

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S3503–S3560*

**Measures Introduced:** Forty bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1, 2458–2496, S. Res. 307–310, and S. Con. Res. 17.

**Pages S3521–22**

#### Measures Reported:

S. 931, to improve the visibility, accountability, and oversight of agency software asset management practices, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 118–73)

S. 1858, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to establish a deadline for applying for disaster unemployment assistance. (S. Rept. No. 118–74)

S. 1260, to release the reversionary interest of the United States in certain non-Federal land in Salt Lake City, Utah, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 118–75)

S. 1466, to adjust the boundary of the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area to include the Rim of the Valley Corridor. (S. Rept. No. 118–76)

S. 1540, to amend the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to provide for circumstances under which reinitiation of consultation is not required under a land and resource management plan or land use plan under those Acts, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 118–77)

S. Res. 20, condemning the coup that took place on February 1, 2021, in Burma and the Burmese military's detention of civilian leaders, calling for an immediate and unconditional release of all those detained, promoting accountability and justice for those killed by the Burmese military, and calling for those elected to serve in parliament to resume their duties without impediment, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an amended preamble.

S. Res. 75, reaffirming the state of Arunachal Pradesh as Indian territory and condemning the People's Republic of China's provocations in South Asia,

with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an amended preamble.

S. 38, to amend the Small Business Act to codify the Boots to Business Program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 416, to designate the Russian-based mercenary Wagner Group as a foreign terrorist organization, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 490, to require the President to remove the extension of certain privileges, exemptions, and immunities to the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Offices if Hong Kong no longer enjoys a high degree of autonomy from the People's Republic of China, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 673, to allow nonprofit child care providers to participate in certain loan programs of the Small Business Administration.

S. 822, to terminate the Department of Defense memorandum relating to access to abortions, to prohibit the use of travel and transportation allowances, medical convalescent leave, and administrative absences to travel to obtain abortions, with an amendment.

S. 847, to establish the International Children with Disabilities Protection Program within the Department of State, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 936, to amend the Small Business Act to include requirements relating to graduates of career and technical education programs or programs of study for small business development centers and women's business centers, with an amendment.

S. 943, to increase the minimum disaster loan amount for which the Small Business Administration may require collateral, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1156, to establish an Office of Native American Affairs within the Small Business Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1203, to amend the Peace Corps Act by reauthorizing the Peace Corps, providing better support for current, returning, and former volunteers.

S. 1345, to amend the Small Business Act to enhance the Office of Credit Risk Management, to require the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to issue rules relating to environmental

obligations of certified development companies, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1352, to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to improve the loan guaranty program, enhance the ability of small manufacturers to access affordable capital, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1396, to improve commercialization activities in the SBIR and STTR programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1457, to authorize negotiation and conclusion and to provide for congressional consideration of a tax agreement between the American Institute in Taiwan (AIT) and the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office (TECRO), with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2006, to foster Tunisia's democratic institutions, to limit funds until Tunisia restores checks and balances, and to authorize the creation of a fund to support democratic reforms, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2099, to establish an Office of Community Financial Institutions within the Small Business Administration that will strengthen the ability of Community Financial Institutions to support the development of small business concerns in underserved communities, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 2212, to require the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to establish an SBIC Advisory Committee, with amendments.

S. 2482, to amend the Small Business Act to authorize the Community Advantage Loan Program of the Small Business Administration.

S. Con. Res. 2, commending the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran demonstrating in more than 133 cities and risking their safety to speak out against the Iranian regime's human rights abuses, and with an amended preamble. **Pages S3520–21**

#### Measures Passed:

*Expressing Support for the State of Israel:* Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 57, expressing the sense of Congress supporting the State of Israel, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S3557**

*Department of Defense State Partnership Program:* Senate agreed to S. Res. 308, recognizing the historic significance of the 30th anniversary of the founding of the Department of Defense State Partnership Program. **Page S3557**

*National Blueberry Month:* Senate agreed to S. Res. 309, recognizing the importance of the blue-

berry industry to the United States and designating July 2023 as "National Blueberry Month". **Page S3557**

#### Measures Considered:

**National Defense Authorization Act—Agreement:** Senate resumed consideration of S. 2226, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2024 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S3503–17**

##### Adopted:

By 91 yeas to 6 nays (Vote No. 196), Cornyn Amendment No. 931 (to Amendment No. 935), to provide for an investment screening mechanism relating to covered sectors. (Pursuant to the order of Thursday, July 20, 2023, the amendment having achieved 60 affirmative votes, was agreed to.) **Pages S3510–12**

By 91 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 197), Rounds Amendment No. 813 (to Amendment No. 935), to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 to include the Secretary of Agriculture on the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States and require review of certain agricultural transactions. (Pursuant to the order of Thursday, July 20, 2023, the amendment having achieved 60 affirmative votes, was agreed to.) **Pages S3512–13**

##### Pending:

Schumer (for Reed/Wicker) Amendment No. 935, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S3503**

Schumer Amendment No. 936 (to Amendment No. 935), to add an effective date. **Page S3503**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 10 a.m., on Wednesday, July 26, 2023; and that at 12:15 p.m., Senate vote on or in relation to Warnock Amendment No. 199, under the previous order of Thursday, July 20, 2023. **Page S3558**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Jon M. Holladay, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Agriculture.

