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### Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 27, 2022, at 3 p.m.

# House of Representatives

Monday, September 26, 2022

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mrs. DINGELL).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> Washington, DC, September 26, 2022.

I hereby appoint the Honorable Debbie Dingell to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

### PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

This, O Lord, is the day You have made. We shall rejoice and be glad in it. For You have given us these waking hours to appreciate the beauty of Your divine design, Your magnificent creation, the seasons changing, and the world which displays Your handiwork.

Open our eyes to see what You reveal to us today. Then open our hearts that we would discover true joy in Your manifold grace.

Bless those, O Lord, who can find no reason to rejoice. Relieve them of the burdens they bear. Lighten their load that they would have the strength to look up and find You.

Comfort those whose sadness dims their eyes with tears. Grant them hope that will soothe their sorrows and lift their eyes up toward the peace that is to be found in You.

On this day, may all find a way to praise You.

For You, O Lord, are God. You have made light to shine upon us. You are our God, and we will give You thanks. We will exalt You.

We give thanks to You for You are good. Your steadfast love endures forever.

In Your gracious name, we pray. Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House her approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1 of rule I, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE SERGEANT AT ARMS

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives: OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, September 19, 2022.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,

Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives, Washington. DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to section 3(s) of House Resolution 8, following consultation with the Office of Attending Physician, I write to provide you further notification that the public health emergency due to the novel coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 remains in effect.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. WALKER, Sergeant at Arms.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the extension, pursuant to section 3 of House resolution 8, and effective September 27, 2022, of the "covered period" designated on January 4, 2021.

### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 1 of House Resolution 1230, the House stands adjourned until noon on Wednesday, September 28, 2022, for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Wednesday, September 28, 2022, at noon for morning-hour debate.

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-5303. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Development Staff, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Rescission of Dual Labeling Requirements for Certain Packages of Meat and Poultry [Docket Number: FSIS-2018-0012] (RIN: 0583-AD71) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC-5304. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations and Development Staff, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes to Accreditation of Non-Federal Analytical Testing Laboratories [Docket No.: FSIS-2021-0013] (RIN: 0583-AD70) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC-5305. A letter from the Director, Regulations Management Division, Rural Development Innovation Center, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Single Family Housing Guaranteed Loan Program [Docket No.: RHS-21-SFH-003] (RIN: 0575-AD22) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

EC-5306. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Fair Housing Rule, Consumer Protection in Sales of Insurance Rule; Technical Correction (RIN: 3064-AF84) received September 21, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

EC-5307. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Employee Benefits Security Administration, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule -Interpretive Bulletin Relating to the Independence of Employee Benefit Plan Accountants (RIN: 1210-AC15) received September 14, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

EC-5308. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule — Energy Conservation Program: Final Determination of Portable Electric Spas as a Covered Consumer Product [EERE-2022-BT-DET-0006] (RIN: 1904-AF31) received September 14, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5309. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department's final rule — Energy Conservation Program: Test Procedure for Battery Chargers [EERE-2020-BT-TP-0012] (RIN: 1904-AE49) received September 14, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5310. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services,

transmitting the Department's final rule — Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Fumonisin Esterase [Docket No.: FDA-2021-F-0564] received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5311. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.622(j), Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations (Augusta, Maine) [MB Docket No.: 22-150] (RM-11926) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5312. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Big Coppitt Key, Florida) [MB Docket No.: 22-188] (RM-11928) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5313. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.622(j), Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations (Orono, Maine) [MB Docket No.: 22-215] (RM-11929) received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5314. A letter from the Chief, Revenue and Receivables, Financial Operations, Office of Managing Director, Federal Commications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2022 [MD Docket No.: 22-223]; Review of the Commission's Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees [MD Docket No.: 22-301] received September 15, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-5315. A letter from the Director, Congressional Affairs, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's interim final rule — Repayment of Candidate Loans [Notice 2022-17] received September 9, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on House Administration.

