

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session and stands adjourned until 2:00 p.m., on Monday, January 11, 2016.

### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 10 public bills, H.R. 4340–4349; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 582 were introduced. **Pages H175–76**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H176–77**

**Report Filed:** A report was filed today as follows:

H.R. 653, to amend section 552 of title 5, United States Code (commonly known as the Freedom of Information Act), to provide for greater public access to information, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 114–391). **Page H175**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative LaHood to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H105**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 11:11 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon. **Page H113**

**Fairness in Class Action Litigation Act of 2015—**

**Rule for Consideration:** The House agreed to H. Res. 581, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1927) to amend title 28, United States Code, to improve fairness in class action litigation, by a recorded vote of 234 ayes to 176 noes, Roll No. 22, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 236 yeas to 176 nays, Roll No. 21.

**Pages H117–23, H152–53**

**Sunshine for Regulatory Decrees and Settlements Act of 2015:** The House passed H.R. 712, to impose certain limitations on consent decrees and settlement agreements by agencies that require the agencies to take regulatory action in accordance with

the terms thereof, by a recorded vote of 244 ayes to 173 noes, Roll No 12. **Pages H123–45**

Rejected the Kelly (IL) motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a recorded vote of 171 ayes to 244 noes, Roll No. 11. **Pages H143–45**

Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 114–37 shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. **Page H133**

Agreed to:

Marino amendment (No. 1 printed in part A of H. Rept. 114–388) that includes a small number of revisions in the nature of technical and conforming changes to clarify provisions that state deadlines, reformat section nomenclature and headings, and improve typography or grammar; and **Page H135**

Foxx amendment (No. 5 printed in part A of H. Rept. 114–388) that requires monthly reporting of unfunded mandates by agencies to OIRA; requires reporting of unfunded mandates imposed in OIRA's annual cumulative assessment of agency rule making. **Pages H138–39**

Rejected:

Cummings amendment (No. 7 printed in part A of H. Rept. 114–388) that sought to exempt independent establishments from the requirements of Title II of the bill; **Page H140**

Johnson (GA) amendment (No. 2 printed in part A of H. Rept. 114–388) that sought to insert an exception for any rule, consent decree, or settlement