Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Dr. Yancey C. Arrington, Clear Creek Community Church, League City, Texas.

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Oath of Office—Seventh Congressional District of Tennessee: Representative-elect Matt Van Epps presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the Oath of Office by the Speaker. Earlier, the Clerk of the House transmitted a copy of a letter received from Mr. Mark Goins, Coordinator of Elections with the Tennessee Office of the Secretary of State, indicating that, at the Special Election held on December 2, 2025, the Honorable Matt Van Epps was elected Representative to Congress for the Seventh Congressional District of Tennessee.

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Whole Number of the House: The Speaker announced to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath to the gentleman from Tennessee, the whole number of the House is 433. Page H5030

Promoting Responsible Oversight To Eliminate Communist Teachings for Our Kids Act: The House passed H.R. 1069, to prohibit the availability of Federal education funds for elementary and secondary schools that receive direct or indirect support from the Government of the People's Republic of China, by a yea-and-nay vote of 247 yeas to 164 nays, Roll No. 313.

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Pursuant to the Rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Education and Workforce now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted.

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H. Res. 916, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 4312), (H.R. 1005), (H.R. 1049), (H.R. 1069), (H.R. 2965) and (H.R. 4305), was agreed to Tuesday, December 2nd.

Transparency in Reporting of Adversarial Contributions to Education Act: The House passed H.R. 1049, to ensure that parents are aware of foreign influence in their child's public school, by a yea-and-nay vote of 247 yeas to 166 nays, Roll No. 314. Consideration began yesterday, December 3rd.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 11 a.m. tomorrow, and further when the House adjourns on that day. it adjourn to meet at noon on Tuesday, December 9, 2025 for morning-hour debate.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President transmitting the National Security Strategy of the United States of America—referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5035–36 and H5036–37.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 12:28 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

## IN THEIR CORNER: CREATING MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR AMERICAN BOXERS

Committee on Education and Workforce: Subcommittee on Workforce Protections held a hearing entitled "In Their Corner: Creating More Opportunities for American Boxers". Testimony was heard from Representatives Jack and Horsford; and public witnesses.

# STRATEGIC TRAJECTORIES: ASSESSING CHINA'S SPACE RISE AND THE RISKS TO U.S. LEADERSHIP

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Sub-committee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing entitled "Strategic Trajectories: Assessing China's Space Rise and the Risks to U.S. Leadership". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **MEMBER DAY**

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Full Committee held a hearing entitled "119th Congress Member Day". Testimony was heard from Schrier, Titus, Tokuda, Vasquez, Lee of Nevada, Fitzpatrick, Kaptur, Ruiz, Bishop, Stanton, Underwood, Hayes, Correa, Carbajal, Vincente Gonzalez of Texas, Stansbury, and McClellan.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

#### House

No hearings are scheduled.