Derek H. Chollet, of Nebraska, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

J. Todd Inman, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board for a term expiring December 31, 2027.

Rion J. Ramirez, of Washington, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation for a term expiring May 26, 2025.

Elliott Abrams, of Virginia, to be a Member of the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2024.

Elliott Abrams, of Virginia, to be a Member of the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2027.

Stephan A. Lang, of Virginia, to be U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador.

Joann M. Lockard, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Burkina Faso.

Harry Coker, Jr., of Kansas, to be National Cyber Director.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

14 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

4 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, and Foreign Service. **Pages S3558–60**

**Messages from the House:** **Page S3520**

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**Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:**  
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**Additional Statements:** **Pages S3519–20**

**Amendments Submitted:** **Pages S3528–57**

**Authorities for Committees to Meet:** **Page S3557**

**Privileges of the Floor:** **Page S3557**

**Record Votes:** Two record votes were taken today. (Total—197) **Pages S3512–13**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 11:10 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, July 26, 2023. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3558.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Privacy, Technology, and the Law concluded an oversight hearing to examine artificial intelligence, focusing on principles for regulation, after receiving testimony from Stuart Russell, University of California, Berkeley; Yoshua Bengio, Mila—Quebec AI Institute, Quebec, Canada; and Dario Amodei, Anthropic, San Francisco, California.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 54 public bills, H.R. 4841–4894; and 4 resolutions, H. Res. 610–613, were introduced. **Pages H3948–50**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H3952–54**

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

H.R. 682, to facilitate access to electromagnetic spectrum for commercial space launches and commercial space reentries, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–156); and

H.R. 1338, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide authority for certain licenses, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–157). **Page H3948**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Collins to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H3899**

**Journal:** The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by voice vote. **Page H3905**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:54 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H3905**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:20 p.m. and reconvened at 4:02 p.m. **Page H3907**

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

*Haiti Criminal Collusion Transparency Act of 2023:* H.R. 1684, amended, to require the Secretary of State to submit an annual report to Congress regarding the ties between criminal gangs and political and economic elites in Haiti and impose sanctions on political and economic elites involved in such criminal activities; **Pages H3907–10**

*Stop Chinese Fentanyl Act of 2023:* H.R. 3203, amended, to impose sanctions with respect to Chinese producers of synthetic opioids and opioid precursors, to hold Chinese officials accountable for the spread of illicit fentanyl; **Pages H3910–13**

*Taiwan International Solidarity Act:* H.R. 1176, to amend the Taiwan Allies International Protection and Enhancement Initiative (TAIPEI) Act of 2019 to provide that the United States, as a member of any international organizations, should oppose any

attempts by the People's Republic of China to resolve Taiwan's status by distorting the decisions, language, policies, or procedures of the organization;

**Pages H3913–15**

***NTIA Policy and Cybersecurity Coordination Act:*** H.R. 1345, to amend the National Telecommunications and Information Administration Organization Act to establish the Office of Policy Development and Cybersecurity

**Pages H3918–19**

***Launch Communications Act:*** H.R. 682, amended, to facilitate access to electromagnetic spectrum for commercial space launches and commercial space reentries;

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***Securing the U.S. Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network Act:*** H.R. 2544, to improve the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network;

**Pages H3929–30**

***Securing Semiconductor Supply Chains Act of 2023:*** H.R. 752, amended, to require SelectUSA to coordinate with State-level economic development organizations to increase foreign direct investment in semiconductor-related manufacturing and production; and

**Pages H3930–32**

***Protecting and Securing Chemical Facilities from Terrorist Attacks Act of 2023:*** H.R. 4470, amended, to extend the authorization of the Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards Program of the Department of Homeland Security, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yeas-and-nay vote of 409 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 366.

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

***Satellite And Telecommunications Streamlining Act:*** H.R. 1338, amended, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide authority for certain licenses, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yeas-and-nay vote of 250 yeas to 163 nays with one answering "present", Roll No. 365.

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**Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed.

