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Sincerely,

DEVIN NUNES,
Member of Congress.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, January 1, 2022.

Hon. GAVIN NEWSOM,
Governor, State of California,
Sacramento, CA.

DEAR GOVERNOR NEWSOM: I write to inform you that I am resigning my position as the United States Congressman for California's 22nd Congressional District, effective today at 11:59 PM EST.

It has been the honor of my life to represent the people of California's San Joaquin Valley for the last 19 years. Please let me know how I can be of help during this transition.

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that in light of the resignation of the gentleman from California (Mr. NUNES), the whole number of the House is 433.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mrs. DINGELL) at 11 o'clock and 56 minutes a.m.

SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the 20th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, the Chair declares the First Session of the 117th Congress adjourned sine die.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 56 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-3041. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral Robert D. Sharp, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1370(c)(1); Public Law 96-513, Sec. 112 (as amended by Public Law 104-106, Sec. 502(b)); (110 Stat. 293); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3042. A letter from the Undersecretary of Defense, Comptroller, Department of De-

fense, transmitting the semiannual report titled, "Acceptance of Contributions For Defense Programs, Projects, and Activities; Defense Cooperation Account", pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2608(e); Public Law 101-403, Sec. 202(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 112-81, Sec. 1064(7)); (125 Stat. 1587); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3043. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicaid Program; Delay of Effective Date for Provision Relating to Manufacturer Reporting of Multiple Best Prices Connected to a Value Based Purchasing Arrangement; Delay of Inclusion of Territories in Definition of States and United States [CMS-2482-F2] (RIN: 0938-AT82) received December 9, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3044. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Control of Heavy Loads at Nuclear Facilities [Regulatory Guide (RG) 1.244, Rev 0] received December 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3045. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Office of the Actuary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Major rule — Medicare Program; CY 2022 Part A Premiums for the Uninsured Aged and for Certain Disabled Individuals Who Have Exhausted other Entitlement [CMS-8078-N] (RIN: 0938-AU47) received December 9, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-3046. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's Regulatory Guide — Control of Heavy Loads at Nuclear Facilities [Regulatory Guide 1.244, Revision 0] received December 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3047. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's regulatory guide — Quality Group Classifications and Standards for Water-, Steam-, and Radioactive-waste-containing Components of Nuclear Power Plants [Regulatory Guide 1.26, Revision 6] received December 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3048. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's Regulatory Guide — Geologic and Geotechnical Site Characterization Investigations for Nuclear Power Plants [Regulatory Guide 1.132, Revision 3] received December 13, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3049. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's Regulatory Guide — Evaluating the Habitability of a Nuclear Power Plant Control Room During a Postulated Hazardous Chemical Release [Regulatory Guide 1.178, Revision 2] received December 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-3050. A letter from the Associate General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Department of Agriculture, transmitting four (4) notifications of a designation of an acting officer, nomination, and action on nomination, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3051. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting the Semiannual Report of the Office of the Inspector General for the period April 1, 2021-September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3052. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting Department's September 2021 Semi-Annual Inspector General report, pursuant to section 5(b) of the Inspector General Act of 1978; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3053. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the semiannual reports to Congress from the Treasury Inspector General and the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration covering the reporting period of April 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3054. A letter from the Chair, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting the Commission's 2021 Semi-Annual Inspector General report, pursuant to section 5(b) of the Inspector General Act of 1978; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3055. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting Commission's September 2021 Semi-Annual Inspector General report, pursuant to section 5(b) of the Inspector General Act of 1978; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3056. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Secretariat Division, Office of Government wide Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — General Services Administration Federal Acquisition Regulation (GSAR); Architect-Engineer Selection Procedures [GSAR Case 2015-G505; Docket No.: GSAR-GSAR 2021-0029; Sequence No. 1] (RIN: 3090-AJ65) received December 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3057. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, National Labor Relations Board, transmitting the Board's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2021, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a)(1); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 107-289, Sec. 2(a)); (116 Stat. 2049); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3058. A letter from the Chair, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the Board's report on competitive sourcing efforts for FY 2021, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 501 note; Public Law 108-199, Sec. 647(b); (118 Stat. 361); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3059. A letter from the Chairman, Labor Member, Management Member, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2021, including the Office of Inspector General's Auditor's Report, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3515(a)(1); Public Law 101-576, Sec. 303(a)(1) (as amended by Public Law 107-289, Sec. 2(a)); (116 Stat. 2049); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3060. A letter from the Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's Semi-Annual Inspector General report covering the period April 1, 2021, through September 30, 2021, pursuant to section 5(b) of the Inspector General Act of 1978; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-3061. A letter from the Chair, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting