

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twelve bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2110–2121, and S. Res. 275–276. **Pages S4821–22**

Measures Reported:

S. 1420, to amend title 5, United States Code, to improve the effectiveness of major rules in accomplishing their regulatory objectives by promoting retrospective review. (S. Rept. No. 116–55)

S. 1430, to amend title 5, United States Code, to prevent fraud by representative payees, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 116–56)

H.R. 1654, to amend title 44, United States Code, to modernize the Federal Register. (S. Rept. No. 116–57)

S. Res. 206, marking the 70th anniversary of the four Geneva Conventions of 1949, expressing concern about significant violations of international humanitarian law on contemporary battlefields, and encouraging United States leadership in ensuring greater respect for international humanitarian law in current conflicts, particularly with its security partners, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an amended preamble.

S. 1945, to amend section 36 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776) to preserve congressional review and oversight of foreign arms sales. **Page S4821**

Phipps Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Peter Joseph Phipps, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit. **Pages S4815–16**

During consideration of this nomination today, Senate also took the following action:

By 53 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. EX. 204), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Page S4816**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination, post-cloture, at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, July 16, 2019; and that notwithstanding the provisions of Rule XXII, the post-cloture time on the nomination expire at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, July 16, 2019. **Page S4826**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Mark T. Esper, of Virginia, to be Secretary of Defense.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—204) **Page S4816**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:16 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 16, 2019. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S4826.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.