***U.S. Supply Chain Security Review Act of 2023:*** H.R. 3395, amended, to direct the Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission to seek to enter into an agreement with a federally funded research and development center to evaluate foreign ownership of marine terminals at the 15 largest United States container ports;

**Pages H3915–16**

***Soo Locks Security and Economic Reporting Act of 2023:*** H.R. 3399, to study the security of the Soo Locks and effects on the supply chain resulting from a malfunction or failure of the Soo Locks;

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***Unmanned Aerial Security Act:*** H.R. 1501, amended, to prohibit the Secretary of Homeland Security from operating or procuring certain foreign-made unmanned aircraft systems; and

**Pages H3936–38**

***First Responder Access to Innovative Technologies Act:*** H.R. 3254, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish a process to review applications for certain grants to purchase equipment or systems that do not meet or exceed any applicable national voluntary consensus standards.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yeas-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H3934 and H3936.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 p.m. and adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, VETERANS AFFAIRS, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2024; PROVIDING FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISAPPROVAL OF THE RULE RELATING TO "ENDANGERED AND THREATENED WILDLIFE AND PLANTS; LESSER PRAIRIE-CHICKEN; THREATENED STATUS WITH SECTION 4(D) RULE FOR THE NORTHERN DISTINCT POPULATION SEGMENT AND ENDANGERED STATUS FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTINCT POPULATION SEGMENT"; PROVIDING FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISAPPROVAL OF THE RULE RELATING TO "ENDANGERED AND THREATENED WILDLIFE AND PLANTS; ENDANGERED SPECIES STATUS FOR NORTHERN LONG-EARED BAT

**Committee on Rules:** Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 4366, the "Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024"; S.J. Res. 9, a joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Lesser Prairie-Chicken; Threatened Status with Section 4(d) Rule for the Northern Distinct Population Segment and Endangered Status for the Southern Distinct Population Segment"; and S.J. Res. 24, a joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Northern Long-Eared Bat". The

Committee granted, by a record vote of 9–4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 4366, the “Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024”, S.J. Res. 9, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to “Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Lesser Prairie-Chicken; Threatened Status With Section 4(d) Rule for the Northern Distinct Population Segment and Endangered Status for the Southern Distinct Population Segment”, and S.J. Res. 24, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to “Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Northern Long-Eared Bat”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4366, the “Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024”, under a structured rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or clause 5(a) of rule XXI. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report, amendments en bloc described in section 3 and pro forma amendments described in section 4. Each amendment shall be considered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 4 of the rule, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. All points of order against the amendments printed in the Rules Committee report or amendments en bloc described in section 3 of the resolution are waived. The rule provides that the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee may offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in the report not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 4 of the rule, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule provides that the chair

and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees may offer up to 10 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule further provides for consideration of S.J. Res. 9, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, USC, of the rule submitted by the USFWS relating to “Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Lesser Prairie-Chicken; Threatened Status with Section 4(d) Rule for the Northern Distinct Population Segment and Endangered Status for the Southern Distinct Population Segment”, under a closed rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule provides that the joint resolution shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the joint resolution. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Natural Resources or their respective designees. The rule provides one motion to commit. The rule further provides for consideration of S.J. Res. 24, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to “Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Northern Long-Eared Bat”, under a closed rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule provides that the joint resolution shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the joint resolution. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Natural Resources or their respective designees. Finally, the rule provides one motion to commit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Westerman, and Representatives Carter of Texas, Cuellar, Grijalva, Greene of Georgia, Mast, Rosendale, and Zinke.

## *Joint Meetings*

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 2023

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lieutenant General Gregory M. Guillot, USAF, to be general and Commander, United States Northern Command/Commander, North American

Aerospace Defense Command, and Lieutenant General Stephen N. Whiting, USSF, to be general and Commander, United States Space Command, both of the Department of Defense, 9 a.m., SH-216.

Subcommittee on Personnel, to hold hearings to examine potential budgetary efficiencies achieved through improvement to management and planning processes within Department of Defense personnel programs, 4 p.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine taking account of fees and tactics impacting Americans' wallets, 9:30 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on the Budget:* to hold hearings to examine the fiscal consequences of climate change on infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine opportunities for Congress to reform the process for permitting electric transmission lines, pipelines, and energy production on Federal lands, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* business meeting to consider S. 2195, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to reauthorize the diesel emissions reduction program, S. 2395, to reauthorize wildlife habitat and conservation programs, S. 1381, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, through the Coastal Program of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, to work with willing partners and provide support to efforts to assess, protect, restore, and enhance important coastal landscapes that provide fish and wildlife habitat on which certain Federal trust species depend, S. 1278, to designate the Federal building located at 985 Michigan Avenue in Detroit, Michigan, as the "Rosa Parks Federal Building", and GSA Resolutions; to be immediately followed by hearings to examine improving capacity for critical mineral recovery through electronic waste recycling and reuse, 9:40 a.m., SD-406.

