

CORRECTION

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

House and Senate met in a Joint Meeting to receive Her Excellency Park Geun-hye, President of South Korea.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S3215–S3283*

**Measures Introduced:** Twenty bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 891–910, and S. Res. 131–134. **Pages S3255–56**

#### Measures Passed:

*Animal Drug and Animal Generic Drug User Fee Reauthorization Act:* Senate passed S. 622, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to reauthorize user fee programs relating to new animal drugs and generic new animal drugs. **Pages S3275–82**

*Use of Capitol Grounds:* Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 32, authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the National Honor Guard and Pipe Band Exhibition. **Page S3282**

*Recognizing the Teachers of the United States:* Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 126, recognizing the teachers of the United States for their contributions to the development and progress of our country, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S3282**

#### Measures Considered:

*Water Resources Development Act—Agreement:* Senate continued consideration of S. 601, to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to construct various projects for improvements to rivers and harbors of the United States, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S3217–28, S3240–48**

#### Adopted:

By 67 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 116), Whitehouse Amendment No. 803 (to Amendment No. 799), to create the National Endowment for the Oceans to promote the protection and conservation of United States ocean, coastal, and Great Lakes eco-

systems. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having achieved 60 affirmatives votes, be agreed to.)

**Pages S3217, S3223–27, S3228**

Boxer/Vitter Amendment No. 799, in the nature of a substitute. (By unanimous consent, the amendment will be considered as original text for the purpose of further amendment.) **Page S3217**

By a unanimous vote of 95 yeas (Vote No. 117), Brown Modified Amendment No. 813, to provide a multiagency effort to slow the spread of Asian carp in the Upper Mississippi and Ohio River basins and tributaries. **Pages S3242–43**

Boxer (for Pryor) Modified Amendment No. 801, to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to change the Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure rule with respect to certain farms. **Page S3247**

Boxer (for Pryor) Amendment No. 806, to provide a work-in-kind credit. **Page S3247**

Boxer (for Inhofe) Modified Amendment No. 835, to provide for rural water infrastructure projects. **Page S3247**

Boxer (for McCain) Amendment No. 833, to protect the American taxpayer by establishing metrics to measure the effectiveness of grants administered by the national levee safety program. **Page S3247**

Boxer (for Murray) Amendment No. 832, to modify the definition of the term “cargo container”. **Page S3247**

#### Rejected:

By 56 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 115), Coburn Amendment No. 805 (to Amendment No. 799), to protect the right of individuals to bear arms at water resources development projects administered by the Secretary of the Army. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.) **Pages S3218–23, S3227**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the next amendment in order to the bill

be the following: Blunt Amendment No. 800; and that no second-degree amendments be in order to the amendment prior to votes on or in relation to the amendment. **Page S3228**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, May 9, 2013. **Page S3282**

**Dick and Roman Nominations—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that, at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader, after consultation with the Republican Leader, Senate begin consideration of the nominations of Shelly Deckert Dick, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Louisiana, and Nelson Stephen Roman, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York; that there be 30 minutes for debate equally divided in the usual form; that upon the use or yielding back of time, Senate vote, without intervening action or debate, on confirmation of the nominations, in the order listed; and that no further motions be in order to the nominations. **Page S3275**

**Messages from the House:** **Page S3254**

**Measures Placed on the Calendar:**  
**Pages S3215, S3254**

**Executive Communications:** **Pages S3254–55**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages S3256–58**

**Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:**  
**Pages S3258–63**

**Additional Statements:** **Pages S3252–54**

**Amendments Submitted:** **Pages S3263–74**

**Authorities for Committees to Meet:**  
**Pages S3274–75**

**Record Votes:** Three record votes were taken today. (Total—117) **Pages S3227–28, S3243**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 7:18 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, May 9, 2013. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3283.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### APPROPRIATIONS: AIR FORCE

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Department of Defense concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2014 for the Air Force, after receiving testimony from Mi-

chael B. Donley, Secretary of the Air Force, and General Mark A. Welsh III, Chief of Staff of the Air Force, both of the Department of Defense.

### APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY AND IRS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Financial Service and General Government concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2014 for the Department of the Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service, after receiving testimony from Jacob J. Lew, Secretary, Steven T. Miller, Acting Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service, and J. Russell George, Inspector General for Tax Administration, all of the Department of the Treasury.

### APPROPRIATIONS: ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2014 for the Army Corps of Engineers and Bureau of Reclamation, after receiving testimony from Lieutenant General Thomas P. Bostick, Chief of Engineers, Army Corps of Engineers, and Jo-Ellen Darcy, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works, both of the Department of Defense; and Anne Castle, Assistant Secretary for Water and Science, and Michael L. Connor, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, both of the Department of the Interior.

### DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Airland concluded a hearing to examine Army modernization in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from Lieutenant General William N. Phillips, Principal Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology, and Director, Acquisition Career Management, and Lieutenant General James O. Barclay III, Deputy Chief of Staff, G–8, both of the Department of the Army, Department of Defense.

### DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on SeaPower concluded a hearing to examine Navy shipbuilding programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from Sean J. Stackley, Assistant Secretary for