

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 4714–4734; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 77–78; H. Con. Res. 244–245; and H. Res. 1125, 1127–1134 were introduced. **Pages H1026–27**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H1027–29**

Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 1126, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4247) to prevent and reduce the use of physical restraint and seclusion in schools (H. Rept. 111–425). **Page H1026**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:42 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H974**

Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Chaplain John Beaver, National Chaplain of the American Legion, Mobile, Alabama. **Page H974**

Whole Number of the House: The Chair announced to the House that, in light of the resignation of Representative Abercrombie of Hawaii, the whole number of the House is adjusted to 432. **Page H974**

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

Natural Hazards Risk Reduction Act: H.R. 3820, amended, to reauthorize Federal natural hazards reduction programs, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 335 yeas to 50 nays, Roll No. 76; **Pages H975–84, H999–H1000**

Supporting the goals and ideals of National Engineers Week: H. Res. 1097, to support the goals and ideals of National Engineers Week, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ recorded vote of 382 ayes with none voting “no”, Roll No. 77; **Pages H984–87, H1000–01**

Recognizing the significant contributions of the Military Working Dog (MWD) Program to the United States Armed Forces: H. Res. 812, amended, to recognize the significant contributions of the Military Working Dog (MWD) Program to the United States Armed Forces; **Pages H991–93**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “Recognizing the significant contributions of the Military Working Dog Program to the United States Armed Forces.”. **Page H993**

Recognizing Louisiana State University for 150 years of service and excellence in higher education: H. Res. 1072, amended, to recognize Louisiana State University for 150 years of service and excellence in

higher education, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yea-and-nay vote of 383 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 75; and

Pages H993–94, H999

Congratulating the Pennsylvania State University IFC/Panhellenic Dance Marathon (THON): H. Res. 1112, to congratulate the Pennsylvania State University IFC/Panhellenic Dance Marathon (THON) on its continued success in support of the Four Diamonds Fund at Penn State Hershey Children’s Hospital. **Pages H994–95**

Recess: The House recessed at 4:17 p.m. and reconvened at 6:31 p.m. **Page H999**

Presidential Messages: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress of the continuation beyond March 6, 2010 of the national emergency with respect to the actions and policies of certain members of the Government of Zimbabwe and other persons to undermine Zimbabwe’s democratic processes or institutions—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 111–96). **Page H974**

Read a message from the President wherein he transmitted to Congress a proposed constitution for the United States Virgin Islands—referred to the Committee on Natural Resources. **Page H975**

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on pages H1017–18.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H999, H999–H1000, H1000–01. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOMELAND SECURITY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Homeland Security held a hearing on Major Systems Acquisition at DHS. Testimony was heard from Jane Holl Lute, Deputy Secretary, Department of Homeland Security.

SELECT INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT

Committee on Appropriations: Select Intelligence Oversight Panel met in executive session on the National Intelligence Program Budget. Testimony was heard from Dennis Blair, Director, Office of the Director of National Intelligence.