Subcommittee on Clean Air, Climate, and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings to examine cleaner trains, focusing on opportunities for reducing emissions from America's rail network, 2:30 p.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance:* business meeting to consider an original bill entitled, "Modernizing and Ensuring PBM Accountability (MEPA) Act", 2 p.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine U.S. economic security, focusing on addressing economic coercion and increasing competitiveness, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Dennis B. Hankins, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti, James C. O'Brien, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary (European and Eurasian Affairs), Nathalie Rayes, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia, and Tobin John Bradley, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* business meeting to continue consideration of S. 2251, to

improve the cybersecurity of the Federal Government, S. 2291, to establish the Northern Border Coordination Center, S. 2289, to direct the Director of the Information Security Oversight Office to assess foreign influence in the National Industrial Security Program and to develop a single, integrated strategy to better identify and mitigate such foreign influence, S. 2278, to establish Image Adjudicator and Supervisory Image Adjudicator positions in the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Office of Field Operations, S. 2248, to require a pilot program on the use of big data analytics to identify vessels evading sanctions and export controls and to require a report on the availability in the United States of emerging and foundational technologies subject to export controls, S. 1332, to require the Office of Management and Budget to revise the Standard Occupational Classification system to establish a separate code for direct support professionals, S. 2219, to amend the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 to expand access to breastfeeding accommodations in the workplace, S. 2292, to improve the transparency of purchases by the Federal Government of data or information that can be used to identify an individual, S. 2286, to improve the effectiveness and performance of certain Federal financial assistance programs, S. 1524, to ensure that whistleblowers, including contractors, are protected from retaliation when a Federal employee orders a reprisal, S. 2283, to prohibit the procurement of certain items containing perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS) or perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and prioritize the procurement of products not containing PFAS, S. 2270, to establish and maintain a database within each agency for executive branch ethics records of noncareer appointees, S. 2293, to establish the Chief Artificial Intelligence Officers Council, Chief Artificial Intelligence Officers, and Artificial Intelligence Governance Boards, S. 2073, to amend title 31, United States Code, to require agencies to include a list of outdated or duplicative reporting requirements in annual budget justifications, S. 2032, to require the reduction of the reliance and expenditures of the Federal Government on legacy information technology systems, S. 1973, to require the purchase of domestically made flags of the United States of America for use by the Federal Government, S. 2256, to authorize the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency to establish an apprenticeship program and to establish a pilot program on cybersecurity training for veterans and members of the Armed Forces transitioning to civilian life, and S. 2260, to require transparency in notices of funding opportunity, 9 a.m., SD-562.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine Native priorities for the 2023 Farm Bill reauthorization, 2:30 p.m., SD-628.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Margaret M. Garnett, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Jennifer L. Hall, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the District of Delaware, Brandy R. McMillion, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, Karoline Mehalchick, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of

Pennsylvania, and Joseph Albert Laroski, Jr., of Maryland, and Lisa W. Wang, of the District of Columbia, both to be a Judge of the United States Court of International Trade, 10 a.m., SD–226.

Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the United States Patent and Trademark Office, 2:30 p.m., SD–226.

*Committee on Rules and Administration*: to hold a joint oversight hearing with the Committee on House Administration to examine the Capitol Police Board, 3:30 p.m., SD–G50.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*: to hold hearings to examine pathways to women's entrepreneurship, focusing on understanding opportunities and barriers, 10 a.m., SD–106.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*: to hold hearings to examine implementing the PACT Act, 3 p.m., SR–418.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters; to be immediately followed by a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH–219.

## House

*Committee on Education and Workforce*, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, hearing entitled "Generational Learning Loss: How Pandemic School Closures Hurt Students", 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Stopping the Exploitation of Migrant Children: Oversight of HHS' Office of Refugee Resettlement", 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Innovation, Data, and Commerce, hearing entitled "Self-Driving Vehicle Legislative Framework: Enhancing Safety, Improving Lives and Mobility, and Beating China", 10:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4763, the "Financial Innovation and Technology for the 21st Century Act"; H.R. 1747, the "Blockchain Regulatory Certainty Act"; H.R. 3244, the "Stop Fentanyl Money Laundering Act of 2023"; H.R. 4768, the "No Russian Agriculture Act"; H.R. 4765, the "Exposing China's Support for the Taliban Act"; and H.R. 2969, the "Financial Technology Protection Act of 2023", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4619, to authorize the sale of Virginia Class submarines to Australia in support of the trilateral security partnership between Australia, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and for other purposes; H.R. 4725, to conduct oversight and accountability of the State Department's implementation of AUKUS, and for other purposes; H.R. 4716, to amend the Arms Export Control Act in support of Australia and the AUKUS partnership; H.R. 4715, to amend the Arms Export Control Act in support of the United Kingdom and the AUKUS partnership; H.R. 1776, to prevent, treat, and cure tuberculosis globally; H.R. 4517, to require the Secretary of State to submit a plan for the reimbursement of personal funds expended to evacuate American citizens, American lawful permanent residents, and Afghan allies

