

## DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Cybersecurity concluded a hearing to examine the cyber posture of the Services in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2019 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from Vice Admiral Michael M. Gilday, USN, Commander, United States Fleet Cyber Command, and Commander, United States Tenth Fleet, Lieutenant General Paul M. Nakasone, USA, Commanding General, United States Army Cyber Command, Major General Loretta E. Reynolds, USMC, Commander, Marine Forces Cyberspace Command, and Major General Christopher P. Weggeman, USAF, Commander, Twenty-fourth Air Force, and Commander, Air Forces Cyber, all of the Department of Defense.

## NEXT GENERATION BROADBAND

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet concluded a hearing to examine rebuilding infrastructure in America, focusing on investing in next generation broadband, after receiving testimony from Mayor Gary Resnick, Wilton Manors, Florida; Steven K. Berry, Competitive Carriers Association, and Brad Gillen, CTIA, both of Washington, D.C.; Robert DeBroux, TDS Telecommunications, LLC, Madison, Wisconsin; and Michael Romano, NTCA—The Rural Broadband Association, Arlington, Virginia.

## STATE AND LOCAL TRANSPORTATION NEEDS

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety and Security concluded a hearing to examine rebuilding infrastructure in America, focusing on state and local transportation needs, after receiving testimony from Kyle Schneeweis, Nebraska Department of Transportation,

Lincoln; Jordan Kass, C.H. Robinson, Chicago, Illinois; Jo E. Strang, American Short Line and Regional Railroad Association, Washington, D.C.; and Daniel P. Gilmartin, Michigan Municipal League, Ann Arbor, on behalf of the National League of Cities.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUDGET

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2019 for the Department of the Interior, after receiving testimony from Ryan Zinke, Secretary of the Interior.

## STATE FRAGILITY, GROWTH, AND DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine state fragility, growth, and development, focusing on designing policy approaches that work, after receiving testimony from David Cameron, Commission on State Fragility, Growth and Development, London, United Kingdom.

## FOIA REFORMS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the Freedom of Information Act, focusing on the Administration's progress on reforms, including agency implementation of requirements and the need to take additional action, after receiving testimony from Melanie Ann Pustay, Director, Office of Information Policy, Department of Justice; Alina M. Semo, Director, Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration; and David A. Powner, Director, Information Technology Management Issues, Government Accountability Office.

## INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on certain intelligence matters from officials of the intelligence community.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 21 public bills, H.R. 5247–5267; and 8 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 114; and H. Res. 771–772, 774–778 were introduced.

**Pages H1541–43**

**Additional Cosponsors:**

**Pages H1543–44**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4293, to reform the Comprehensive Capital Analysis and Review process, the Dodd-Frank Act Stress Test process, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–593);

H.R. 1093, to require the Federal Railroad Administration and the Federal Transit Authority to

provide appropriate Congressional notice of safety audits conducted with respect to railroads and rail transit agencies, with amendments (H. Rept. 115–594);

H. Res. 773, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4545) to amend the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council Act of 1978 to improve the examination of depository institutions, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1116) to require the Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies to take risk profiles and business models of institutions into account when taking regulatory actions, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4263) to amend the Securities Act of 1933 with respect to small company capital formation, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 115–595); and

Report of the Joint Economic Committee on the 2018 Economic Report of the President (H. Rept. 115–596). **Page H1541**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Donovan to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H1509**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:25 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H1512**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:05 p.m. and reconvened at 4:44 p.m. **Page H1512**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**State Veterans Home Adult Day Health Care Improvement Act:** S. 324, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the provision of adult day health care services for veterans; **Pages H1513–15**

**Endangered Fish Recovery Programs Extension Act:** H.R. 4465, to maintain annual base funding for the Upper Colorado and San Juan fish recovery programs through fiscal year 2023, to require a report on the implementation of those programs, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 392 yeas to 6 nays, Roll No. 103; **Pages H1515–16, H1529**

**Directing the Secretary of Agriculture to transfer certain Federal land to facilitate scientific research supporting Federal space and defense programs:** H.R. 1800, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to transfer certain Federal land to facilitate scientific research supporting Federal space and defense programs; **Pages H1516–17**

**Designating the bridge located in Blount County, Tennessee, on the Foothills Parkway (commonly known as “Bridge 2”) as the “Dean Stone Bridge”:** H.R. 3469, to designate the bridge located in Blount County, Tennessee, on the Foothills Parkway

(commonly known as “Bridge 2”) as the “Dean Stone Bridge”; **Pages H1517–18**

**Acadia National Park Boundary Clarification Act:** H.R. 4266, amended, to clarify the boundary of Acadia National Park; and **Pages H1518–20**

**Modifying the boundary of Voyageurs National Park in the State of Minnesota:** H.R. 1350, to modify the boundary of Voyageurs National Park in the State of Minnesota. **Pages H1520–21**

**Suspensions:** The House failed to agree to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

**Authorizing the use of eligible investigational drugs by eligible patients who have been diagnosed with a stage of a disease or condition in which there is reasonable likelihood that death will occur within a matter of months, or with another eligible illness:** H.R. 5247, to authorize the use of eligible investigational drugs by eligible patients who have been diagnosed with a stage of a disease or condition in which there is reasonable likelihood that death will occur within a matter of months, or with another eligible illness, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yea-and-nay vote of 259 yeas to 140 nays, Roll No. 102.

**Pages H1521–27, H1528–29**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H1512 and H1528.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1528–29 and H1529. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:41 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

**TAILOR ACT OF 2017; REGULATION AT IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2017; FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS EXAMINATION FAIRNESS AND REFORM ACT**

**Committee on Rules:** Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 1116, the “TAILOR Act of 2017”; H.R. 4263, the “Regulation At Improvement Act of 2017”; and H.R. 4545, the “Financial Institutions Examination Fairness and Reform Act”. The Committee granted, by voice vote, a structured rule for H.R. 4545. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment printed in part A of the Rules Committee report shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of