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The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The amendment (No. 2747) was agreed to.

(The amendment is printed in today's RECORD under "Text of Amendments.")

The bill (H.R. 208), as amended, was ordered to a third reading, was read the third time, and passed.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Rhode Island.

Mr. WHITEHOUSE. Mr. President, I congratulate Senator VITTER on the passage of the bill and would remark on the support for it by Senator BOOKER and Senator MENENDEZ on our side of the aisle.

ILLEGAL, UNREPORTED, AND UNREGULATED FISHING ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 2015

Mr. WHITEHOUSE. Mr. President, I now in turn ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 774 and the Senate proceed to its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The clerk will report the bill by title. The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 774) to strengthen enforcement mechanisms to stop illegal, unreported, and unregulated fishing, to amend the Tuna Conventions Act of 1950 to implement the Antigua Convention, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. WHITEHOUSE. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, and the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 774) was ordered to a third reading, was read the third time, and passed.

Mr. WHITEHOUSE. Mr. President, we have worked long and hard in the bipartisan Oceans Caucus to clear this Illegal, Unreported, and Unregulated Fishing Enforcement Act of 2015. It will help fishermen on all of our coasts better withstand foreign competition that cheats, that destroys resources, and that engages in what we call pirate fishing. This is a House bill. It passed with a huge majority on the House side, and now having passed in the Senate, it can go to the President for its signature. It will be good for fishermen across the country.

I thank Senator VITTER for his consideration and for working together to clear both of these bills this afternoon.

I yield the floor.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Louisiana.

Mr. VITTER. Mr. President, assuming it is not too late, I ask unanimous consent to be added as a cosponsor of that legislation as well.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. VITTER. Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Louisiana.

Mr. VITTER. Mr. President, to clarify the request, I ask unanimous consent to be added as a cosponsor of the Senate bill, which represents—excuse me, Mr. President. I withdraw the unanimous consent request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The request is withdrawn.

Mr. VITTER. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The bill clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. BURR. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. PERDUE). Without objection, it is so ordered.

CYBERSECURITY INFORMATION SHARING ACT OF 2015—Continued

Mr. BURR. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that if cloture is invoked on the Burr-Feinstein substitute amendment to S. 754, the Senate then vote in relation to the Paul amendment No. 2564, as modified, with 10 minutes divided in the usual form prior to the vote.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Without objection, it is so ordered.

The Senator from New Mexico.

Mr. UDALL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to set aside the pending amendment and call up amendment No. 2117, which is a 60-day extension of the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. BURR. Mr. President, reserving the right to object, I believe the amendment number is 2717.

Mr. UDALL. It is amendment No. 2717. The Senator is correct.

Mr. BURR. Mr. President, I thank Senator UDALL. He is a cosponsor of the permanent reauthorization of the Land and Water Conservation Fund. I came to the Senate prior to the expiration of the Land and Water Conservation Fund with the hope that my colleagues would give it a 60-day extension. It has now expired. The 60-day extension on an expired act isn't even an offer that is on the table.

For my colleagues, let me just remind you that the Land and Water Conservation Fund has been around a long time—50 years. Some say: They have \$20 billion in funds; why don't they just draw on it? It is because they receive about \$900 million a year in royalties off of offshore exploration of energy. Congress in its infinite wisdom said if we are going to tap our natural resources we are going to put part of the royalties of that back into con-

servation. The unfortunate thing is they never got the \$900 million a year. Our appropriators in the Congress have seen fit to give them on average over the life of this fund about \$390 million a year.

Some of my colleagues suggest that there is a fund over there, the Land and Water Conservation Fund, and you could just tap it. Well, no, there isn't. The appropriators spent that money long ago. As a matter of fact, this year it was just over \$350 billion for the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

So as delighted as I am that he has sponsored the permanent reauthorization, most Members believe that we should reauthorize this permanently. So I would ask the Senator to modify his unanimous consent request to make the amendment read that we would take up the Murkowski-Cantwell permanent extension language.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. LEE. I object.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard.

Mr. UDALL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to set aside the pending amendment and call up amendment No. 2717, as modified, which is a 1-year extension of the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. BURR. I object to the last unanimous consent request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard.

Mr. BURR. And on the current unanimous consent request, if I can address that, reserving the right to object, again, without being repetitive, this is a 1-year extension. The beauty of the effort by Senator CANTWELL and Senator MURKOWSKI, a bipartisan approach to the Land and Water Conservation Fund, addresses exactly what Senator LEE asked for, a reformed bill. This is a package that has been negotiated by Republicans and Democrats—the chairman of the energy committee and an individual who is extremely invested in the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

So I would once again ask the Senator to modify his unanimous consent request to make that amendment read that we move to the Murkowski-Cantwell permanent extension language.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. LEE. I object.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard.

Is there objection to the original request?

Mr. BURR. I object, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard.

Mr. UDALL. Mr. President, I can't tell you how disappointed I am. The Senator from North Carolina objects to making an unrelated amendment to his bill, but he insists on one to ours. It seems we are at a standoff—a standoff with a bipartisan TSCA reform that