from Afghanistan, and for other purposes; H.R. 3152, to impose sanctions with respect to countries, individuals, and entities that engage in any effort to acquire, possess, develop, transport, transfer, or deploy Iranian missiles and related goods and technology, including materials and equipment, and for other purposes; H.R. 4741, to require the development of a strategy to promote the use of secure telecommunications infrastructure worldwide, and for other purposes; H.R. 4691, to provide for congressional review of actions to terminate or waive sanctions imposed with respect to Iran; H.R. 1456, to limit the use of funds for the production of films using assets of the Department of State under certain circumstances, and for other purposes; H. Res. 578, calling for the immediate release of Eyvin Hernandez, a United States citizen and Los Angeles County public defender, who was wrongfully detained by the Venezuelan regime in March 2022; and H.R. 4825, to require the imposition of sanctions and other measures relating to the Russian oil price cap policy, and for other purposes, 10:15 a.m., HVC–210.

*Committee on Homeland Security*, Subcommittee on Border Security and Enforcement; and Subcommittee on Counterterrorism, Law Enforcement, and Intelligence, joint hearing entitled "The Real Cost of an Open Border: How Americans are Paying the Price", 2 p.m., 310 Cannon.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Oversight of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security", 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 1318, the "Women's Suffrage National Monument Location Act"; H.R. 1722, the "Grand Ronde Reservation Act Amendment of 2023"; H.R. 2717, the "Hershel 'Woody' Williams National Medal of Honor Monument Location Act"; H.R. 2997, the "CONVEY Act"; H.R. 3049, the "Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration Exchange Act of 2023"; H.R. 3499, the "Direct Hire to Fight Fires"; H.R. 3675, the "Western Water Accelerated Revenue Repayment Act"; H.R. 4141, to provide that certain communications projects are not subject to requirements to prepare certain environmental or historical preservation reviews, and for other purposes; and H.R. 4377, to amend the Military Lands Withdrawal Act of 1999 with respect to extensions, additions, and revisions to the Barry M. Goldwater Range in Arizona, 10:15 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Oversight and Accountability*, Subcommittee on National Security, the Border, and Foreign Affairs, hearing entitled "Unidentified Anomalous Phenomena: Implications on National Security, Public Safety, and Government Transparency", 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Information Technology, and Government Innovation, hearing entitled "Getting Nowhere: DoD's Failure to Replace the Defense Travel System", 1 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules*, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 4368, the "Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024", 2 p.m., H–313 Capitol.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, Subcommittee on Energy, hearing entitled "Unearthing Innovation: The

Future of Subsurface Science and Technology in the United States”, 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Rural Entrepreneurship: Examining the Challenges and State of Rural Small Businesses”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 3848, the “HOME Act”; H.R. 3943, the “ Servicemember Employment Protection Act of 2023”; H.R. 3874, the “Veterans Education Assistance Improvement Act”; H.R. 3933, the “TAP Promotion Act”; H.R. 4278, the “Restore Department of Veterans Affairs Accountability Act”; H.R. 4461, the “Modernizing Department of Veteran Affairs Disability Benefit Questionnaires Act”; H.R. 3581, the “COPE Act”; H.R. 1767, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that educational assistance paid under Department of Veterans Affairs educational assistance programs to an individual who pursued a program or course of education that was suspended or terminated for certain reasons shall not be charged against the entitlement of the individual, and for other purposes; H.R. 3981, the “Veterans Education Oversight Expansion Act”; H.R. 542, the “Elizabeth Dole Home Care Act of 2023”; and H.R. 984, the “Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act”, 10 a.m., 360 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4822, the “Health Care Price Transparency Act of 2023”; and H.R. 3284, the “Providers and Payers COMPETE Act”, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Commanding Heights: Ensuring U.S. Leadership in the Critical and Emerging Technologies of the 21st Century”, 7 p.m., 390 Cannon.

### Joint Meeting

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe*: to hold hearings to examine rescuing Ukrainian children and women from Russia’s aggression, 10 a.m., 2200, Rayburn Building.

