

**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H5198.

**Quorum Calls Votes:** One yea-and-nay vote and nine recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5189, H5189–90, H5190–91, H5191, H5191–92, H5192–93, H5193, H5193–94, H5195–96, and H5196. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6 p.m.

## *Committee Meetings*

### **BREXIT AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING U.S. DERIVATIVES MARKETS**

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit held a hearing entitled “Brexit and Other International Developments Affecting U.S. Derivatives Markets”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **BUILDING A MORE DYNAMIC ECONOMY: THE BENEFITS OF IMMIGRATION**

*Committee on the Budget:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Building A More Dynamic Economy: The Benefits of Immigration”. Testimony was heard from Douglas Nicholls, Mayor, Yuma, Arizona; and public witnesses.

### **STANDING WITH PUBLIC SERVANTS: PROTECTING THE RIGHT TO ORGANIZE**

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions held a hearing entitled “Standing with Public Servants: Protecting the Right to Organize”. Testimony was heard from Robert F. Onder, M.D., Senator, Missouri General Assembly; and public witnesses.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy held a markup on H.R. 3432, the “Safer Pipelines Act of 2019”. H.R. 3432 was forwarded to the full Committee, without amendment.

### **PERSPECTIVES ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: WHERE WE ARE AND THE NEXT FRONTIER IN FINANCIAL SERVICES**

*Committee on Financial Services:* Task Force on Artificial Intelligence held a hearing entitled “Perspectives on Artificial Intelligence: Where We Are and the Next Frontier in Financial Services”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Financial Services:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 1690, the “Safe Housing for Families Act of 2019”. H.R. 1690 was ordered reported, as amended.

### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 3352, the “Department of State Authorization Act of 2019”; H. Res. 220, recognizing the interdependence of diplomacy, development, and defense as critical to effective national security; H. Res. 221, reaffirming the importance of upholding democracy, human rights, and the rule of law in United States foreign policy; H. Res. 222, emphasizing the importance of alliances and partnerships; H. Res. 358, calling on the Government of Cameroon and armed groups to respect the human rights of all Cameroonian citizens, to end all violence, and to pursue a broad-based dialogue without preconditions to resolve the conflict in the Northwest and Southwest regions; H.R. 2037, the “Saudi Arabia Human Rights and Accountability Act of 2019”; H.R. 3206, to impose sanctions with respect to the provision of certain vessels for the construction of Russian energy export pipelines; and H.R. 3460, the “End Neglected Tropical Diseases Act”. H.R. 3352, H.R. 2037, and H.R. 3206 were ordered reported, as amended. H. Res. 220, H. Res. 221, H. Res. 222, H. Res. 358, and H.R. 3460 were ordered reported, without amendment.

### **TRANSATLANTIC POLICY IMPACTS OF THE U.S.–EU TRADE CONFLICT**

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on Europe, Eurasia, Energy, and the Environment held a hearing entitled “Transatlantic Policy Impacts of the U.S.–EU Trade Conflict”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **EXAMINING SOCIAL MEDIA COMPANIES’ EFFORTS TO COUNTER ONLINE TERROR CONTENT AND MISINFORMATION**

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Examining Social Media Companies’ Efforts to Counter Online Terror Content and Misinformation”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### **OVERSIGHT OF THE U.S. COPYRIGHT OFFICE**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Oversight of the U.S. Copyright Office”. Testimony was heard from Karyn A. Temple, Register of Copyrights and Director, U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress.

**MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship held a markup on a Request for a Department of Homeland Security Departmental Report on the Beneficiary of H.R. 2737. The motion requesting a departmental report from the Department of Homeland Security on the beneficiary of H.R. 2737 was adopted.

**MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 823, the “Colorado Outdoor Recreation and Economy Act”; and H.R. 1225, the “Restore Our Parks and Public Lands Act”. H.R. 823 and H.R. 1225 were ordered reported, as amended.

**LEGISLATIVE MEASURES**

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife held a hearing on H.R. 644, the “Navajo Utah Water Rights Settlement Act”; H.R. 2459, the “Hualapai Tribe Water Rights Settlement Act”; and H.R. 3292, the “Aamodt Litigation Settlement Completion Act of 2019”. Testimony was heard from Alan Mikkelsen, Senior Advisor to the Secretary, Water and Western Resource Issues, Department of the Interior; Thomas Buschatzke, Director, Arizona Department of Water Resources; Norman Johnson, Natural Resources Division Chief, Utah Office of the Attorney General; and public witnesses.

**VIOLATIONS OF THE HATCH ACT UNDER THE TRUMP ADMINISTRATION**

*Committee on Oversight and Reform:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Violations of the Hatch Act Under the Trump Administration”. Testimony was heard from Henry J. Kerner, Special Counsel, U.S. Office of Special Counsel.