EC-5316. A letter from the General Counsel, National Indian Gaming Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Facility License Notifications (RIN: 3141-AA76) received September 13, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-5317. A letter from the General Counsel, National Indian Gaming Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Annual Fee Calculation (RIN: 3141-AA77) received September 21, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources

EC-5318. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Wine Treating Materials and Related Regulations [Docket No.: TTB-2016-0010; T.D. TTB-185; Re: Notice No.: 164] (RIN: 1513-AB61) received September 13, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. TAKANO: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 2250. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the management of information technology projects and investments of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 117–492). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. NADLER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3843. A bill to promote antitrust enforcement and protect competition through adjusting premerger filing fees, and increasing antitrust enforcement resources; with amendments (Rept. 117-493, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. NADLER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3460. A bill to amend title 28 of the United States Code to prevent the transfer of actions arising under the antitrust laws in which a State is a complainant; with amendments (Rept. 117–494). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York: Committee on Oversight and Reform. House Resolution 1243. Resolution of inquiry requesting the President transmit certain documents in his possession to the House of Representatives relating to the Biden family's international business schemes and related information, adversely; with an amendment (Rept. 117–495). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. PALLONE: Committee on Energy and Commerce. House Resolution 1237. Resolution of inquiry requesting the President to provide certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to online censorship of political speech, adversely (Rept. 117–496). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committee on Energy and Commerce discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3843 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. Delbene (for herself, Mr. Blumenauer, Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Mr. Smith of Nebraska, Mr. Kildee, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Higgins of New York, Mr. Panetta, Ms. Chu, Ms. Sewell, Mr. Kilmer, Ms. Plaskett, Mr. Kilmer, Ms. Plaskett, Mr. Moore of Wisconsin, Mr. Suozzi, Mr. Gottheimer, Mr. Larsen of Washington, Mr. Schneider, Ms. Williams of Georgia, Mrs. Axne, Mrs. Murphy of Florida, Mr. Peters, Mr. Wenstrup, Mr. Carbajal, Mr. Pappas, Mr. Trone, and Mr. Casten):

H.R. 8982. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to suspend temporarily rates of duty on imports of certain infant formula base powder used in the manufacturing of infant formula in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BANKS:

H.R. 8983. A bill to rescind certain balances made available to the Internal Revenue

Service and amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently increase the standard deduction; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 8984. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a deduction for certain charity care furnished by physicians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HILL (for himself, Mr. EMMER, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mrs. KIM of California, Mr. DONALDS, Mrs. STEEL, and Ms. SALAZAR):

H.R. 8985. A bill to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to clarify Federal law with respect to reporting certain consumer credit information to consumer reporting agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself and Mr. SMUCKER):

H.R. 8986. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the exemption from the retirement plan early withdrawal penalty for public safety officers to State and local government corrections employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 8987. A bill to amend the Justice for United States Victims of State Sponsored Terrorism Act to authorize appropriations for catch-up payments from the United States Victims of State Sponsored Terrorism Fund; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, and Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

### By Mr. O'HALLERAN:

H.R. 8988. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for requirements for electronic-prescribing for controlled substances under group health plans and group and individual health insurance coverage; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Mr. Rush, Ms. Kuster, Mr. O'Halleran, Mr. Trone, Ms. Spanberger, Mr. Harder of California, Ms. Craig, and Mr. Crow):

H.R. 8989. A bill to lower consumer fuel prices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ (for herself, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. MENG, Mr. NADLER, Ms. TITUS, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. CHU, Mr. BOWMAN, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. ESPAILLAT, and Ms. NEWMAN):

H. Con. Res. 109. Concurrent resolution expressing support for the recognition of September 26, 2022, as "World Contraception Day" and expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding global and domestic access to contraception; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. PORTER:

H. Res. 1395. A resolution requiring Members of the House of Representatives to post monthly activity reports on their official public websites, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Ms. DELBENE:

H.R. 8982.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8

By Mr. BANKS:

H.R. 8983.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress).

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 8984.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Under Article 1, Section 8 of the Constitution, Congress has the power "to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Conestitution in the Government of the United States, or any Department or Officer thereof"

By Mr. HILL:

H.R. 8985.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitu-

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 8986.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 8987.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. O'HALLERAN:

H.R. 8988.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 18, section 8 of article 1 of the Constitution

By Mr. PALLONE:

H R. 8989

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

The Congress shall have power to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 82: Mr. Amodei.

H.R. 336: Mr. KHANNA.

H.R. 677: Mr. SMUCKER.

H.R. 1123: Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. GROTHMAN, and Mr. EMMER.