*Joint Hearing*: Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, to hold a joint oversight hearing with the Committee on House Administration to examine the Capitol Police Board, 3:30 p.m., SD–G50.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of July 26 through July 28, 2023

### Senate Chamber

On *Wednesday*, Senate will continue consideration of S. 2226, National Defense Authorization Act.

At 12:15 p.m., Senate will vote on or in relation to Warnock Amendment No. 199, with 60-affirmative votes required for adoption.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Appropriations*: July 27, business meeting to markup and original bill entitled, “Defense Appropriations Act”, an original bill entitled “Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act”, an original bill entitled, “Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act”, and an original bill entitled, “Homeland Security Appropriations Act”, 10:30 a.m., SD–106.

*Committee on Armed Services*: July 26, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lieutenant General Gregory M. Guillot, USAF, to be general and Commander, United States Northern Command/Commander, North American Aerospace Defense Command, and Lieutenant General Stephen N. Whiting, USSF, to be general and Commander, United States Space Command, both of the Department of Defense, 9 a.m., SH–216.

July 26, Subcommittee on Personnel, to hold hearings to examine potential budgetary efficiencies achieved through improvement to management and planning processes within Department of Defense personnel programs, 4 p.m., SD–106.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*: July 26, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine taking account of fees and tactics impacting Americans’ wallets, 9:30 a.m., SD–538.

*Committee on the Budget*: July 26, to hold hearings to examine the fiscal consequences of climate change on infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., SD–608.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*: July 27, business meeting to consider S. 447, to establish a demonstration program for the active remediation of orbital debris and to require the development of uniform orbital debris standard practices in order to support a safe and sustainable orbital environment, S. 484, to require the Secretary of Commerce to provide training and guidance relating to human rights abuses, including such abuses perpetrated against the Uyghur population by the Government of the People’s Republic of China, S. 1153, to require the Secretary of Commerce to establish the National Manufacturing Advisory Council within the Department of Commerce, S. 1303, to require sellers of event tickets to disclose comprehensive information to consumers about ticket prices and related fees, S. 1409, to protect the safety of children on the internet, S. 1418, to amend the Children’s Online Privacy Protection Act of 1998 to strengthen protections relating to the online collection, use, and disclosure of personal information of children and teens, S. 1421, to require origin and location disclosure for new products of foreign origin offered for sale on the internet, S. 1648, to facilitate access to the electromagnetic spectrum for commercial space launches and commercial space reentries, S. 1669, to require the Secretary of Transportation to issue a rule requiring access to AM broadcast stations in motor vehicles, S. 2086, to require the Secretary of Commerce to establish the Sea Turtle Rescue Assistance Grant Program, S. 2116, to require the Secretary of Commerce to produce a report that



provides recommendations to improve the effectiveness, efficiency, and impact of Department of Commerce programs related to supply chain resilience and manufacturing and industrial innovation, and S. 2201, to increase knowledge and awareness of best practices to reduce cybersecurity risks in the United States, 10 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine opportunities for Congress to reform the process for permitting electric transmission lines, pipelines, and energy production on Federal lands, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* July 26, business meeting to consider S. 2195, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to reauthorize the diesel emissions reduction program, S. 2395, to reauthorize wildlife habitat and conservation programs, S. 1381, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, through the Coastal Program of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, to work with willing partners and provide support to efforts to assess, protect, restore, and enhance important coastal landscapes that provide fish and wildlife habitat on which certain Federal trust species depend, S. 1278, to designate the Federal building located at 985 Michigan Avenue in Detroit, Michigan, as the “Rosa Parks Federal Building”, and GSA Resolutions; to be immediately followed by hearings to examine improving capacity for critical mineral recovery through electronic waste recycling and reuse, 9:40 a.m., SD-406.

July 26, Subcommittee on Clean Air, Climate, and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings to examine cleaner trains, focusing on opportunities for reducing emissions from America’s rail network, 2:30 p.m., SD-406.

July 27, Subcommittee on Chemical Safety, Waste Management, Environmental Justice, and Regulatory Oversight, to hold hearings to examine solutions for single-use waste, focusing on expanding refill and reuse infrastructure, 9:45 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance:* July 26, business meeting to consider an original bill entitled, “Modernizing and Ensuring PBM Accountability (MEPA) Act”, 2 p.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine U.S. economic security, focusing on addressing economic coercion and increasing competitiveness, 10 a.m., SD-419.

