

process members include the Title IX coordinator's office as well as the office of student conduct;

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Craig amendment (No. 33 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that directs the Secretary of Education to submit a report to Congress regarding an evaluation of programs, events, and educational materials related to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking and an assessment of best practices and guidance; this report shall be made publicly available online to universities and college campuses to use as a resource;

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Schrier amendment (No. 34 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that specifies that trauma and behavioral health specialists are included in the term “health care professionals”; would also increase the number of health care professionals that specialize in child exposure to violence;

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Underwood amendment (No. 35 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that requires DOJ to report to Congress the effects of the recent federal government shutdown on DOJ's efforts to disperse funding and services to victims to domestic violence;

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Casten (IL) amendment (No. 36 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that ensures that campus faculty is trained to recognize victims of sexual or domestic violence;

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Porter amendment (No. 37 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that integrates the term “economic abuse” throughout the legislation, wherever “domestic violence” occurs; and

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Rose (NY) amendment (No. 38 printed in part B of H. Rept. 116–32) that expands the National Domestic Violence Hotline to include texting features via telephone.

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H. Res. 281, the rule providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1585) was agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 231 yeas to 194 nays, Roll No. 145, after the previous question was ordered by a yeas-and-nays vote of 231 yeas to 193 nays, Roll No. 144.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow, April 4th.

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H2993.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeas-and-nays votes and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H3001–02, H3002, H3002–03, H3043–44, H3044, H3045, and H3045–46. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EXAMINING THE PROPOSED ABAWD RULE AND ITS IMPACT ON HUNGER AND HARDSHIP

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations held a hearing entitled “Examining the Proposed ABAWD Rule and its Impact on Hunger and Hardship”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the Food and Drug Administration. Testimony was heard from Scott Gottlieb, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Testimony was heard from Benjamin S. Carson, Sr., M.D., Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

APPROPRIATIONS—NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE, FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the National Parks Service, Fish and Wildlife Service, and U.S. Geological Survey. Testimony was heard from the following Department of the Interior officials: Margaret Everson, Principal Deputy Director, Fish and Wildlife Service; Jim Reilly, Director, U.S. Geological Survey; and Daniel Smith, Deputy Director Exercising the Authority of the Director, National Park Service.

APPROPRIATIONS—FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government held a budget hearing on the Federal Communications Commission. Testimony was heard from Ajit Pai, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and Jessica Rosenworcel, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission.

APPROPRIATIONS—SCIENCE, ENERGY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on Science, Energy, and Environmental Management Programs. Testimony was heard from Paul Dabbar, Under Secretary for Science, Department of Energy; and Mark Menezes, Under Secretary for Energy, Department of Energy.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the Department of Labor. Testimony was heard from Alexander Acosta, Secretary, Department of Labor.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the Department of Commerce.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a budget hearing on Defense Health Programs. Testimony was heard from Vice Admiral Raquel Bono, Director, Defense Health Agency; Stacy Cummings, Program Executive Officer, Defense Healthcare Management Systems; Vice Admiral Forrest C. Faison III, Surgeon General, U.S. Navy; Lieutenant General Dorothy A. Hogg, Surgeon General, U.S. Air Force; Thomas McCaffery, Principal Deputy, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs, Department of Defense; Lieutenant General Nadja Y. West, Surgeon General, U.S. Army.

MEMBER DAY

Committee on Armed Services: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Member Day”. Testimony was heard from Chairman Kilmer, Chairman Takano, and Representatives Case, Green of Tennessee, Cunningham, Thompson of Pennsylvania, Rose of New York, and San Nicholas.

FISCAL YEAR 2020 PRIORITIES FOR NATIONAL SECURITY SPACE PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces held a hearing entitled “Fiscal Year 2020 Priorities for National Security Space Programs”. Testimony was heard from Kenneth Rapuano, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Defense and Global Security, Department of

Defense; General John W. Raymond, Commander, Air Force Space Command; and Christina Chaplain, Director, Acquisition and Sourcing Management, Government Accountability Office.

REVIEWING DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE STRATEGY, POLICY, AND PROGRAMS FOR COUNTERING WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Intelligence and Emerging Threats and Capabilities held a hearing entitled “Reviewing Department of Defense Strategy, Policy, and Programs for Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction for Fiscal Year 2020”. Testimony was heard from D. Christian Hassell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Chemical and Biological Defense Programs; Theresa Whelan, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Defense and Global Security; Vice Admiral Timothy G. Szymanski, Deputy Commander, U.S. Special Operations Command; and Vayl S. Oxford, Director, Defense Threat Reduction Agency.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on the Budget: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 2021, the “Investing for the People Act of 2019”. H.R. 2021 was ordered reported, without amendment.

STRENGTHENING ACCOUNTABILITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION TO BETTER SERVE STUDENTS AND TAXPAYERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Investment held a hearing entitled “Strengthening Accountability in Higher Education to Better Serve Students and Taxpayers”. Testimony was heard from Melissa Emrey-Arras, Director, Education, Workforce, And Income Security Issues, Government Accountability Office; Noe Ortega, Deputy Secretary, Office of Postsecondary and Higher Education, Pennsylvania Department of Education; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Full Committee began a markup on H.R. 1644, the “Save the Internet Act of 2019”; H.R. 1781, the “Payment Commission Data Act of 2019”; H.R. 938, the “BLOCKING Act of 2019”; H.R. 1520, the “Purple Book Continuity Act of 2019”; H.R.1503, the “Orange Book Transparency Act of 2019”; H.R. 1499, the “Protecting Consumer Access to Generic Drugs Act of 2019”; H.R. 965, the “CREATES Act of 2019”; H.R. 1385, the “SAVE Act”; H.R. 1386, the “ENROLL Act of 2019”; H.R. 987, the “MORE Health Education Act”; H.R. 1010, a bill to provide that the rule entitled “Short-Term, Limited Duration

Insurance” shall have no force or effect; H.R. 986, the “Protecting Americans with Preexisting Conditions Act of 2019”; H.R. 1425, the “State Health Care Premium Reduction Act”; and H.R. 9, the “Climate Action Now Act”.