 $\rm H.R.~1282;~Mr.~Mfume,~Mr.~Price~of~North~Carolina,~and~Mr.~CLINE.$ 

 $\rm H.R.~1948;~Mr.~DAVID~SCOTT~of~Georgia,~Mr.~Mfume,~and~Ms.~Spanberger.$ 

 $\rm H.R.~2549;~Mr.~Foster~and~Mr.~Vicente~Gonzalez~of~Texas.$ 

H.R. 2709: Mr. MFUME.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{H.R.}}$  3095: Mr. WALTZ and Mr. GOODEN of Texas.

H.R. 3281: Mr. Moore of Alabama.

H.R. 3482: Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia.

 $H.R.\ 4390;\ Mr.\ Casten$  and  $Ms.\ Herrell.$ 

H.R. 4436: Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 4753: Mr. Donalds.

H.R. 4965: Mr. MFUME.

H.R. 5703: Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia.

H.R. 5989: Ms. Dean.

H.R. 6273: Mrs. Luria.

 $H.R.\ 6394;\ Mrs.\ FLORES$  and  $Mr.\ CARTER$  of Georgia.

H.R. 6398: Mr. MFUME.

H.R. 6624: Mrs. Spartz.

H.R. 7223: Mr. Moore of Alabama.

 $\rm H.R.~7321;~Mr.~GARBARINO,~Ms.~CRAIG,~and~Ms.~PORTER.$ 

H.R. 7394: Ms. Jackson Lee.

H.R. 7432: Mr. PANETTA.

H.R. 7438: Mr. BARR.

H.R. 7589: Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia.

H.R. 7644: Ms. JAYAPAL and Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER.

H.R. 7993: Mr. PANETTA.

H.R. 8265: Ms. Jackson Lee.

H.R. 8374: Mr. PFLUGER.

H.R. 8450: Mr. Huffman, Mrs. Trahan, Mr. Welch, Mr. Lynch, Ms. Norton, and Ms. Strickland.

H.R. 8508: Ms. Schrier.

H.R. 8637: Ms. JACKSON LEE and Mrs. MIL-LER of West Virginia.

H.R. 8654: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 8657: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 8681: Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. CASE, and Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN.

H.R. 8685: Mr. KIM of New Jersey.

H.R. 8688: Mr. VALADAO.

H.R. 8770: Mr. DOGGETT.

H.R. 8778: Ms. Garcia of Texas, Mrs. Caro-LYN B. Maloney of New York, and Mr. VARGAS.

H.R. 8784: Mrs. LEE of Nevada.

H.R. 8829: Ms. NEWMAN.

 $\rm H.R.$  8856: Mr. Peters.

H.R. 8871: Mr. NEGUSE.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{H.R.}}$  8977: Mr. Kilmer and Mr. Levin of California.

 $\mbox{H.J.}$  Res. 53: Ms. Wasserman Schultz and Ms. Wild.

H.J. Res. 87: Mr. KIND.

H. Con. Res. 89: Mr. MFUME.

H. Res. 1367: Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana.

### EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING JACLYN WULFEKUHLE AS IOWAN OF THE WEEK

### HON. CYNTHIA AXNE

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, September 26, 2022

Mrs. AXNE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Jaclyn Wulfekuhle a tireless advocate for women, and the Director of Women United as Iowan of the Week. March is Women's History Month, so it is important to highlight the great work women are doing across the country to make the United States a better place to Live.

Women United is a diverse, vibrant group bound together by the mission to improve the future of our youngest Central Iowans. They use their voices to represent the children in our community. Their mission is to roll up their sleeves to give the community's youngest learners the best start and leave a legacy of change that makes central lowa better for everyone. Jaclyn has been with United Way for 8 years, most recently as director of Women United and previously as the director of Leadership and giving at LINC, a young professionals' donor group of United Way that she created, which has grown to 200 members in its first two years. She also has helped lead the annual United Way campaign, managing large company relationships.

Women United-formerly known as Women's Leadership Connection-is an organization for any woman who believes that all children deserve quality early care and learning opportunities from birth. Each year, they invest more than \$1.6 million in research-based strategies and programs that create a lasting impact on the next generation. Since 2002, Women United has raised more than \$21 million to improve the network of care and learning that ensures young children are ready to succeed in school. More than 700 of central lowa's most generous and influential women give their time, voice, and resources to support quality early learning and provide opportunities for those who need it most.

Women are the backbone of so many communities throughout our country. It is critical to not only recognize them but to also support women even outside the parameters of women's history month. It is my honor to recognize Jaclyn Wulfekuhle as lowan of the week. I will always fight in congress to support women as well promote and push for legislation that protects women's rights.

