

end all uses of fossil fuels in power generation; and

Whereas, These unwarranted attacks have resulted in regulatory and legal proceedings that have repeatedly delayed both the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and the related Supply Header Project; and

Whereas, In response to court orders stemming from these attacks, the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and Supply Header Project have been forced to lay off or delay hiring thousands of skilled construction workers in West Virginia and also in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia and North Carolina, posing significant hardships for working families and depriving them of paychecks and steady work; and

Whereas, The U.S. Chamber of Commerce report estimates that these delays, through August 2018, have already resulted in the loss of \$2.3 billion in the U.S. Gross Domestic Product as well as \$500 million in lost tax revenue for U.S. states and localities; and

Whereas, The Chamber's study also found that the delays have already deprived U.S. consumers of \$377 million in energy cost savings; and

Whereas, The General President of the Laborers' International Union of North America (LIUNA) recently said obstructions to the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and other vital energy infrastructure "from activist groups is costing our members jobs and the entire country opportunities"; and

Whereas, The LIUNA General President also emphasized that the economic damage caused by this opposition to new energy projects is "being shouldered by the hard working men and women who build our nation's energy infrastructure"; and

Whereas, These assaults and delaying tactics are also a direct threat to West Virginia's energy production industry, which directly employs more than 22,000 men and women and pays more than \$6 billion in wages annually; and

Whereas, Although the current employment and payroll figures are impressive, further growth will be severely hampered unless new infrastructure such as the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and other pipelines are built to transport West Virginia's energy production to market; and

Whereas, In addition to this economic damage, the attacks on the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and other interstate natural gas projects have great potential to harm the environment, since other forms of electric generation powered by fossil fuels, such as natural gas, are needed to back up the expansion of the intermittent generation from renewable resources such as solar and wind energy; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Delegates: That we, the members of the House of Delegates of the 84th Legislature of the State of West Virginia, categorically condemn these counterproductive and economically damaging assaults on the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and other urgently needed energy infrastructure projects; and, be it further

Resolved, That we note that these attacks are denying steady employment and income to thousands of West Virginia workers and their families who would otherwise be employed in the construction and operation of the Atlantic Coast Pipeline and the related Supply Header Project; and, be it further

Resolved, That we find that the attacks are also damaging West Virginia's energy production industry, the source of more than \$6 billion annually in wages to our state's working men and women; and, be it further

Resolved, That we find that the assaults on these projects have great potential to damage the environment by hindering the deployment of electric generation powered by solar power, wind and other renewable re-

sources, all of which must be backed up with fossil fuel powered generation, such as natural gas; and, be it further

Resolved, That we strongly urge the groups spearheading these assaults to stop their attacks and delaying actions and in the process help pave the way for a cleaner and stronger energy future for West Virginia and for the entire nation; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk transmit copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, the President Pro Tempore and Secretary of the United States Senate, the members of the West Virginia Congressional delegation, and the news media of West Virginia.

POM-72. A concurrent resolution adopted by the Legislature of the State of North Dakota urging the United States Congress to pass Savanna's Act; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3041

Whereas, homicide is the third leading cause of death among American Indian and Alaska Native women between 10 and 24 years of age and the fifth leading cause of death for American Indian and Alaska Native women between 25 and 34 years of age; and

Whereas, in some tribal communities, American Indian women are murdered at more than 10 times the national average; and

Whereas, Native American and Alaska Native women are at least two times more likely to experience rape or sexual assault and two and one-half times more likely to experience violent crimes compared to all other races, and those factors often are tied to cases involving a disappearance or murder; and

Whereas, the National Crime Information Center reported 5,712 cases of missing American Indian and Alaska Native women and girls in 2016, yet the United States Department of Justice's federal missing persons database only logged 116 cases; and

Whereas, in 2016, North Dakota had 125 cases of Native American women and girls reported missing to the National Crime Information Center, with many cases likely going unreported; and

Whereas, Savanna LaFontaine-Greywind, for whom the federal legislation is named, was a member of the Spirit Lake Tribe and vanished when she was eight months pregnant; and

Whereas, Savanna's Act will improve tribal access to federal crime information databases on missing persons and cooperation among tribal, federal, state, and local law enforcement, and will mandate the Attorney General consult with tribes and submit a report to Congress on how to resolve the barriers tribes face; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of North Dakota, the Senate concurring therein, That the Sixty-sixth Legislative Assembly urges the Congress of the United States to pass Savanna's Act; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution to the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the United States Senate, and each member of the North Dakota Congressional Delegation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. GRAHAM, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 1321. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interference with voting systems under the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act.

S. 1328. A bill to designate foreign persons who improperly interfere in United States elections as inadmissible aliens, and for other purposes.

By Mr. BURR, from the Select Committee on Intelligence, without amendment:

S. 1589. An original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2018, 2019, and 2020 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. RISCH for the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Jeffrey L. Eberhardt, of Wisconsin, a Career Member of the Senior Executive Service, to be Special Representative of the President for Nuclear Nonproliferation, with the rank of Ambassador.

Nominee: Jeffrey L. Eberhardt.

Post: Special Representative for Nuclear Nonproliferation.

(The following is a list of all members of my immediate family and their spouses. I have asked each of these persons to inform me of the pertinent contributions made by them. To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this report is complete and accurate.)

Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

1. Self: none.
2. Spouse: N/A.
3. Children and Spouses: Jeffrey T. and Michelle Eberhardt: none; Joshua and Stefanie Eberhardt: none; Grant McElwaine (ss): none; Heather Leigeberger (wife of Grant): none; Andrew McElwaine (ss): deceased.
4. Parents: Richard Eberhardt: \$50, 10/2018, Tammy Baldwin; \$35, 8/2018, Tammy Baldwin; \$35, 7/2018, Tammy Baldwin; \$35, 4/2018, Tammy Baldwin; \$25, 10/2016, Russ for Wisconsin; \$25, 10/2016, Russ for Wisconsin. Esther Eberhardt: none.
5. Grandparents: Earnest and Aleda Eberhardt—deceased; Leroy and Marie Still—deceased.
6. Brothers and Spouses: Richard A. Eberhardt, none.
7. Sisters and Spouses: N/A.

Kenneth A. Howery, of Texas, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kingdom of Sweden.

Nominee: Kenneth Alan Howery.

Post: Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kingdom of Sweden.

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Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

1. Self: \$2,000, Oct 7, 2016, Tiberi for Congress (Patrick J. Tiberi).
2. Spouse: N/A.
3. Children and Spouses: N/A.
4. Parents: Charles Kenneth Howery, none; Karen Elaine Howery, none.
5. Grandparents: Fred Charles Howery—deceased for more than 5 years; Dorothy Ann Howery—deceased, none; Hubert Robert Jurek—deceased for more than 5 years; Alice Albina Jurek—deceased for more than 5 years.

6. Brothers and Spouses: N/A.
7. Sisters and Spouses: Christina Ann Howery, none; John Phillip McLellan, none.

Bridget A. Brink, of Michigan, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Slovak Republic.

Nominee: Bridget A. Brink.
Post: Slovak Republic.

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Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

1. Self: Bridget A Brink, None.
2. Spouse: Nicholas B. Higgins \$100, 10/05/16, Hillary for America.
3. Children and Spouses: Jack M. Higgins (minor), None; Cole A. Higgins (minor), None.
4. Parents: Gwendolyn D. Brink, None; John C. Brink, None.
5. Grandparents: Donald M. Brink, Deceased; Margaret Brink, Deceased; Robert J. Williams, Deceased; Cecelia Williams, Deceased.
6. Brothers and Spouses:
7. Sisters and Spouses: Joanna Brink, None.

John Jefferson Daigle, of Louisiana, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Cabo Verde.

Nominee: Daigle, John Jefferson (“Jeff”).
Post: Cabo Verde.

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Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

