

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S4333–S4522

Measures Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1640–1642, S. Res. 207, and S. Con. Res. 18. **Pages S4345–46**

Measures Reported:

S. 544, to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency from proposing, finalizing, or disseminating regulations or assessments based upon science that is not transparent or reproducible, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 114–69) **Page S4345**

Measures Passed:

Veteran's I.D. Card Act: Committee on Veterans' Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 91, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to issue, upon request, veteran identification cards to certain veterans, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S4521–22**

McConnell (for Blumenthal) Amendment No. 2076, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S4521**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 81 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. EX. 217), Peter V. Neffenger, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security. **Pages S4338–41, S4522**

Daniel R. Elliott III, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board for a term expiring December 31, 2018. **Pages S4338–41, S4522**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Julie Furuta-Toy, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

7 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force and Army.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—217) **Page S4341**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:38 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 23, 2015. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S4522.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.