COMMEMORATING THE 25TH ANNI-VERSARY OF THE NEW HAMP-SHIRE STATE VETERANS CEME-TERY

### HON. CHRIS PAPPAS

OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, September~26, 2022

Mr. PAPPAS. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of the New Hampshire State Vet-

erans Cemetery on its 25th Anniversary. This incredible milestone is a testament to the impact of the cemetery on the state, and the vital role that it plays in the lives of veterans, their families, and our community.

The New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery is a source of pride to veterans, their families, and New Hampshire. It expresses the state's gratitude for veterans' service to the country by providing and maintaining a dignified final-resting place to honor all veterans and eligible dependents. It gives families the comfort to connect with their lost loved ones and conveys the importance and the value of the veterans' service to our community. Honoring our veterans is not a duty reserved for Memorial Day, Veterans Day, or the 4th of July—it's an ongoing appreciation. This site allows us to honor, remember, and pay our respects.

As Granite Staters seek comfort and guidance, and learn how to best help their neighbors, the New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery remains an important resource here in New Hampshire. The cemetery's Memorial Brick Walkway, 20 Points of History, and Veterans Heritage Learning Center provides in Sights into the role our local heroes played in New Hampshire, American, and global history. The grounds are a living memorial educating and allowing New Hampshire residents to make personal connections to those who have served.

I would like to thank The New Hampshire Veterans Cemetery Association for its dedication to our heroes and congratulate them on 25 years as a symbol of our appreciation for our veterans' service. On behalf of my constituents in New Hampshire's First Congressional District, I congratulate the New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery for its outstanding contributions to the state and wish them continued success.

HONORING PRESIDENT MARCELO REBELO DE SOUSA

### HON. JIM COSTA

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, September 26, 2022

Mr. COSTA. Madam Speaker, I rise today, along with my colleague, Congressman DAVID VALADAO, to honor President Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa of Portugal.

President Rebelo de Sousa has been a champion for the Portuguese people, and a symbolic figure for the thriving Portuguese community here in the Valley. Most recently, he's fought with conviction to mitigate the effects of COVID-19 in Portugal, and ensure a fair and effective economic recovery.

President Rebelo de Sousa was elected to his second term in January 2021, earning 60.70 percent of the vote and finished nearly 48 percentage points above his runner up.

President Rebelo de Sousa led the Social Democratic Party from 1996 to 1999. After the

Social Democratic Party joined the European People's Party (EPP), he served as Vice-President of the EPP. He was a deputy to the Constitutional Assembly in 1976, and served in the 8th Constitutional Government as Secretary of State of the Presidency of the Council of Ministers. He then served as Minister of Parliamentary Affairs.

During his long and esteemed career, President Rebelo de Sousa has worked in journalism, as a political commentator, and in the social sector. For generations of Portuguese, Rebelo de Sousa was a trusted analyst behind much of the news. Before turning 30 he was appointed as assistant director of 'Expresso,' and in 1983 he founded the news organization Semanário. He also worked on TV stations RTP and TVI.

His political career has also included service in local government as Municipal Deputy, Metropolitan Deputy, Councilor and President of the Municipal Assemblies of Cascais, Lisbon, and Celorico de Basto.

He earned his Doctorate in Legal and Political Science and has taught widely, including as a tenured professor at the Faculty of Law at Lisbon University.

On behalf of our Portuguese community in the central valley, we welcome President Rebelo de Sousa to Gustine and Livingston. Portuguese have been making their home in California since the early 16th century. Since then, they've become leaders in politics, education, the military, and agriculture, notably the dairy industry. We're honored by President Rebelo de Sousa's first visit to the Central Valley and he is always welcome here.

Madam Speaker, we ask our colleagues to join us in celebrating and honoring President Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa.

IN RECOGNITION OF JOHN SMITH

### HON. RASHIDA TLAIB

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, September 26, 2022

Ms. TLAIB. Madam Speaker, today I want to recognize John Smith, a member of the Garden City Fire Department, on the occasion of his promotion to Fire Marshal.

