

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S7437–S7454

Measures Introduced: Two bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3839–3840, and S. Res. 644–646. **Page S7446**

Measures Reported:

S. Res. 573, urging the development of a comprehensive strategy to ensure stability in Somalia, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an amended preamble. **Page S7442**

Measures Passed:

Pre-Election Presidential Transition Act: Senate passed S. 3196, to amend the Presidential Transition Act of 1963 to provide that certain transition services shall be available to eligible candidates before the general election, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S7450–52**

Brown (OH) (for Kaufman/Voinovich) Amendment No. 4658, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S7450–52**

Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act: Senate passed S. 3839, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958. **Page S7452**

National Wildlife Refuge Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 644, designating the week beginning October 10, 2010, as “National Wildlife Refuge Week”. **Pages S7452–54**

Airport and Airway Trust Fund: Senate passed H.R. 6190, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the funding and expenditure authority of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, to amend title 49, United States Code, to extend the airport improvement program. **Page S7454**

Measures Considered:

Creating American Jobs and Ending Offshoring Act—Agreement: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3816, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to create American jobs and to prevent the offshoring of such jobs overseas. **Page S7438**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, and pursuant to the unanimous-consent agreement of Friday, September 24, 2010, a vote on cloture will occur at 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 28, 2010. **Page S7438**

Subsequently, the motion to proceed was withdrawn. **Page S7438**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at 3 p.m., on Monday, September 27, 2010, Senate resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration to the bill. **Page S7454**

Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act—Agreement: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 3081, making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010. **Page S7454**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of S. 3816, Creating American Jobs and Ending Offshoring Act. **Page S7454**

Executive Reports of Committees: Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany Treaty with United Kingdom Concerning Defense Trade Cooperation (Treaty Doc. 110–7) and Treaty with Australia Concerning Defense Trade Cooperation (Treaty Doc. 110–10) (Ex. Rept. 111–5). **Pages S7442–46**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 12:15 p.m., until 2 p.m. on Monday, September 27, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7454.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: There were no public bills or resolutions introduced today.

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Mitchell to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6993**

Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Kurt Gerhard, St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Washington, DC. **Page H6993**

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no yeas-and-nays votes, and there were no recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 9:04 a.m.

Committee Meetings

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION OVERSIGHT

Committee on Financial Services: Held a hearing entitled "Executive Compensation Oversight after the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act." Testimony was heard from Scott G. Alvarez, General Counsel, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Meredith Cross, Director, Division of Corporation Finance, SEC; Marc Steckel, Associate Director, Division of Insurance and Research, FDIC; and public witnesses.

NUCLEAR COOPERATION AND NON-PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on Nuclear Cooperation and Non-proliferation after Khan and Iran: Are We Asking Enough of Current and Future Agreements? Testimony was heard from Thomas Graham, Jr., former Special Representative to the President for Arms Control, Non-Proliferation, and Disarmament; and public witnesses.

PROTECTING AMERICA'S HARVEST

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security and International Law held a hearing on Protecting America's Harvest. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CURRENCY REFORM FOR FAIR TRADE ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported the Chairman's Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 2378, Currency Reform for Fair Trade Act.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of September 27 through October 2, 2010

Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at 3 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3816, Creating American Jobs and Ending Offshoring Act.

On *Tuesday*, at 11:30 a.m., Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3816, Creating American Jobs and Ending Offshoring Act; with the possibility of a second vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 3081, Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations: September 29, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine, 2:30 p.m., SD-124.