812, a bill to require the Secretary of Labor to issue guidance and regulations regarding opioid overdose reversal medication and employee training.

S. 3894

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. GALLEG0) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3894, a bill to prohibit the Department of Homeland Security from constructing, acquiring, renovating, or operating any new processing site or detention center without providing a mechanism for public comments regarding such activity, entering into a signed, written agreement with appropriate State and local officials, and providing Congress with advance notice of such activity.

S. 3938

At the request of Mr. KING, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3938, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize representatives of veterans service organizations to participate in presentations to promote certain benefits available to veterans during preseparation counseling under the Transition Assistance Program of the Department of Defense, and for other purposes.

S. 3975

At the request of Mr. YOUNG, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3975, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow charitable rollovers from individual retirement accounts to donor advised funds.

S. 3985

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. RISCH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3985, a bill to allow States to require payment of State fees related to boating as a condition for issuance of a vessel number and to collect such fees in conjunction with other fees related to vessel numbering.

S. 4007

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4007, a bill to restore competition in the meatpacking industry by reducing excessive concentration and market power and ultimately reduce prices for American consumers, and for other purposes.

S. 4018

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4018, a bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to expand access to school-wide arts and music programs, and for other purposes.

S. 4030

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. ALSOBROOKS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4030, a bill to provide out-of-school time educators with professional development in STEM subjects, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 236

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 236, a resolution calling for the return of abducted Ukrainian children before finalizing any peace agreement to end the war against Ukraine.

S. RES. 547

At the request of Mr. RICKETTS, the names of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. BENNET) and the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 547, a resolution expressing unwavering support for the United States-Japan alliance in response to political, economic and military pressure by the People's Republic of China.

S. RES. 628

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 628, a resolution expressing support for the designation of March 2026 as "Music in Our Schools Month".

AMENDMENT NO. 4306

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the names of the Senator from California (Mr. PADILLA) and the Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 4306 intended to be proposed to H.R. 6644, a bill a bill to increase the supply of housing in America, and for other purposes.

SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 630—HONORING THE LIVES OF FALLEN MISSOURI POLICE OFFICERS AND EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES TO THEIR FAMILIES

Mr. HAWLEY (for himself and Mr. SCHMITT) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 630

Whereas police officers, sheriffs, deputies, and all other law enforcement officers serve and protect their communities with honor and sacrifice;

Whereas all law enforcement officers make a great sacrifice every day by putting their lives on the line to serve their fellow citizens;

Whereas violent crime is abhorrent in all instances and especially affects law enforcement officers and the communities they serve;

Whereas the spouses and family members of our brave servicemen and women carry a great burden when their loved ones head into the line of duty;

Whereas, on February 23, 2026, the residents of Christian County, Missouri, experienced a violent and wicked attack against its law enforcement officers;

Whereas 4 police officers in southwest Missouri were shot in the line of duty, 2 of whom suffered injuries that were fatal; and

Whereas these fallen officers include—

(1) Deputy Gabriel Ramirez of the Christian County Sheriff's Office, who passed away in the line of duty after attempting to administer a traffic stop; and

(2) Deputy Michael Hislope of the Christian County Sheriff's Office, who passed away in the line of duty after bravely attempting to reach wounded officers under fire: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) expresses deep condolences for—

(A) the Missouri police officers who made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty; and

(B) their families;

(2) recognizes the countless selfless and heroic actions carried out by Missouri law enforcement officers every day;

(3) expresses strong support for police officers and law enforcement officers across the United States that serve and protect their local communities;

(4) acknowledges the importance of honoring and remembering fallen police and local law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty;

(5) condemns all violent acts taken against law enforcement officers; and

(6) commits to supporting law enforcement officers in their work to fulfil their duty of making our communities safer.

SENATE RESOLUTION 631—REQUESTING INFORMATION ON THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN'S HUMAN RIGHTS PRACTICES PURSUANT TO SECTION 502B(c) OF THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1961

Mr. KAINÉ submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations:

S. RES. 631

Resolved,