MEMBER DAY

Committee on Financial Services: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Member Day”.

PUTTING INVESTORS FIRST: REVIEWING PROPOSALS TO HOLD EXECUTIVES ACCOUNTABLE

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Investor Protection, Entrepreneurship, and Capital Markets held a hearing entitled “Putting Investors First: Reviewing Proposals to Hold Executives Accountable”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ASSESSING U.S. POLICY PRIORITIES IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on the Middle East, North Africa, and International Terrorism held a hearing entitled “Assessing U.S. Policy Priorities in the Middle East”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENSURING EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT OPERATIONS: A REVIEW OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2020 DHS MANAGEMENT DIRECTORATE BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Oversight, Management, and Accountability held a hearing entitled “Ensuring Effective and Efficient Operations: A Review of the Fiscal Year 2020 DHS Management Directorate Budget Request”. Testimony was heard from Chip Fulghum, Deputy Under Secretary for Management, Department of Homeland Security; and Chris Currie, Director, Homeland Security and Justice Team, Government Accountability Office.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Full Committee held a markup on a Resolution Authorizing Issuance of Subpoenas. A Resolution Authorizing Issuance of Subpoenas was agreed to, as amended.

SECURING THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN AGRICULTURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship held a hearing entitled “Securing the Future of American Agriculture”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXAMINING THE SPENDING PRIORITIES AND MISSION OF THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands held a hearing entitled “Examining the Spending Priorities and Mission of the National Park Service”. Testimony was heard from Dan Smith, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States held a hearing on H.R. 375, to amend the Act of June 18, 1934, to reaffirm the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to take land into trust for Indian Tribes, and for other purposes; H.R. 312, the “Mashpee Wampanoag 5 Tribe Reservation Reaffirmation Act”; and legislation on the RESPECT Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cole and Keating; Claire Richards, Executive Counsel to the Governor, Rhode Island; and public witnesses.

THE SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AFGHANISTAN RECONSTRUCTION’S 2019 HIGH-RISK LIST

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Subcommittee on National Security held a hearing entitled “The Special Inspector General for Afghanistan Reconstruction’s 2019 High-Risk List”. Testimony was heard from John F. Sopko, Special Inspector General for Afghanistan Reconstruction.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS BUDGET REQUEST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Budget Request for Fiscal Year 2020”. Testimony was heard from Robert Wilkie, Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

FISCAL YEAR 2020 INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY BUDGET REQUEST OVERVIEW

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Fiscal Year 2020 Intelligence Community Budget Request Overview”. Testimony was heard from Sue Gordon, Principal Deputy Director of National Intelligence; and Joseph Kernan, Undersecretary of Defense for Intelligence. This hearing was closed.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,
APRIL 4, 2019

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of Health and Human Services, 10 a.m., SD-124.

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the posture of the Department of the Air Force in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2020 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Security, to hold hearings to examine Federal maritime agencies, focusing on ensuring a safe, secure, and competitive future, 10:15 a.m., SD-562.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: business meeting to consider the nominations of David Bernhardt, of Virginia, to be Secretary, and Susan Combs, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary, both of the Department of the Interior, and Aimee Kathryn Jorjani, of Wisconsin, to be Chairman of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine migration at the United States Southern border, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider the nominations of Daniel P. Collins, and Kenneth Kiyul Lee, both of California, both to be a United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, James Wesley Hendrix, and Mark T. Pittman, both to be a United States District Judge for the Northern District of Texas, Sean D. Jordan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Texas, Ronald D. Vitiello, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security, Virgil Madden, of Indiana, to be a Commissioner of the United States Parole Commission, and Nick Edward Proffitt, of Virginia, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Virginia, Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH-219.

House

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Federal Bureau of Investigation, 9:30 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, and Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement, 9:30 a.m., 2008 Rayburn.

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Tactical and Land Forces, hearing entitled “Navy and Marine Corps Tactical Aviation and Ground Modernization”, 9 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Readiness, hearing entitled “Mismanaged Military Family Housing Programs: What is the Recovery Plan?”, 9 a.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Full Committee, continue markup on H.R. 1644, the “Save the Internet Act of 2019”; H.R. 1781, the “Payment Commission Data Act of 2019”; H.R. 938, the “BLOCKING Act of 2019”; H.R. 1520, the “Purple Book Continuity Act of 2019”; H.R.1503, the “Orange Book Transparency Act of 2019”; H.R. 1499, the “Protecting Consumer Access to Generic Drugs Act of 2019”; H.R. 965, the “CREATES Act of 2019”; H.R. 1385, the “SAVE Act”; H.R. 1386, the “ENROLL Act of 2019”; H.R. 987, the “MORE Health Education Act”; H.R. 1010, a bill to provide that the rule entitled “Short-Term, Limited Duration Insurance” shall have no force or effect; H.R. 986, the “Protecting Americans with Preexisting Conditions Act of 2019”; H.R. 1425, the “State Health Care Premium Reduction Act”; and H.R. 9, the “Climate Action Now Act”, 9 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 1904, the “Indian Water Rights Settlement Extension Act”, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Generation Climate: Young Leaders Urge Climate Action Now”, 9 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.