CORRECTION

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S301–S366*

**Measures Introduced:** Thirty-one bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 200–230, S.J. Res. 4–5, and S. Res. 31–32.          **Pages S347–48**

**Measures Reported:**

H.R. 203, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide for the conduct of annual evaluations of mental health care and suicide prevention programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs, to require a pilot program on loan repayment for psychiatrists who agree to serve in the Veterans Health Administration of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

S. Res. 31, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

S. Res. 32, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.          **Page S347**

**Measures Considered:**

**Keystone XL Pipeline—Agreement:** Senate continued consideration of S. 1, to approve the Keystone XL Pipeline, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:          **Pages S311–38**

Adopted:

By 98 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 10), Whitehouse Amendment No. 29 (to Amendment No. 2), to express the sense of the Senate that climate change is real and not a hoax. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having achieved 60 affirmatives votes, be agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S330**

Rejected:

By 54 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 7), Murkowski (for Lee) Amendment No. 33 (to Amendment No. 2), to conform citizen suits under the Endangered Species Act of 1973. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S328**

By 41 yeas to 58 nays (Vote No. 8), Durbin Amendment No. 69 (to Amendment No. 2), to ensure that the storage and transportation of petroleum coke is regulated in a manner that ensures the protection of public and ecological health. (A unani-mous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S328–29**

By 54 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 9), Murkowski (for Toomey) Amendment No. 41 (to Amendment No. 2), to continue cleaning up fields and streams while protecting neighborhoods, generating affordable energy, and creating jobs. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S329–30**

By 59 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 11), Hoeven Modified Amendment No. 87 (to Amendment No. 2), to express the sense of Congress regarding climate change. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S331**

By 50 yeas to 49 nays (Vote No. 12), Schatz Amendment No. 58 (to Amendment No. 2), to express the sense of Congress regarding climate change. (A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the amendment, having failed to achieve 60 affirmative votes, the amendment was not agreed to.)          **Pages S311, S331**

Pending:

Murkowski Amendment No. 2, in the nature of a substitute.          **Page S311**

Fischer Amendment No. 18 (to Amendment No. 2), to provide limits on the designation of new federally protected land.          **Page S311**

Sanders Amendment No. 24 (to Amendment No. 2), to express the sense of Congress regarding climate change.          **Pages S331–32**

Vitter/Cassidy Modified Amendment No. 80 (to Amendment No. 2), to provide for the distribution of revenues from certain areas of the outer Continental Shelf.          **Pages S332–33**

Menendez/Cantwell Amendment No. 72 (to Amendment No. 2), to ensure private property cannot be seized through condemnation or eminent domain for the private gain of a foreign-owned business entity.          **Pages S333–35**

Wyden Amendment No. 27 (to Amendment No. 2), to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that products derived from tar sands are crude oil for purposes of the Federal excise tax on petroleum. **Pages S335–36**

Lee Amendment No. 71 (to Amendment No. 2), to require a procedure for issuing permits to drill. **Pages S336–38**

Murkowski (for Blunt/Inhofe) Amendment No. 78 (to Amendment No. 2), to express the sense of the Senate regarding the conditions for the President entering into bilateral or other international agreements regarding greenhouse gas emissions without proper study of any adverse economic effects, including job losses and harm to the industrial sector, and without the approval of the Senate. **Page S338**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, January 22, 2015. **Page S365**

**Message from the President:** Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency that was originally declared on January 23, 1995, with respect to foreign terrorists who threaten to disrupt the Middle East peace process; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–2) **Page S344**

**Executive Communications:** **Pages S344–47**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages S348–49**

**Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:** **Pages S349–53**

**Additional Statements:** **Pages S342–44**

**Amendments Submitted:** **Pages S353–64**

**Authorities for Committees to Meet:** **Page S365**

**Record Votes:** Six record votes were taken today. (Total—12) **Pages S328–31**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 6:58 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 22, 2015. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S365.)

# Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

## U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY STRATEGY

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine global challenges and United States national security strategy, after receiving testimony from Brent Scowcroft, The Scowcroft Group, and Zbigniew K. Brzezinski, Center for Strategic and International Studies, both a former U.S. National Security Advisor, both of Washington, DC.

## PROTECTING THE INTERNET AND CONSUMERS

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine protecting the Internet and consumers through Congressional action, after receiving testimony from Meredith Attwell Baker, CTIA—The Wireless Assocation, Gene Kimmelman, Public Knowledge, Robert M. McDowell, Wiley Rein LLP, Paul Misener, Amazon.com, and Nicol E. Turner-Lee, Multicultural Media, Telecom and Internet Council, all of Washington, DC; and W. Tom Simmons, Midcontinent Communications, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 31) authorizing expenditures by the Committee, and adopted its rules of procedure for the 114th Congress.

## IRAN NUCLEAR NEGOTIATIONS

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine Iran nuclear negotiations, focusing on the status of talks and the role of Congress, after receiving testimony from Antony Blinken, Deputy Secretary of State; and David S. Cohen, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Terrorism and Financial Intelligence.

## NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine No Child Left Behind, focusing on testing and accountability, after receiving testimony from Paul Leather, New Hampshire Department of Education Deputy Commissioner of Education, Concord; Martin R. West, Harvard Graduate School of Education, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Tom Boasberg, Denver Public Schools, Denver, Colorado; Jia Lee, The Earth School, and Stephen Lazar, Harvest Collegiate High School, both of New York, New York; and Wade Henderson, The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, Washington, DC.

## NOMINATIONS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Michelle K. Lee, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Daniel