

Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—92) **Pages S2439, S2441**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 5:21 p.m., until 3:00 p.m. on Monday, May 18, 2020. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2468.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of William Scott Hardy, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of

Pennsylvania, David Cleveland Joseph, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Louisiana, Drew B. Tipton, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, John Peter Cronan, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Thomas T. Cullen, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Virginia, Jennifer P. Togliatti, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, Stephen Sidney Schwartz, of Virginia, and Kathryn C. Davis, of Maryland, both to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, and Peter M. McCoy, Jr., to be United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina, and Vincent F. DeMarco, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of New York, both of the Department of Justice.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 6860–6881; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 968, were introduced. **Page H2003**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H2004–05**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 965, authorizing remote voting by proxy in the House of Representatives and providing for official remote committee proceedings during a public health emergency due to a novel coronavirus, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 116–420); and H. Res. 967, providing for consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 965) authorizing remote voting by proxy in the House of Representatives and providing for official remote committee proceedings during a public health emergency due to a novel coronavirus, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6800) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes; providing for proceedings during the period from May 19, 2020, through July 21, 2020; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 116–421). **Pages H2002–03**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Scanlon to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H2001**

Recess: The House recessed at 3:03 p.m. and reconvened at 9:12 p.m. **Page H2001**

Senate Referral: S. 2661 was held at the desk. **Page H2001**

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on page H2001.

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 9:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PROTECTING SCIENTIFIC INTEGRITY IN THE COVID-19 RESPONSE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Protecting Scientific Integrity in the COVID-19 Response”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AUTHORIZING REMOTE VOTING BY PROXY IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND PROVIDING FOR OFFICIAL REMOTE COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS DURING A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY DUE TO A NOVEL CORONAVIRUS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE; HEROES ACT

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing and a markup on H. Res. 965, authorizing remote voting by proxy in the House of Representatives and providing for official remote committee proceedings during a public health emergency due to a novel