July 26, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Dennis B. Hankins, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti, James C. O’Brien, of Nebraska, to be an Assistant Secretary (European and Eurasian Affairs), Nathalie Rayes, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia, and Tobin John Bradley, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

July 27, Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Transnational Crime, Civilian Security, Democracy, Human Rights, and Global Women’s Issues, to hold hearings to examine Haiti, focusing on next steps on the international response, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* July 27, business meeting to consider S. 2122, to amend the

Act of August 16, 1937 (commonly referred to as the “National Apprenticeship Act”), to expand the national apprenticeship system to include apprenticeships, youth apprenticeships, and pre-apprenticeships registered under such Act and to promote the furtherance of labor standards necessary to safeguard the welfare of apprentices, S. 2363, to promote and expand high-quality youth apprenticeship programs and provide support and incentives to help employees establish such programs, S. 161, to extend the Federal Pell Grant eligibility of certain short-term programs, S. 2402, to amend the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act to establish a career pathways grant program, an original bill entitled, “Investing in Sectoral Training Partnerships Act”, and other pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* July 26, business meeting to continue consideration of S. 2251, to improve the cybersecurity of the Federal Government, S. 2291, to establish the Northern Border Coordination Center, S. 2289, to direct the Director of the Information Security Oversight Office to assess foreign influence in the National Industrial Security Program and to develop a single, integrated strategy to better identify and mitigate such foreign influence, S. 2278, to establish Image Adjudicator and Supervisory Image Adjudicator positions in the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Office of Field Operations, S. 2248, to require a pilot program on the use of big data analytics to identify vessels evading sanctions and export controls and to require a report on the availability in the United States of emerging and foundational technologies subject to export controls, S. 1332, to require the Office of Management and Budget to revise the Standard Occupational Classification system to establish a separate code for direct support professionals, S. 2219, to amend the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 to expand access to breastfeeding accommodations in the workplace, S. 2292, to improve the transparency of purchases by the Federal Government of data or information that can be used to identify an individual, S. 2286, to improve the effectiveness and performance of certain Federal financial assistance programs, S. 1524, to ensure that whistleblowers, including contractors, are protected from retaliation when a Federal employee orders a reprisal, S. 2283, to prohibit the procurement of certain items containing perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS) or perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and prioritize the procurement of products not containing PFAS, S. 2270, to establish and maintain a database within each agency for executive branch ethics records of noncareer appointees, S. 2293, to establish the Chief Artificial Intelligence Officers Council, Chief Artificial Intelligence Officers, and Artificial Intelligence Governance Boards, S. 2073, to amend title 31, United States Code, to require agencies to include a list of outdated or duplicative reporting requirements in annual budget justifications, S. 2032, to require the reduction of the reliance and expenditures of the Federal Government on legacy information technology systems, S. 1973, to require the purchase of domestically made flags of the United States of America for use by the Federal Government, S. 2256,

to authorize the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency to establish an apprenticeship program and to establish a pilot program on cybersecurity training for veterans and members of the Armed Forces transitioning to civilian life, and S. 2260, to require transparency in notices of funding opportunity, 9 a.m., SD-562.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine Native priorities for the 2023 Farm Bill reauthorization, 2:30 p.m., SD-628.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Margaret M. Garnett, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Jennifer L. Hall, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the District of Delaware, Brandy R. McMillion, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, Karoline Mehalchick, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, and Joseph Albert Laroski, Jr., of Maryland, and Lisa W. Wang, of the District of Columbia, both to be a Judge of the United States Court of International Trade, 10 a.m., SD-226.

July 26, Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the United States Patent and Trademark Office, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* July 26, to hold a joint oversight hearing with the Committee on House Administration to examine the Capitol Police Board, 3:30 p.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine pathways to women's entrepreneurship, focusing on understanding opportunities and barriers, 10 a.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* July 26, to hold hearings to examine implementing the PACT Act, 3 p.m., SR-418.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* July 26, closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters; to be immediately followed by a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH-219.

### House Committees

*Committee on Agriculture,* July 27, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4763, the "Financial Innovation and Technology for the 21st Century Act", 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Education and Workforce,* July 27, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development, hearing entitled "Lowering Costs and Increasing Value for Students, Institutions, and Taxpayers", 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* July 27, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 3385, the "Diaspora Link Act"; H.R. 3369, the "AI Accountability Act"; H.R. 4510, the "NTIA Reauthorization Act of 2023"; H.R. 1435, the "Preserving Choice in Vehicle Purchases Act"; H.R. 4468, the "Choice in Automobile Retail Sales Act of 2023"; and H.R. 4469, the "No Fuel Credits for Batteries Act of 2023", 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services,* July 27, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4766, the "Clarity for Payment

Stablecoins Act of 2023"; legislation on the Keep Your Coins Act of 2023; H.R. 4790, the "Guiding Uniform and Responsible Disclosure Requirements and Information Limits Act of 2023"; H.R. 4767, the "Protecting Americans' Retirement Savings from Politics Act"; H.R. 4823, the "American Financial Institution Regulator Sovereignty and Transparency Act"; H.R. 4655, the "Businesses Over Activists Act"; H.J. Res. 66, a joint resolution disapproving the rule submitted by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau relating to "Small Business Lending Under the Equal Credit Opportunity Act (Regulation B)", 9 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs,* July 27, Subcommittee on Oversight and Accountability, hearing entitled "A Failure to Plan: Examining the Biden Administration's Preparation for the Afghanistan Withdrawal", 10 a.m., HVC-210.