**BUSINESS MEETING**

*Committee on Oversight and Reform:* Full Committee held a business meeting on A Resolution offered by Chairman Elijah E. Cummings authorizing the Chairman to issue a subpoena to Ms. Kellyanne Conway, Counselor to the President, for testimony in connection with her failure to comply with the Hatch Act and ethics laws. The Resolution offered by Chairman Elijah E. Cummings authorizing the Chairman to issue a subpoena to Ms. Kellyanne Conway, Counselor to the President, for testimony in connection with her failure to comply with the Hatch Act and ethics laws passed, as amended.

**FITARA 8.0**

*Committee on Oversight and Reform:* Subcommittee on Government Operations held a hearing entitled

“FITARA 8.0”. Testimony was heard from Suzette Kent, Federal Chief Information Officer, Office of Management and Budget; Carol Harris, Director, IT Management Issues, Government Accountability Office; Gary Washington, Chief Information Officer, Department of Agriculture; Jason Gray, Chief Information Officer, Department of Education; and Eric Olson, Chief Information Officer, Department of the Treasury.

**U.S. BIODEFENSE, PREPAREDNESS, AND IMPLICATIONS OF ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE FOR NATIONAL SECURITY**

*Committee on Oversight and Reform:* Subcommittee on National Security held a hearing entitled “U.S. Biodefense, Preparedness, and Implications of Antimicrobial Resistance for National Security”. Testimony was heard from Chris Currie, Director, Emergency Management, Disaster Recovery and DHS Management Issues, Homeland Security and Justice Team, Government Accountability Office; and public witnesses.

**ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: SOCIETAL AND ETHICAL IMPLICATIONS**

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Artificial Intelligence: Societal and Ethical Implications”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

**NASA’S AERONAUTICS MISSION: ENABLING THE TRANSFORMATION OF AVIATION**

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology:* Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics held a hearing entitled “NASA’s Aeronautics Mission: Enabling the Transformation of Aviation”. Testimony was heard from Jaiwon Shin, Associate Administrator, Aeronautics Research Mission Directorate, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and public witnesses.

**CRUSHED BY CONFESSIONS OF JUDGEMENT: THE SMALL BUSINESS STORY**

*Committee on Small Business:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Crushed by Confessions of Judgement: The Small Business Story”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

**MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 2548, the “Hazard Eligibility and Local Projects Act”; H.R. 2726, the “Banning Smoking on Amtrak Act of 2019”; H.R. 3362, the “Small Airport Mothers’ Rooms Act of 2019”; and H.R. 3409, the “Coast Guard Authorization of 2019”. H.R. 2548 and H.R. 3409 were

ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 2726 and H.R. 3362 were ordered reported, without amendment.

### BEYOND THE MILLION VETERANS PROGRAM: BARRIERS TO PRECISION MEDICINE

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Beyond the Million Veterans Program: Barriers to Precision Medicine”. Testimony was heard from Carolyn Clancy, M.D., Deputy Under Secretary for Discovery, Education, and Affiliated Networks, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 3417, the “Beneficiary Education Tools, Telehealth, and Extenders Reauthorization Act of 2019”; H.R. 3429, the “HEARTS and Rural Relief Act”; H.R. 3436, the “Improving Chronic Care Management Act”; H.R. 3414, the “Opioid Workforce Act of 2019”; and H.R. 3439, the “PATIENT Act of 2019”. H.R. 3417, H.R. 3429, H.R. 3436, H.R. 3414, and H.R. 3439 were ordered reported, as amended.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2019

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold an oversight hearing to examine reauthorization of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine options for the interim and long-term storage of nuclear waste, including S. 1234, to establish a new organization to manage nuclear waste, provide a

consensual process for siting nuclear waste facilities, ensure adequate funding for managing nuclear waste, 10 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* business meeting to consider S. 1227, to require the Federal Trade Commission to study the role of intermediaries in the pharmaceutical supply chain and provide Congress with appropriate policy recommendations, S. 440, to amend title 35, United States Code, to provide that a patent owner may not assert sovereign immunity as a defense in certain actions before the United States Patent and Trademark Office, S. 1224, to enable the Federal Trade Commission to deter filing of sham citizen petitions to cover an attempt to interfere with approval of a competing generic drug or biosimilar, to foster competition, and facilitate the efficient review of petitions filed in good faith to raise legitimate public health concerns, S. 1416, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to prohibit anticompetitive behaviors by drug product manufacturers, and the nominations of Peter Joseph Phipps, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit, Charles R. Eskridge III, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, William Shaw Stickman IV, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Pennsylvania, Jennifer Philpott Wilson, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, and Wilmer Ocasio, to be United States Marshal for the District of Puerto Rico, 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 Oversight Reform,* Subcommittee on Government Operations, hearing entitled “Document Production Status Update: OPM, FBI, and GSA”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,* Full Committee, markup on legislation on The Damon Paul Nelson and Matthew Young Pollard Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 2018, 2019, and 2020; and to authorize all Members of the House of Representatives to review, at a time to be determined by the Committee, the Classified Annex to The Damon Paul Nelson and Matthew Young Pollard Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 2018, 2019, and 2020, 9 a.m., HVC-304. This meeting is closed.