

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-102. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-683, “Limited Equity Cooperative Advisory Council Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-103. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-684, “Limited Equity Cooperative Property Tax Assistance Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-104. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-685, “Inspector General Oversight Consistency Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-105. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-680, “W. Cardell Shelton Way Designation Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-106. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-687, “Period Equity Righting an Injustice of District Residents (PERIOD) Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-107. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-688, “State Small Business Credit Initiative Venture Capital Program Grant-Making Establishment Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-108. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-689, “Condominium Warranty Claims Clarification Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-109. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-690, “UDC Leased Property Tax Abatement Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-110. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-681, “Performing Arts Promotion Tax Rebate Clarification Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-111. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-701, “Salary Adjustment Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-112. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-704, “Omnibus Uniform Athlete Agent and College Athlete Name, Image, or Likeness Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-113. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-705, “Access to Advanced Placement Tests Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-114. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-706, “Automatic Voter Registration Expansion Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-115. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 24-720, “Medical Examiner Records Privacy Amendment Act of 2022”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. HAGERTY (for himself and Mr. Kaine):

S. 91. A bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to 60 diplomats, in recognition of their bravery and heroism during the Holocaust; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself and Mr. Kaine):

S. 92. A bill to designate the outdoor amphitheater at the Blue Ridge Music Center in Galax, Virginia, as the “Rick Boucher Amphitheater”; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. WARNOCK, and Ms. SMITH):

S. 93. A bill to exclude from gross income certain assistance provided to farmers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. COONS, and Mr. REED):

S. 94. A bill to require certain information and financial assistance under the State energy program and the Weatherization Assistance Program to be distributed without undue delay to support State and local high-impact energy efficiency and renewable energy initiatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. HYDE-SMITH (for herself, Mr. DAINES, Mr. RISCH, Mr. BRAUN, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. WICKER, Mr. HAWLEY, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. COTTON, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. LEE, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. THUNE, Mr. HAGERTY, Ms. LUMMIS, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. RICKETTS):

S. 95. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to prohibit the approval of new abortion drugs, to prohibit investigational use exemptions for abortion drugs, and to impose additional regulatory requirements with respect to previously approved abortion drugs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself, Ms. WARREN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. SMITH, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. BLUMENTHAL):

S. 96. A bill to address the history of discrimination against Black farmers and ranchers, to require reforms within the Department of Agriculture to prevent future discrimination, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mrs. FISCHER):

S. 97. A bill to establish procedures for the removal of the Architect of the Capitol; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. THUNE):

S. 98. A bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to improve agricultural productivity, profitability, resilience, and ecological outcomes through modernized data infrastructure and analysis, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 99. A bill to establish a National Development Strategy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BROWN, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WARNOCK, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. KAINES, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. SMITH, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. REED, Ms. WARREN, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. KING, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HIRONO, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. LUJAN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, and Mr. PETERS):

S. 100. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to expand access to home and community-based services (HCBS) under Medicaid, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 101. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a reduced excise tax rate for portable, electronically-aerated bait containers; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. FISCHER (for herself and Mr. HICKENLOOPER):

S. 102. A bill to amend title IV of the Social Security Act to establish a demonstration grant program to provide emergency relief to foster youth and improve pre-placement services offered by foster care stabilization agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 103. A bill to modify the minimum required weight of orange juice soluble solids; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 104. A bill to amend title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide for the treatment of core seasonal industries affected by antidumping or countervailing duty investigations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LEE (for himself, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. BUDD, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mr. WICKER):

S. 105. A bill to have education funds follow the student; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself and Mr. SULLIVAN):

S. 106. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to award grants to States to improve outreach to veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. BUDD, and Mr. COTTON):

S. 107. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to clarify the Food

and Drug Administration's jurisdiction over certain tobacco products, and to protect jobs and small businesses involved in the sale, manufacturing, and distribution of traditional and premium cigars; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LANKFORD (for himself, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. RISCH, and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 108. A bill to require a guidance clarity statement on certain agency guidance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself and Ms. STABENOW):

S. 109. A bill to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to prohibit lifetime or annual limits on dental coverage under the Children's Health Insurance Program, and to require wraparound coverage of dental services for certain children under such program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. BUDD, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. RUBIO, and Ms. ERNST):