July 27, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Illicit IT: Bankrolling Kim Jong Un", 2 p.m., 2200 Rayburn.

July 27, Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, hearing entitled "Colombia's Descent to Socialism: Assessing Gustavo Petro's Presidency", 2:30 p.m., HVC-210.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* July 27, Subcommittee on Crime and Federal Government Surveillance, hearing entitled "Oversight of the Drug Enforcement Administration", 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

July 27, Subcommittee on the Constitution and Limited Government, hearing entitled "The Dangers and Due Process Violations of 'Gender-Affirming Care' for Children", 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

July 27, Full Committee, markup on a Report Recommending that the House of Representatives Cite Mark Zuckerberg for Contempt of Congress", 2 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Natural Resources,* July 27, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, hearing entitled "Safeguarding American Jobs and Economic Growth: Examining the Future of the Offshore Leasing Program", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

July 27, Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife and Fisheries, hearing on H.R. 1437, the "Black Vulture Relief Act of 2023"; H.R. 1792, the "South Pacific Tuna Treaty Act of 2023"; H.R. 2950, the "Coastal Habitat Conservation Act of 2023"; H.R. 2982, the "New York-New Jersey Watershed Protection Act"; H.R. 4051, the "SHARKED Act"; H.R. 4094, the "Great Salt Lake Stewardship Act"; H.R. 4587, the "Red Snapper Act"; and H.R. 4596, the "Upper Colorado and San Juan River Basins Endangered Fish Recovery Programs Reauthorization Act of 2023", 10:15 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

July 27, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Examining Barriers to Access: Ongoing Visitor Experience Issues at America's National Parks", 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

July 27, Subcommittee on Indian and Insular Affairs, hearing on legislation on the Restoring Accountability in the Indian Health Service Act of 2023, 2:15 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

*Committee on Oversight and Accountability*, July 27, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Oversight and Reauthorization of the Office of National Drug Control Policy”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

July 27, Subcommittee on Health Care and Financial Services, hearing entitled “Hemp in the Modern World: The Yearslong Wait for FDA Action”, 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

July 27, Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Pandemic, hearing entitled “Because I Said So: Examining the Science and Impact of COVID-19 Vaccine Mandates”, 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, July 27, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 4755, the “Privacy Enhancing Technology Research Act”; H.R. 4824, the “Carbon Sequestration Collaboration Act”; legislation on the Abandoned Well Remediation Research and Development Act; H.R. 1069, the “Clean Energy Demonstration Transparency Act of 2023”; H.R. 3915, the “Aviation Weather Improvement Act”; and legislation on the Fire Weather Development Act of 2023, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, July 27, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 1547, the “One Seat Ride Act”; H.R. 4693, the “Tennessee Valley Authority Salary Transparency Act”; H.R. 4762, to amend title 49, United States Code, to extend the non-premium war risk insurance program; H. Res. 609, the “Expressing opposition to Central Business District Tolling Program of New York City”; H.R. 1752, the “Eliminating Barriers to Rural Internet Development Grant Eligibility Act”; H.R. 532, to designate the Federal building and United States

courthouse located at 600 East First Street in Rome, Georgia, as the “Harold L. Murphy Federal Building and United States Courthouse”; H.R. 4688, to direct the Administrator of General Service to sell the property known as the Webster School; and General Services Administration Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

July 27, Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation, hearing entitled “Review of the Recapitalization of the United States Coast Guard Surface, Air, IT, and Shoreside Assets”, 2 a.m., 2253 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs*, July 27, Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs, hearing entitled “VA Disability Exams: Are Veterans Receiving Quality Services?”, 10 a.m., 360 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, July 27, Subcommittee on Oversight, hearing entitled “The Employee Retention Tax Credit Experience: Confusion, Delays, and Fraud”, 2 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

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*Joint Economic Committee*: July 27, to hold hearings to examine the economic impact of diabetes, 10 a.m., SD-192.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

10 a.m., Wednesday, July 26

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

10 a.m., Wednesday, July 26

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*(Senate will recess following the vote on Warnock Amendment No. 199 until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)*

*(Senate will recess from 3 p.m. until 4 p.m. to allow for an all-Senators briefing.)*

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Consideration of H.R. 4366—Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024.

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