

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 11:37 p.m.

## *Committee Meetings*

### **NAVY READINESS—UNDERLYING PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH THE USS FITZGERALD AND USS JOHN S. MCCAIN**

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Seapower and Projection Forces; and Subcommittee on Readiness held a joint hearing entitled “Navy Readiness—Underlying Problems Associated with the USS Fitzgerald and USS John S. McCain”. Testimony was heard from Rear Admiral Upper Half Ronald A. Boxall, Director, Surface Warfare (N96), U.S. Navy; Admiral Bill Moran, Vice Chief of Naval Operations, U.S. Navy; and John H. Pendleton, Director, Defense Force Structure and Readiness Issues, Government Accountability Office.

### **THE BROADCAST INCENTIVE AUCTION: UPDATE ON REPACKING OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Communications and Technology held a hearing entitled “The Broadcast Incentive Auction: Update on Repacking Opportunities and Challenges”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS FOR A MORE EFFICIENT FEDERAL FINANCIAL REGULATORY REGIME**

*Committee on Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing entitled “Legislative Proposals for a More Efficient Federal Financial Regulatory Regime”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **OVERSIGHT OF THE FINANCIAL INDUSTRY REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

*Committee on Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities, and Investment held a hearing entitled “Oversight of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority”. Testimony was heard from Robert W. Cook, President and Chief Executive Officer, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority.

### **MAINTAINING U.S. INFLUENCE IN SOUTH ASIA: THE FY 2018 BUDGET**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific held a hearing entitled “Maintaining U.S. Influence in South Asia: The FY 2018 Budget”. Testimony was heard from Alice G. Wells, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of South and Central Asian Affairs, Department of State; and Gloria Steele, Acting Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Asia, U.S. Agency for International Development.

### **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE COUNTERTERRORISM BUREAU: THE FY 2018 BUDGET**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade held a hearing entitled “U.S. Department of State Counterterrorism Bureau: The FY 2018 Budget”. Testimony was heard from Nathan Alexander Sales, Coordinator for Counterterrorism, Bureau of Counterterrorism and Countering Violent Extremism, Department of State.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 2142, the “International Narcotics Trafficking Emergency Response by Detecting Incoming Contraband with Technology Act”; H.R. 3101, the “Strengthening Cybersecurity Information Sharing and Coordination in Our Ports Act of 2017”; H.R. 3551, to amend the Security and Accountability for Every Port Act of 2006 to reauthorize the Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism Program, and for other purposes; and H.R. 3669, the “Securing General Aviation and Commercial Charter Air Carrier Service Act of 2017”. H.R. 2142, H.R. 3551, and H.R. 3669 were ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 3101 was ordered reported, without amendment.

### **CHALLENGES OF RECRUITING AND RETAINING A CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE**

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Subcommittee on Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Protection held a hearing entitled “Challenges of Recruiting and Retaining a Cybersecurity Workforce”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 3229, to protect the safety of judges by extending the authority of the Judicial Conference to redact sensitive information contained in their financial disclosure reports, and for other purposes; H.R. 620, the “ADA Education and Reform Act of 2017”; and H. Res. 488, resolution of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Attorney General to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the removal of former Federal Bureau of Investigation Director James Comey. H.R. 3229 and H.R. 620 were ordered reported, without amendment. H. Res. 488 was ordered reported, as amended.

### EXAMINING THE SHIPMENT OF ILLICIT DRUGS IN INTERNATIONAL MAIL

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Government Operations held a hearing entitled “Examining the Shipment of Illicit Drugs in International Mail”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### SENATE AMENDMENT TO THE READ ACT

*Committee on Rules:* Full Committee held a hearing on the Senate Amendment to H.R. 601, the “READ Act” [Hurricane Supplemental, Debt Limit, Continuing Appropriations, and Flood Insurance Package]. The Committee granted, by voice vote of, a rule providing for the consideration of the Senate amendment to H.R. 601. The rule makes in order a motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or his designee that the House concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 601. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The rule provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.

### PRIVATE SECTOR LUNAR EXPLORATION

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology:* Subcommittee on Space held a hearing entitled “Private Sector Lunar Exploration”. Testimony was heard from Jason Crusan, Director, Advanced Exploration Systems, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and public witnesses.

### EXAMINING THE SMALL BUSINESS LABOR MARKET

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax, and Capital Access held a hearing entitled “Examining the Small Business Labor Market”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Full Committee held a markup on H. Res. 479, of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Treasury to provide to the House of Representatives the tax return information of President Donald J. Trump as well as the tax returns of each business entity disclosed by Donald J. Trump on his Office of Government Ethics Form 278e. H. Res. 479 was ordered reported, without amendment.

## *Joint Meetings*

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

#### House

No hearings are scheduled.