

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 21 public bills, H.R. 5133–5153; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 709–710 were introduced. **Page H8958**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H8959–60**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 1309, to direct the Secretary of Labor to issue an occupational safety and health standard that requires covered employers within the health care and social service industries to develop and implement a comprehensive workplace violence prevention plan, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–296, Part 1); and

H. Res. 708, providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 3055) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 116–297). **Pages H8957–58**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Gomez to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H8911**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:18 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H8913**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:04 p.m. and reconvened at 4:17 p.m. **Page H8913**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**Reforming Disaster Recovery Act of 2019:** H.R. 3702, amended, to authorize the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to provide disaster assistance to States, Puerto Rico, units of general local government, and Indian tribes under a community development block grant disaster recovery program, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yealand-nay vote of 290 yeas to 118 nays, Roll No. 625; **Pages H8914–26, H8939–40**

**Tribal Access to Homeless Assistance Act:** H.R. 4029, amended, to amend the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act to enable Indian Tribes and tribally designated housing entities to apply for, receive, and administer grants and subgrants under the Continuum of Care Program of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; **Pages H8926–27**

**Amending the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to allow the Securities and Exchange Commission to seek and Federal courts to grant disgorgement of unjust enrichment:** H.R. 4344, amended, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to allow the Securities and Exchange Commission to seek and Fed-

eral courts to grant disgorgement of unjust enrichment, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yealand-nay vote of 314 yeas to 95 nays, Roll No. 627; **Pages H8929–32, H8941–42**

**Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2019:** H.R. 4634, amended, to reauthorize the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yealand-nay vote of 385 yeas to 22 nays, Roll No. 626; and **Pages H8932–37, H8940–41**

**Fostering Stable Housing Opportunities Act of 2019:** H.R. 4300, amended, to provide Federal housing assistance on behalf of youths who are aging out of foster care. **Pages H8937–39**

**Board of Visitors to the United States Air Force Academy—Appointment:** The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Member on the part of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Air Force Academy: Representative Lamborn. **Page H8942**

**Suspension—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed.

**Improving Corporate Governance Through Diversity Act of 2019:** H.R. 5084, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to require the submission by issuers of data relating to diversity. **Pages H8927–29**

**Senate Referral:** S. 2099 was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources. **Pages H8955–56**

**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H8913.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three yealand-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H8940, H8940–41, and H8941. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 9:11 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### SENATE AMENDMENT TO COMMERCE, JUSTICE, SCIENCE, AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT, TRANSPORTATION, AND HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2020

*Committee on Rules:* Full Committee held a hearing on the Senate Amendment to H.R. 3055, the “Commerce, Justice, Science, Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, Interior, Environment, Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2020” [Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2020, and Further Health Extenders Act of 2019]. The Committee granted, by nonrecord vote, a rule providing for consideration of the Senate Amendment to H.R. 3055, the “Commerce, Justice, Science, Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, Interior, Environment, Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2020”. The rule makes in order a motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee that the House concur in the Senate amendment with an amendment inserting the text of Rules Committee Print 116–38, in lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the Senate. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The rule provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. Finally, the rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. Testimony was heard from Chairman Lowey and Representative Granger.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2019

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* business meeting to consider S. 242, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to release reversionary and reserved interests in certain land in the Coconino National Forest in the State of Arizona, S. 258, to prohibit oil and gas leasing on the National Forest System land in the Ruby Mountains Ranger District located in the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, Elko and White Pine Counties, Nevada, S. 500, to amend title 54, United States Code, to estab-

lish, fund, and provide for the use of amounts in a National Park Service Legacy Restoration Fund to address the maintenance backlog of the National Park Service, S. 876, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to require the Secretary of Energy to establish a program to prepare veterans for careers in the energy industry, including the solar, wind, cybersecurity, and other low-carbon emissions sectors or zero-emissions sectors of the energy industry, S. 1079, to provide for the withdrawal and protection of certain Federal land in the State of New Mexico, S. 1081, to amend title 54, United States Code, to provide permanent, dedicated funding for the Land and Water Conservation Fund, S. 1262, to designate certain land administered by the Bureau of Land Management and the Forest Service in the State of Oregon as wilderness and national recreation areas, to withdraw certain land located in Curry County and Josephine County, Oregon, from all forms of entry, appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws, location, entry, and patent under the mining laws, and operation under the mineral leasing and geothermal leasing laws, S. 1739, to enable projects that will aid in the development and delivery of related instruction associated with apprenticeship and preapprenticeship programs that are focused on serving the skilled technical workforce at the National Laboratories and certain facilities of the National Nuclear Security Administration, S. 2368, to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 and the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to support licensing and relicensing of certain nuclear facilities and nuclear energy research, demonstration, and development, S. 2418, to amend the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006 to modify a definition and the disposition and authorized uses of qualified outer Continental Shelf revenues under that Act and to exempt State and county payments under that Act from sequestration, to provide for the distribution of certain outer Continental Shelf revenues to the State of Alaska, S. 2425, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to establish the CHP Technical Assistance Partnership Program, S. 2508, to require the Secretary of Energy to establish a council to conduct a survey and analysis of the employment figures and demographics in the energy, energy efficiency, and motor vehicle sectors of the United States, S. 2556, to amend the Federal Power Act to provide energy cybersecurity investment incentives, to establish a grant and technical assistance program for cybersecurity investments, S. 2657, to support innovation in advanced geothermal research and development, S. 2668, to establish a program for research, development, and demonstration of solar energy technologies, S. 2688, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to establish an Office of Technology Transitions, S. 2702, to require the Secretary of Energy to establish an integrated energy systems research, development, and demonstration, S. 2714, to amend the America COMPETES Act to reauthorize the ARPA-E program, S. 2799, to require the Secretary of Energy and the Secretary of the Interior to establish a joint Nexus of Energy and Water Sustainability Office, and the nominations of Dan R. Brouillette, of Texas, to be Secretary of Energy, James P. Danly, of Tennessee, to be a Member