S. 110. A bill to allow a State to submit a declaration of intent to the Secretary of Education to combine certain funds to improve the academic achievement of students; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LANKFORD (for himself, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. RISCH, and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 111. A bill to require each agency, in providing notice of a rule making, to include a link to a 100-word plain language summary of the proposed rule; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. BRAUN (for himself, Ms. HAS-SAN, Mr. RUBIO, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 112. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to strengthen benefits for children of Vietnam veterans born with spina bifida, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. LANKFORD, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. TILLIS, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 113. A bill to require the Federal Trade Commission to study the role of intermediaries in the pharmaceutical supply chain and provide Congress with appropriate policy recommendations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KING, and Mr. CRAMER):

S. 114. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 respecting the scoring of preventive health savings; to the Committee on the Budget.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. KELLY, and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 115. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to modify certain allotments under that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 116. A bill to amend the Disaster Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 to improve disaster relief funding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mr. MURPHY):

S. 117. A bill to authorize for a grant program for handgun licensing programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN:

S. 118. A bill to remove obstacles to the ability of law enforcement officers to enforce gun safety laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 119. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize the South Florida Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. DAINES, Mr. TUBERVILLE, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. BRAUN, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. HAWLEY, Mr. TILLIS, and Mrs. BRITT):

S. 120. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against tax for charitable donations to nonprofit organizations providing education scholarships to qualified elementary and secondary students; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Ms. DUCKWORTH):

S. 121. A bill to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to require the provision of training and information to certain personnel relating to food allergy identification and response, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. BRAUN:

S. 122. A bill to establish the Payroll Audit Independent Determination program in the Department of Labor; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself, Mr. BUDD, and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 123. A bill to protect American small businesses, gig workers, and freelancers by repealing the burdensome American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 transactions reporting threshold, and to rescind certain funding provided to the Internal Revenue Service under section 10301 of Public Law 117-169; read the first time.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. WARREN, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KAINES, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CASEY, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. BROWN, Mr. LUJAN, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. WARNER):

S. 124. A bill to increase the rates of pay under the statutory pay systems and for prevailing rate employees by 8.7 percent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. COTTON (for himself, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. BUDD, and Mr. VANCE):

S. 125. A bill to withdraw normal trade relations treatment from, and apply certain provisions of title IV of the Trade Act of 1974 to, products of the People's Republic of China, and to expand the eligibility requirements for products of the People's Republic of China to receive normal trade relations treatment in the future, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. SANDERS):

S. 126. A bill to make individuals responsible for undermining free and fair democratic elections inadmissible to the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. CANTWELL (for herself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. BRAUN, Mr. MORAN, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. TESTER, and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. 127. A bill to prevent unfair and deceptive acts or practices and the dissemination of false information related to pharmacy benefit management services for prescription drugs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. WICKER (for himself and Mrs. HYDE-SMITH):

S. Res. 15. A resolution honoring the lives of 2 fallen Mississippi police officers, Sergeant Steven Robin and Officer Branden Estorffe, and expressing condolences to their families; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OSSOFF (for himself and Mr. WARNOCK):

S. Res. 16. A resolution congratulating the University of Georgia Bulldogs football team for winning the 2023 National Collegiate Athletic Association College Football National Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself and Mr. CASEY):

S. Res. 17. A resolution supporting the contributions of Catholic schools in the United States; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida (for himself, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. HAWLEY, and Ms. ERNST):

S. Res. 18. A resolution amending the Standing Rules of the Senate to prohibit the consideration of legislation in the Senate unless the text of the legislation that will be considered has been made publicly available in electronic form for a mandatory minimum review period; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. MENENDEZ (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. COONS, Mr. RISCH, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CASEY, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. COTTON, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. KAINES, Mr. KELLY, Mr. KING, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. TILLIS, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. Con. Res. 2. A concurrent resolution commanding the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran demonstrating in more than 133 cities and risking their safety to speak out against the Iranian regime's human rights abuses; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 42

At the request of Mr. TESTER, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 42, a bill to improve the management and performance of the capital asset programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs so as to better serve veterans, their families, caregivers, and survivors, and for other purposes.

S. 76

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 76, a bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to furnish tailored information to expecting mothers, and for other purposes.

S. 78

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the names of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. RICKETTS) and the Senator from