

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Seven bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2644–2650, and S. Res. 512–516. **Pages S4762–63**

Measures Reported:

S. 675, to prohibit contracting with the enemy, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 113–216)

S. 1820, to prohibit the use of Federal funds for the costs of official portraits of Members of Congress, heads of executive agencies, and heads of agencies and offices of the legislative branch. (S. Rept. No. 113–217)

H.R. 1233, to amend chapter 22 of title 44, United States Code, popularly known as the Presidential Records Act, to establish procedures for the consideration of claims of constitutionally based privilege against disclosure of Presidential records, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 113–218)

S. 315, to reauthorize and extend the Paul D. Wellstone Muscular Dystrophy Community Assistance, Research, and Education Amendments of 2008, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 531, to provide for the publication by the Secretary of Human Services of physical activity guidelines for Americans, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2154, to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize the Emergency Medical Services for Children Program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2405, to amend title XII of the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize certain trauma care programs.

S. 2406, to amend title XII of the Public Health Service Act to expand the definition of trauma to include thermal, electrical, chemical, radioactive, and other extrinsic agents.

S. 2539, to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize certain programs relating to traumatic brain injury and to trauma research, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. **Page S4762**

Measures Passed:

Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 40, providing for the appointment of Michael Lynton as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, and the resolution was then passed. **Page S4845**

Enhanced Relations with the Republic of Moldova: Senate agreed to S. Res. 500, expressing the sense of the Senate with respect to enhanced relations with the Republic of Moldova and support for the Republic of Moldova's territorial integrity. **Page S4845**

Growth Awareness Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 489, supporting the goals and ideals of "Growth Awareness Week", and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S4845-46**

Casey (for Kirk) Amendment No. 3623, to amend the preamble.

Wright Museum of WWII History 20th Anniversary: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 501, commemorating the 20th anniversary of the Wright Museum of WWII History in Wolfeboro, New Hampshire, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S4846**

National Nurse-Managed Health Clinic Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 514, designating the week of August 10 through August 16, 2014, as "National Nurse-Managed Health Clinic Week". **Page S4846**

International Self-Care Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 515, designating July 24, 2014, as "International Self-Care Day". **Page S4846**

Authorizing Testimony, Document Production, and Representation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 516, to authorize testimony, document production, and representation in *State of North Dakota v. Beatrice Quill*. **Page S4846**

Measures Considered:

Bring Jobs Home Act—Agreement: Senate continued consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 2569, to provide an incentive for businesses to bring jobs back to America.

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During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 93 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 240), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, post-cloture, at approximately 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, July 24, 2014; and that at 1:45 p.m., all post-cloture debate time be considered expired and Senate vote on adoption of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill.

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Highway and Transportation Funding Act—

Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader, with the concurrence of the Republican Leader, Senate begin consideration of H.R. 5021, to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund; that the only amendments in order to the bill be the following: Wyden Amendment No. 3582; Carper-Corker-Boxer Amendment No. 3583; Lee Amendment No. 3584; and Toomey Amendment No. 3585; that each amendment have one hour of debate equally divided between the proponents and opponents; that there be up to two hours of general debate on the bill equally divided between the two Leaders, or their designees; that upon the use or yielding back of time, Senate vote on or in relation to the amendments in the order listed; that no second-degree amendments be in order to any of the amendments prior to the votes; that no motions to commit the bill be in order; that upon disposition of Toomey Amendment No. 3585, Senate vote on passage of the bill, as amended, if amended; that the Secretary be authorized to make technical changes to amendments if necessary to allow for proper page and line number alignment; that the amendments and the vote on passage be subject to a 60 affirmative vote threshold; and if the bill is passed, Senate begin consideration of H. Con. Res. 108, providing for the correction of the enrollment of H.R. 5021, which was received from the House and is at the desk; and the concurrent resolution be agreed to.

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Disbrow Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding Rule XXII, following the vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Pamela Harris, of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, on Thursday, July 24, 2014, Senate begin consideration of the nomination of Lisa S. Disbrow, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; that there be two minutes for debate equally divided between the two Leaders, or their designees prior to the vote; that upon the use or yielding back of time, Senate vote, without intervening action or debate, on confirmation of the nomination; and that no further motions be in order to the nomination.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Julia Akins Clark, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years.

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Andrew H. Schapiro, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the Czech Republic.

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Madelyn R. Creedon, of Indiana, to be Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration.

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8 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

8 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, and Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Jeffery Martin Baran, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 30, 2015.

Stephen G. Burns, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the term of five years expiring June 30, 2019.

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