

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S5529–S5557

Measures Introduced: Twelve bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4819–4830 **Page S5551**

Measures Reported:

S. 1524, to ensure that whistleblowers, including contractors, are protected from retaliation when a Federal employee orders a reprisal, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 118–202) **Page S5551**

Measures Passed:

Bald Eagle: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 4610, to amend title 36, United States Code, to designate the bald eagle as the national bird, and the bill was then passed. **Page S5541**

National Fossil Act: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 3574, to amend chapter 3 of title 36, United States Code, to designate the mastodon as the national fossil of the United States, and the bill was then passed. **Pages S5541–44**

Measures Considered:

Tax Relief for American Families and Workers Act—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 7024, to make improvements to the child tax credit, to provide tax incentives to promote economic growth, to provide special rules for the taxation of certain residents of Taiwan with income from sources within the United States, to provide tax relief with respect to certain Federal disasters, to make improvements to the low-income housing tax credit. **Page S5541**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Dorothy Camille Shea, of North Carolina, to be Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador, and the Deputy Representative of

the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations. **Page S5541**

Prior to the consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S5541**

Vacca Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Meredith A. Vacca, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of New York. **Page S5540**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Wednesday, July 31, 2024. **Page S5540**

Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S5540**

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination. **Page S5540**

Saporito, Jr. Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Joseph Francis Saporito, Jr., of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. **Page S5540**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Meredith A. Vacca, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of New York. **Page S5540**

Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S5540**

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination. **Page S5540**

Shea Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Dorothy Camille Shea, of North Carolina, to be Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador and the

Deputy Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Joseph Francis Saporito, Jr., of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. **Page S5541**

Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S5540**

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination.

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Neumann Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann, of Maine, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maine. **Pages S5529–40**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, July 30, 2024; that notwithstanding Rule XXII, the order of Thursday, July 25, 2024, with respect to the House message to accompany 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, be modified so that at 12:00 noon Schumer Amendment No. 3022 (to Amendment No. 3021) be withdrawn and Senate vote on Schumer motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the bill, with Schumer Amendment No. 3021 (to the House amendment to the bill), without further intervening action or de-

bate; that at 2:30 p.m., Senate vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann; and that if cloture is invoked on the nomination, all time be considered expired at 4:15 p.m. **Page S5542**

Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

By 73 yeas to 13 nays (Vote No. EX. 220), Adam B. Landy, of South Carolina, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for a term of fifteen years.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—220) **Page S5540**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 7:25 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 30, 2024. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5557.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House will meet in Pro Forma session at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, July 30, 2024.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D759)

H.R. 3019, to establish an inspections regime for the Bureau of Prisons. Signed on July 25, 2024. (Public Law 118–71)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JULY 30, 2024

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the findings and recommendations of the Commission on the National Defense Strategy, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Policy, to hold hearings to examine banning noncompete agreements, focusing on benefits for workers, businesses, and the economy, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Tourism, Trade, and Export Promotion, to hold hearings to examine rural export opportunities, focusing on enabling rural businesses to grow at home while competing abroad, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine tax tools for local economic development, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine strategic competition with the PRC, focusing on assessing U.S. competitiveness beyond the Indo-Pacific, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Subcommittee on Europe and Regional Security Cooperation, to hold hearings to examine the future of Europe, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: with the Committee on the Judiciary, to hold a joint hearing to examine the security failures leading to the assassination attempt on former President Trump, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on the Judiciary: with the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, to hold a joint hearing to examine the security failures leading to the assassination attempt on former President Trump, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Rules and Administration: to hold hearings to examine Senate procedures to confirm nominees, 2:45 p.m., SR-301.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of July 30 through August 2, 2024

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann, of Maine, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maine.

At 12 noon, Senate will vote on the motion to concur in the House amendment to S. 2073, Eliminate Useless Reports Act (the legislative vehicle for the Kids Online Safety Act/Children and Teens' Online Privacy Protection Act), with Schumer Amendment No. 3021.

At 2:30 p.m., Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann. If cloture is invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 4:15 p.m.