Fire Marshal Smith attended Schoolcraft College where he obtained his paramedic training while also attending the fire academy. He began his career in public safety in 2005, working for Huron Valley Ambulance. During his twelve years of service at Huron Valley, he steadily rose through the ranks, ultimately serving as Senior Paramedic in the Ann Arbor and Chelsea area. In addition, Fire Marshal Smith provided valuable support to law enforcement while he served as a member of the Tactical Emergency Medical Services (TEMS) team as a Tactical Casualty Care (TAC) medic for the Michigan State Police Emergency Support Team, Washtenaw Metro SWAT team, and other local law enforcement agencies. During his service, Smith provided them critical medical support during high-risk search

• This "bullet" symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor. Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor. warrants and other law enforcement operations. In addition to his official duties in public service, Smith was also a member of the bike team and worked many special events including medical support for University of Michigan sporting events.

In 2017, Fire Marshal Smith left Huron Valley Ambulance to pursue his dream of working in the fire service. After briefly serving the City of Westland, he came to Garden City where he has remained a dedicated member of the Fire Department. Fire Marshal Smith discovered his passion for fire prevention, completing the city's Fire Inspector I and II and plans examiner training. He worked closely with the former Fire Marshal throughout his training, learning as much as possible before the retirement of his predecessor.

I am honored to witness the swearing in of John Smith as Garden City Fire Marshal. Please join me in wishing him well in his new role, as we give thanks for his service to the people of Garden City in Michigan's 13th District Strong.

HONORING HIS HOLINESS MIRZA MASROOR AHMAD VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES FOR THE INAU-GURATION OF THE FATH-E-AZEEM MOSQUE

### HON. RAJA KRISHNAMOORTHI

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, September 26, 2022

Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHI. Madam Speaker, today, I wish to recognize the visit of His Holiness to the United States for the inauguration of the Fath-E-Azeem Mosque in Zion, Illinois. His Holiness is the worldwide spiritual head of

the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community, comprising millions of people residing in over 200 nations and territories. As the spiritual head of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community, His Holiness tirelessly advocates for world peace, non-violence, human rights, and justice.

His Holiness was elected to his lifelong position on April 22, 2003, becoming the fifth Khalifa of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community. As a result of his election, His Holiness was forced into exile from his home country of Pakistan due to repressive laws restricting the religious freedom of Ahmadi Muslims. Despite the persecution he and the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community continue to face, His Holiness forbids the use of violence and remains devoted to peace and nonviolence, a message of which he promotes through his public speaking engagements, writings, and honorary visits across the globe. Furthermore, he's an active voice in condemning the extremism and radicalization that has too often led to terrorism.

In 2004, His Holiness launched the National Peace Symposium to convene global leaders for discussions of global humanitarian and peacemaking efforts, while promoting a greater understanding of the role of Islam and other faiths in such efforts. He also established the Ahmadiyya Muslim Peace Prize in 2009 as a recognition of those who have demonstrated an exceptional commitment to establishing world peace.

Madam Speaker, I commend the dedicated global peace efforts of His Holiness Mirza Masroor Ahmad upon his historic visit to inaugurate the Fath-E-Azeem Mosque with the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community of Zion, and I further honor the dedicated work of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community's Zion Chapter to unite and serve Zion and the surrounding region.

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF DOVER ADULT LEARNING CENTER

### HON. CHRIS PAPPAS

OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, September 26, 2022

Mr. PAPPAS. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate 50 years of operation of the Dover Adult Learning Center (DALC), one of my state's leaders in providing high quality education. For the past 50 years, DALC has supported community members to reach their full personal, educational, and career potentials. Their efforts are ensuring our current and next generation grows up with the support and mentorship needed to live fulfilling lives.

Since 1968, they have strengthened New Hampshire's workforce and economy. Today, their multiple locations serve as one of the largest adult literacy populations in the state. DALC's commitment to a respectful and responsive environment fosters life-long relationships that lasts years after students graduate. They have proved an important reminder on the power of community in helping those overcome educational and civic participation barriers. Through education, training, and employment, DALC has become a respected leader in the learning space throughout the First District.

On behalf of my constituents in New Hampshire's First Congressional District, I want to congratulate the dedicated staff at the Dover Adult Learning Center for Youth for their 50 years of dedication to this important educational work.

# Daily Digest

### Senate

### Chamber Action

### Committee Meetings

The Senate was not in session and stands adjourned until 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 27, 2022.

No committee meetings were held.

### House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 8 public bills, H.R. 8982–8989; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 109; and H. Res. 1395, were introduced.