1. Self: none.
2. Spouse: Cuenca-Daigle, Matthew Tito: none.
3. Children and Spouses: NA.
4. Parents: Daigle, Warren Roland (father)—deceased; Daigle, Carole Kaye (mother), none.
5. Grandparents: Gordon, Katherine Marie (grandmother)—deceased; Evans, John Murray Evans (grandfather)—deceased; Daigle, O’Neal James, Sr. (grandfather)—deceased; Daigle, Eva Coureges (grandmother)—deceased.
6. Brothers and Spouses: Daigle, Douglas James (brother), none; Daigle, Wanda Sue (spouse)—deceased.
7. Sisters and Spouses: Duplechin, Cheryl Marie (sister), none; Duplechin, Daniel Joseph, Sr. (spouse)—deceased; Thibodeaux, Nancy Gayle (sister), none; Thibodeaux, David Wayne (spouse), none; Tortorich, Melissa Eve (sister), none; Thibodeaux, Patricia Daigle (sister), none; Thibodeaux, Danny Paul (spouse), none; Daigle, Peggy Anne (sister), none; Daigle, Janet Elizabeth (sister)—deceased; LeJeune, Dawn Daigle (sister), none; LeJeune, Tommy Jason (spouse), none; Schexnaydre, Katherine Daigle (sister), none; Schexnaydre, Lance Paul (spouse), none; Perera, Shane Elizabeth (sister), none; Perera, Jeremy Paul (spouse), none; Hannegan, Eva Daigle (sister), none; Hannegan, Jason Paul (spouse), none.

Matthew S. Klimow, of New York, a Career Member of the Senior Executive Service, to

be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Turkmenistan.

Nominee: Matthew S. Klimow.

Post: Ambassador to Turkmenistan.

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Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

1. Self: None.
2. Spouse: Edith Gunnels: \$50, 4/15/2018, Lisa Lloyd 4 Congress; \$250, 6/16/2017, Fairfax County Republican Committee.
3. Children and Spouses: Daniel A.T. Klimow (Son), None; Mrs. Elizabeth Klimow (nee Finan), None.
4. Parents: Stephen Klimow—deceased since 2007; Dorothy Klimow—deceased since 2003.
5. Grandparents: Matthew Klimow—deceased since 1936; Elizabeth Klimow—deceased since 1945; Anthony Dyjur—deceased since 1980; Frances Dear—deceased since 1981.
6. Brothers and Spouses: No Brothers.
7. Sisters and Spouses: Susan Klimow Micks (Sister), None; John Micks (Brother in law), None.

Mr. RISCH. Mr. President, for the Committee on Foreign Relations I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary’s desk for the information of Senators.

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

Foreign Service nominations beginning with Kenneth H. Merten and ending with Kevin M. Whitaker, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 25, 2019.

Foreign Service nomination of Lisa Anne Rigoli.

Foreign Service nominations beginning with Timothy Ryan Harrison and ending with Rachel Lynne Vanderberg, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 10, 2019.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mr. CASIDY, Ms. HASSAN, and Mr. YOUNG):

S. 1585. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide students with disabilities and their families with access to critical information needed to select the right college and succeed once enrolled; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, and Mr. INHOFE):

S. 1586. A bill to abolish the Federal Insurance Office of the Department of the Treasury, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself and Mrs. GILLIBRAND):

S. 1587. A bill to impose a tax on certain trading transactions to invest in our families and communities, improve our infrastructure and our environment, strengthen our financial security, expand opportunity and reduce market volatility; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself and Mr. RISCH):

S. 1588. A bill to repeal certain provisions of the Federal Switchblade Act to allow domestic manufacturers to ship and sell their products to buyers located in other States, to permit the importation of certain knife parts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. BURR:

S. 1589. An original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2018, 2019, and 2020 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; from the Select Committee on Intelligence; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. MERKLEY (for himself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 1590. A bill to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to authorize rewards for thwarting wildlife trafficking linked to transnational organized crime, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. WARREN, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BROWN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. KAINÉ, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. ROSEN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. COONS):

S. 1591. A bill to nullify the effect of the Executive order that makes the vast majority of unauthorized individuals priorities for removal and aims to withhold critical Federal funding to sanctuary cities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COTTON (for himself and Mr. JONES):

S. 1592. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide a safe harbor for financial institutions that maintain a customer account or customer transaction at the request of a Federal or State law enforcement agency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Ms. SMITH (for herself, Ms. COLLINS, Ms. HIRONO, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. CORTEZ MASTO, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. GARDNER, and Ms. HASSAN):

S. 1593. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to establish an energy storage research program, a demonstration program, and a technical assistance and grant program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself and Mr. CRAPO):

S. 1594. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for unlimited eligibility for health care for mental illnesses for veterans of combat service during certain periods of hostilities and war; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself and Mr. BROWN):

S. 1595. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to limit overdraft fees and establish fair and transparent practices related to the