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Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

UNITED STATES EFFORTS TO COUNTER RUSSIAN DISINFORMATION AND MALIGN INFLUENCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs held a hearing entitled “United States Efforts to Counter Russian Disinformation and Malign Influence”. Testimony was heard from Lea Gabrielle, Special Envoy and Coordinator of the Global Engagement Center, Department of State; Jim Kulikowski, Coordinator for U.S. Assistance to Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia, Department of State; John F. Lansing, Chief Executive Officer, U.S. Agency for Global Media; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce held a markup on H.R. 2211, the “STURDY Act”; H.R. 3172, the “Safe Sleep Act of 2019”; H.R. 3170, the “Safe Cribs Act of 2019”; H.R. 1618, the “Nicholas and Zachary Burt Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act of 2019”; H.R. 806, the “Portable Fuel Container Safety Act of 2019”; and H.R. 2647, the “SOFFA”. H.R. 2211, H.R. 3172, H.R. 3170, H.R. 1618, and H.R. 806 were forwarded to the full Committee, as amended. H.R. 2647 was forwarded to the full Committee, without amendment.

MONETARY POLICY AND THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY

Committee on Financial Services: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Monetary Policy and the State of the Economy”. Testimony was heard from Jerome H. Powell, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE AND COMPETITIVE ECONOMY: AN EXAMINATION OF PROPOSALS TO IMPROVE ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND GOVERNANCE DISCLOSURES

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Investor Protection, Entrepreneurship, and Capital Markets held a hearing entitled “Building a Sustainable and Competitive Economy: An Examination of Proposals to Improve Environmental, Social, and Governance Disclosures”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ABOUT FACE: EXAMINING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY’S USE OF FACIAL RECOGNITION AND OTHER BIOMETRIC TECHNOLOGIES

Committee on Homeland Security: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “About Face: Examining the Department of Homeland Security’s Use of Facial Recognition and Other Biometric Technologies”. Testimony was heard from John Wagner, Deputy Executive Assistant Commissioner, Office of Field Operations, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security; Austin Gould, Assistant Administrator, Requirements and Capabilities Analysis, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security; Joseph R. DiPietro, Chief Technology Officer, U.S. Secret Service; and Charles H. Romine, Director, Information Technology Laboratory, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce.

MARIJUANA LAWS IN AMERICA: RACIAL JUSTICE AND THE NEED FOR REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security held a hearing entitled “Marijuana Laws in America: Racial Justice and the Need for Reform”. Testimony was heard from Marilyn Mosby, State’s Attorney for Baltimore City, Maryland; and public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 252, the “Pershing County Economic Development and Conservation Act”; H.R. 1475, the “LOTTERY Act”; H.R. 2199, the “Central Coast Heritage Protection Act”; H.R. 2215, the “San Gabriel Mountains Foothills and Rivers Protection Act”; H.R. 2250, the “Northwest California Wilderness, Recreation, and Working Forests Act”; H.R. 2546, the “Colorado Wilderness Act of 2019”; and H.R. 2642, the “Wild Olympics Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Rivers Act”. Testimony was heard from Chairman Kilmer, and Representatives Judy Chu of California, Carbajal, Amodei, Stauber, DeGette, and Huffman; Frank Beum, Acting Associated Deputy Chief, National Forest System, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Leah Baker, Acting Assistant Director, Resources and Planning, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Keenan Ertel, Chair, Board of Commissioners, Montezuma County, Colorado; Keith Groves, Supervisor, District 1, Board of Supervisors, Trinity County, California; and public witnesses.

THE TRUMP ADMINISTRATION'S ATTACK ON THE ACA: REVERSAL IN COURT CASE THREATENS HEALTH CARE FOR MILLIONS OF AMERICANS

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “The Trump Administration’s Attack on the ACA: Reversal in Court Case Threatens Health Care for Millions of Americans”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

KIDS IN CAGES: INHUMANE TREATMENT AT THE BORDER

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Civil Liberties held a hearing entitled “Kids in Cages: Inhumane Treatment at the Border”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

A REVIEW OF NASA'S PLANS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION AND FUTURE ACTIVITIES IN LOW EARTH ORBIT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics held a hearing entitled “A Review of NASA’s Plans for the International Space Station and Future Activities in Low Earth Orbit”. Testimony was heard from William H. Gerstenmaier, Associate Administrator, Human Exploration and Operations Mission Directorate, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Paul K. Martin, Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy held a markup on H.R. 3597, the “Solar Energy Research and Development Act of 2019”; H.R. 3607, the “Fossil Energy Research and Development Act of 2019”; and H.R. 3609, the “Wind Energy Research and Development Act of 2019”. H.R. 3597, H.R. 3607, and H.R. 3609 were forwarded to the full Committee, as amended.

CONTINUING TO SERVE: FROM MILITARY TO ENTREPRENEUR

Committee on Small Business: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Continuing to Serve: From Military to Entrepreneur”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT ACTS: STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION AND ASSESSING THE FUTURE NEEDS

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment held a hearing entitled “Water Resources Development Acts: Status of Implementation and Assessing the Future Needs”. Testimony was heard from Rick-

ey Dale James, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army—Civil Works, U.S. Department of the Army; Major General Scott A. Spellmon, Deputy Commanding General, Civil and Emergency Operations, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; and public witnesses.

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING OF WOMEN VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity held a hearing entitled “Economic Well-being of Women Veterans”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

Committee on Ways and Means: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 397, the “Rehabilitation for Multiemployer Pensions Act of 2019”. H.R. 397 was ordered reported, as amended.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2019

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Gen. Mark A. Milley, for reappointment to the grade of General, and to be Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in the United States Army, 9:30 a.m., SD–G50.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the Semiannual Monetary Policy Report to the Congress, 10 a.m., SD–106.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine evolving global natural gas markets, the increasingly important role of United States liquefied natural gas, and the competitive outlook, 10 a.m., SD–366.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 1273, to amend title 17, United States Code, to establish an alternative dispute resolution program for copyright small claims, S. 1883, to improve the prohibitions on money laundering, and the nominations of Douglas Russell Cole, and Matthew Walden McFarland, both to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of Ohio, Robert Anthony Molloy, to be Judge for the District Court of the Virgin Islands, Kea Whetzel Riggs, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Mexico, and Monica David Morris, of Florida, to be a Commissioner of the United States Parole Commission, 10 a.m., SD–226.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH–219.