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: August 1, business meeting to markup an original bill entitled, "Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act", an original bill entitled, "Department of Defense Appropriations Act", an original bill entitled, "Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act", and an original bill entitled, "Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act", 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Armed Services: July 30, to hold hearings to examine the findings and recommendations of the Commission on the National Defense Strategy, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: July 30, Subcommittee on Economic Policy, to hold hearings to examine banning noncompete agreements, focusing on benefits for workers, businesses, and the economy, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

July 31, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine long-term economic benefits and impacts from Federal infrastructure and public transportation investment, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on the Budget: July 31, to hold hearings to examine the future of electric vehicles, 10 a.m., SD-608.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: July 30, Subcommittee on Tourism, Trade, and Export Promotion, to hold hearings to examine rural export opportunities, focusing on enabling rural businesses to grow at home while competing abroad, 10 a.m., SR-253.

July 31, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 275, to require the Federal Communications Commission to establish a vetting process for prospective applicants for high-cost universal service program funding, S. 690, to direct the Federal Communications Commission to evaluate and consider the impact of the telecommunications network equipment supply chain on the deployment of universal service, S. 1008, to require the Consumer Product Safety Commission to promulgate a consumer product safety standard with respect to rechargeable lithium-ion batteries used in micromobility devices, S. 1570, to amend the Bottles and Breastfeeding Equipment Screening Act to require hygienic handling of breast milk and baby formula by security screening personnel of the Transportation Security Administration and personnel of private security companies providing security screening, S. 1956, to improve the commercialization of Federal research by domestic manufacturers, S. 2086, to require the Secretary of Commerce to establish the Sea Turtle Rescue Assistance Grant Program, S. 2233, to ban the sale of products with a high concentration of sodium nitrite to individuals, S. 2238, to direct the Assistant

Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information to develop a National Strategy to Close the Digital Divide, S. 2498, to prohibit unfair and deceptive advertising of prices for hotel rooms and other places of short-term lodging, S. 2645, to reduce the health risks of heat by establishing the National Integrated Heat Health Information System within the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the National Integrated Heat Health Information System Interagency Committee to improve extreme heat preparedness, planning, and response, requiring a study, and establishing financial assistance programs to address heat effects, S. 2714, to establish the National Artificial Intelligence Research Resource, S. 3162, to improve the requirement for the Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology to establish testbeds to support the development and testing of trustworthy artificial intelligence systems and to improve interagency coordination in development of such testbeds, S. 3277, to amend the Marine Debris Act to reauthorize the Marine Debris Program of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, S. 3312, to provide a framework for artificial intelligence innovation and accountability, S. 3348, to amend the Harmful Algal Blooms and Hypoxia Research and Control Act of 1998 to address harmful algal blooms, S. 3475, to amend title 49, United States Code, to allow the Secretary of Transportation to designate an authorized operator of the commercial driver's license information system, S. 3606, to reauthorize the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977, S. 3781, to amend the National Telecommunications and Information Administration Organization Act to codify the Institute for Telecommunication Sciences, to direct the Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information to establish an initiative to support the development of emergency communication and tracking technologies, S. 3788, to reauthorize the National Landslide Preparedness Act, S. 3849, to promote United States leadership in technical standards by directing the National Institute of Standards and Technology and the Department of State to take certain actions to encourage and enable United States participation in developing standards and specifications for artificial intelligence and other critical and emerging technologies, S. 3879, to require the Under Secretary of Commerce for Standards and Technology and the Administrator of National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to develop a standard methodology for identifying the country of origin of red snapper imported into the United States, S. 3943, to require a plan to improve the cybersecurity and telecommunications of the U.S. Academic Research Fleet, S. 3959, to require the Transportation Security Administration to streamline the enrollment processes for individuals applying for a Transportation Security Administration security threat assessment for certain programs, including the Transportation Worker Identification Credential and Hazardous Materials Endorsement Threat Assessment programs of the Administration, S. 4107, to require Amtrak to report to Congress information on Amtrak compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 with respect to trains and stations, S. 4178, to establish artificial intelligence standards, metrics, and

