

## NAYS—46

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| Baldwin      | Hassan    | Peters     |
| Bennet       | Heinrich  | Reed       |
| Blumenthal   | Hirono    | Sanders    |
| Booker       | Jones     | Schatz     |
| Brown        | Kaine     | Schumer    |
| Cantwell     | King      | Shaheen    |
| Cardin       | Klobuchar | Smith      |
| Carper       | Leahy     | Tester     |
| Casey        | Manchin   | Udall      |
| Coons        | Markey    | Van Hollen |
| Cortez Masto | McCaskill | Warner     |
| Duckworth    | Menendez  | Warren     |
| Durbin       | Merkley   | Whitehouse |
| Feinstein    | Murphy    | Wyden      |
| Gillibrand   | Murray    |            |
| Harris       | Nelson    |            |

## NOT VOTING—1

Hyde-Smith

The nomination was confirmed.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the motion to reconsider is considered made and laid upon the table, and the President will be immediately notified of the Senate's action.

## CLOTURE MOTION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Pursuant to rule XXII, the Chair lays before the Senate the pending cloture motion, which the clerk will state.

The bill clerk read as follows:

## CLOTURE MOTION

We, the undersigned Senators, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, do hereby move to bring to a close debate on the nomination of Karen Dunn Kelley, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce.

Mitch McConnell, Johnny Isakson, Mike Rounds, Thom Tillis, Mike Crapo, Pat Roberts, John Hoeven, David Perdue, Tim Scott, John Cornyn, Roy Blunt, Cory Gardner, Tom Cotton, Jerry Moran, John Barrasso, Roger F. Wicker, John Boozman.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. By unanimous consent, the mandatory quorum call has been waived.

The question is, Is it the sense of the Senate that debate on the nomination of Karen Dunn Kelley, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce, shall be brought to a close?

The yeas and nays are mandatory under the rule.

The clerk will call the roll.

The bill clerk called the roll.

Mr. CORNYN. The following Senator is necessarily absent: the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH).

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Are there any other Senators in the Chamber desiring to vote?

The yeas and nays resulted—yeas 62, nays 37, as follows:

[Rollcall Vote No. 247 Ex.]

## YEAS—62

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| Alexander | Cruz     | Hoeven    |
| Barrasso  | Daines   | Inhofe    |
| Blunt     | Donnelly | Isakson   |
| Boozman   | Enzi     | Johnson   |
| Burr      | Ernst    | Jones     |
| Capito    | Fischer  | Kennedy   |
| Casey     | Flake    | King      |
| Cassidy   | Gardner  | Kyl       |
| Collins   | Graham   | Lankford  |
| Corker    | Grassley | Lee       |
| Cornyn    | Hatch    | Manchin   |
| Cotton    | Heitkamp | McCaskill |
| Crapo     | Heller   | McConnell |

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| Moran     | Roberts | Sullivan |
| Murkowski | Rounds  | Tester   |
| Murphy    | Rubio   | Thune    |
| Nelson    | Sasse   | Tillis   |
| Paul      | Schatz  | Toomey   |
| Perdue    | Scott   | Wicker   |
| Portman   | Shaheen | Young    |
| Risch     | Shelby  |          |

## NAYS—37

|              |            |            |
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| Baldwin      | Gillibrand | Reed       |
| Bennet       | Harris     | Sanders    |
| Blumenthal   | Hassan     | Schumer    |
| Booker       | Heinrich   | Smith      |
| Brown        | Hirono     | Stabenow   |
| Cantwell     | Kaine      | Udall      |
| Cardin       | Klobuchar  | Van Hollen |
| Carper       | Leahy      | Warner     |
| Coons        | Markey     | Warren     |
| Cortez Masto | Menendez   | Whitehouse |
| Duckworth    | Merkley    | Wyden      |
| Durbin       | Murray     |            |
| Feinstein    | Peters     |            |

## NOT VOTING—1

Hyde-Smith

The PRESIDING OFFICER. On this vote, the yeas are 62, the nays are 37.

The motion is agreed to.

## EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the nomination.

The bill clerk read the nomination of Karen Dunn Kelley, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce.

## RECESS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate stands in recess until 2:15 p.m.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 1:15 p.m., recessed until 2:15 p.m. and reassembled when called to order by the Presiding Officer (Mr. PORTMAN).

## EXECUTIVE CALENDAR—Continued

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will come to order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Iowa.

## TRIBUTE TO ORRIN HATCH

Mr. GRASSLEY. Mr. President, I am here to give thanks. Just a few days ago our country celebrated a national day of Thanksgiving. We celebrated food, fellowship, and freedom with family and friends. By any measure we are a people endowed with an abundance of blessings. As Americans, we have every reason to be grateful to share the prosperity of economic freedom, religious liberty, and self-government.

Today, I come to the floor to extend my gratitude for one of the most distinguished public servants ever to serve in the U.S. Senate. It is my distinct privilege to stand here today to pay tribute to my good friend and colleague from Utah, ORRIN HATCH.

He is a man widely known for his integrity, character, and temperament. He is devoted to his family, his constituents, and his country. With overwhelming support from the good people of Utah, he has served his State and all of America in the U.S. Senate for 42 years.

In those four decades of service, he has brought honor, humility, humor,

and heart to this institution of the U.S. Senate. He has honed his legislative experience on a broad range of public policies. In fact, none of his peers have led more laws to final passage than my friend Senator HATCH. He has built successful bipartisan coalitions to enact laws that make a difference in the lives of everyday Americans.

As former chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee and currently the senior member there, he is a champion of religious liberty and the rule of law. He is an advocate for entrepreneurship and free enterprise, as well as a champion of intellectual property rights, which includes being the lead Senate sponsor of the Music Modernization Act. He is just old enough to know when laws aren't keeping up with technology. Thanks to his tenacity, the new law will help ensure songwriters, artists, and creators that they will be fairly compensated for their works.

Like so many Americans, Senator HATCH is a man of humble beginnings. He embraces the promise of prosperity and opportunity that makes America the beacon of the free world, and that brings me to the basis of my remarks today. From his decades of service and the chairmanship at the helm of the Senate Finance Committee, Senator HATCH has shouldered some pretty heavy lifting in the legislative trenches to advance free and fair trade laws to foster economic growth and opportunity.

As we all know, America is home to at least 320 million people. That is a fraction of the world's population, and yet America leads the world in economic output. Thanks to an amazing bounty of natural resources and an economic foundation that rewards ingenuity, productivity and creativity, our country, the United States, produces goods and services that consumers around the world want to buy.

Senator HATCH and I share a core philosophy: lowering taxes and trade barriers as a winning formula for prosperity. To paraphrase a philosophy that often is attributed to our 35th President, "a rising tide lifts all boats." Today, I want to give credit where credit is due. Thanks to Senator HATCH's unflinching leadership and unwavering commitment to advance the principles of free and fair trade, America's formula for prosperity and opportunity stands strong for generations to come.

It is virtually impossible to recall any trade policy in recent history that does not have the fingerprints of my esteemed friend Senator HATCH all over those documents. In fact, he led the renewal of the Bipartisan Congressional Trade Priorities and Accountability Act of 2015. It paved the way for a robust, transparent review of trade negotiations.

Like Senator HATCH, I understand that America needs to speak with one voice on the world stage for effective, lasting trade agreements. We also agree on the constitutional authority