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### Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: H.R. 2250, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the management of information technology projects and investments of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–492);

H.R. 3843, to promote antitrust enforcement and protect competition through adjusting premerger filing fees, and increasing antitrust enforcement resources, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–493, Part 1);

H.R. 3460, to amend title 28 of the United States Code to prevent the transfer of actions arising under the antitrust laws in which a State is a complainant, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–494);

H. Res. 1243, of inquiry requesting the President transmit certain documents in his possession to the House of Representatives relating to the Biden family's international business schemes and related information, adversely, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–495); and

H. Res. 1237, of inquiry requesting the President to provide certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to online censorship of political speech, adversely (H. Rept. 117–496). Page H8118

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Dingell to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Communication from the Sergeant at Arms: The House received a communication from William J. Walker, Sergeant at Arms. Pursuant to section 3(s) of House Resolution 8, following consultation with the Office of Attending Physician, Mr. Walker notified the House that the public health emergency due to the novel coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 remains in effect.

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Announcement by the Chair: The Chair announced the extension, pursuant to section 3 of House Resolution 8, and effective September 27, 2022, of the covered period designated on January 4, 2021.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:03 a.m.

### Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

### Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

Committee on Rules and Administration: business meeting to consider S. 4573, to amend title 3, United States Code, to reform the Electoral Count Act, and to amend

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the Presidential Transition Act of 1963 to provide clear guidelines for when and to whom resources are provided by the Administrator of General Services for use in connection with the preparations for the assumption of official duties as President or Vice President, 4 p.m., SR–301.

#### House

Committee on Rules, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 7780, the "Mental Health Matters Act"; H.R. 3843, the "Merger Filing Fee Modernization Act of 2021"; and S. 3969, the "PAVA Program Inclusion Act", 3 p.m., H–313 Capitol.

### CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

### Week of September 26 through September 30, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, September 29, Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations, hearing entitled "A 2022 Review of the Farm Bill: Title XII—Department Operations and Outreach", 9:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, September 29, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Haiti at the Crossroads: Civil Society Responses for a Haitian-led Solution", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, September 29, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law, hearing entitled "Oversight of the Bankruptcy Code, Part 2: Ensuring a Fresh Start for Consumers", 1 p.m., 2141 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Natural Resources, September 29, Full Committee, continue markup on H. Res. 1247, of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Interior to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the 2023–2028 five-year program for offshore oil and gas leasing; H. Res. 1248, of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Interior to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the compliance with the obligations of the Mineral Leasing Act; H. Res. 1251, of inquiry directing the Secretary of Agriculture to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the mineral withdrawal within the Superior National Forest; H. Res. 1252, of inquiry directing

the Secretary of the Interior to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the mineral withdrawal within the Superior National Forest; and H. Res. 1253, of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Interior to transmit certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the actions of the Department of the Interior's Departmental Ethics Office; and H.R. 4690, the "Sustaining America's Fisheries for the Future Act of 2021", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

September 30, Office of Insular Affairs Full Committee, hearing entitled "Puerto Rico's Post-Disaster Reconstruction and Power Grid Development", 9:30 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, September 29, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Examining the Harm to Patients from Abortion Restrictions and the Threat of a National Abortion Ban", 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, September 29, Subcommittee on Research and Technology, hearing entitled "Trustworthy AI: Managing the Risks of Artificial Intelligence", 10:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, September 29, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Investing in our Nation's Transportation Infrastructure and Workers: Why it Matters", 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, September 29, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Veteran Suicide Prevention: Capitalizing on What Works and Increasing Innovative Approaches", 10 a.m., HVC–210 and Zoom.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, September 29, Full Committee, business meeting on Consideration of the Access Request from Representative Doug Lamborn, 10 a.m., HVC–304 Hearing Room.

Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, September 29, Full Committee, hearing entitled "A Big Climate Deal: Lowering Costs, Creating Jobs, and Reducing Pollution with the Inflation Reduction Act", 1:30 p.m., 210 Cannon and Zoom.

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress, September 29, Full Committee, markup on Committee recommendations on Constituent Engagement, Congressional Technology, Schedule, and Other, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Zoom.

Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol, September 28, Full Committee, hearing entitled "January 6 Investigation", 1 p.m., 390 Cannon and Webex.

Next Meeting of the SENATE 3 p.m., Tuesday, September 27

### Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 12 noon, Wednesday, September 28

#### Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 6833, Affordable Insulin Now Act (the legislative vehicle for the Continuing Resolution), and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 5:30 p.m.

#### House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of measures under suspension of the Rules.

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