evaluation tools, to support artificial intelligence research, development, and capacity building activities, to promote innovation in the artificial intelligence industry by ensuring companies of all sizes can succeed and thrive, S. 4212, to amend the Visit America Act to promote music tourism, S. 4343, to establish and maintain a coordinated program within the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration that improves wildfire, fire weather, fire risk, and smoke related forecasting, detection, modeling, observations, and service delivery, and to address growing needs in the wildland-urban interface, S. 4394, to support National Science Foundation education and professional development relating to artificial intelligence, S. 4487, to require the Secretary of Commerce to develop artificial intelligence training resources and toolkits for United States small businesses, S. 4569, to require covered platforms to remove nonconsensual intimate visual depictions, S. 4579, to reauthorize the Northwest Straits Marine Conservation Initiative Act to promote the protection of the resources of the Northwest Straits, S. 4596, to require the Secretary of Commerce to conduct a public awareness and education campaign to provide information regarding the benefits of, risks relating to, and the prevalence of artificial intelligence in the daily lives of individuals in the United States, an original bill entitled, "Validation and Evaluation for Trustworthy Artificial Intelligence Act", the nomination of Chad M. Cary, of Alaska, to be Director of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, and routine lists in the Coast Guard, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: July 31, business meeting to consider S. 4753, to reform leasing, permitting, and judicial review for certain energy and minerals projects, and the nomination of Shannon A. Estenoz, of Florida, to be Deputy Secretary of the Interior, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: July 31, Subcommittee on Chemical Safety, Waste Management, Environmental Justice, and Regulatory Oversight, to hold hearings to examine understanding the potential environmental impacts of the chemical 6PPD, 2:30 p.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: July 30, to hold hearings to examine tax tools for local economic development, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: July 30, to hold hearings to examine strategic competition with the PRC, focusing on assessing U.S. competitiveness beyond the Indo-Pacific, 10 a.m., SD-419.

July 30, Subcommittee on Europe and Regional Security Cooperation, to hold hearings to examine the future of Europe, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

August 1, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the United States competing for influence around the globe, 10:30 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: July 31, business meeting to consider S. 4776, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2025 through 2029, S. 4762, to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize programs and research relating to autism, S. 4755, to reauthorize

traumatic brain injury programs, and other pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-562.

August 1, Full Committee, business meeting to consider the nominations of Lauren McGarity McFerran, of the District of Columbia, and Joshua L. Ditelberg, of Illinois, both to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board, Mark G. Eskenazi, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, and other pending calendar business, Time to be announced, S-216, Capitol.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: July 30, with the Committee on the Judiciary, to hold a joint hearing to examine the security failures leading to the assassination attempt on former President Trump, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

July 31, Full Committee, business meeting to continue to consider S. 4667, to amend title 31, United States Code, to establish the Life Sciences Research Security Board, S. 4373, to provide for congressional approval of national emergency declarations, S. 4495, to enable safe, responsible, and agile procurement, development, and use of artificial intelligence by the Federal Government, S. 4675, to require the United States Postal Service to submit a comprehensive proposal to the Postal Regulatory Commission before implementing any network changes, S. 4630, to establish an interagency committee to harmonize regulatory regimes in the United States relating to cybersecurity, S. 4654, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to allow Indian tribal governments to directly request fire management assistance declarations and grants, S. 4698, to authorize the Joint Task Forces of the Department of Homeland Security, S. 4711, to limit the consideration of marijuana use when making an employment suitability or security clearance determination, S. 4681, to ensure a timely, fair, meaningful, and transparent process for individuals to seek redress because they were wrongly identified as a threat under the screening and inspection regimes used by the Department of Homeland Security, to require a report on the effectiveness of enhanced screening programs of the Department of Homeland Security, S. 4043, to amend title 5, United States Code, to make executive agency telework policies transparent, to track executive agency use of telework, S. 4679, to amend title XLI of the FAST Act to improve the Federal permitting process, S. 4716, to amend section 7504 of title 31, United States Code, to improve the single audit requirements, S. 4294, to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to negotiate with the Government of Canada regarding an agreement for integrated cross border aerial law enforcement operations, S. 59, to implement merit-based reforms to the civil service hiring system that replace degree-based hiring with skills-and competency-based hiring, S. 4676, to enhance the effectiveness of the Shadow Wolves Program, S. 4672, to require the Commissioner for U.S. Customs and Border Protection to assess current efforts to respond to hazardous weather and water events at or near United States borders and, to the extent such efforts may be improved, to develop a hazardous weather and water events preparedness and response strategy, S. 4697, to enhance the cybersecurity of

the Healthcare and Public Health Sector, S. 4715, to require the National Cyber Director to submit to Congress a plan to establish an institute within the Federal Government to serve as a centralized resource and training center for Federal cyber workforce development, S. 4631, to amend title 41, United States Code, to prohibit minimum education requirements for proposed contractor personnel in certain contract solicitations, S. 4700, to modify the governmentwide financial management plan, S. 4656, to amend title 5, United States Code, concerning restrictions on the participation of certain Federal employees in partisan political activity, S. 4651, to require agencies to use information and communications technology products obtained from original equipment manufacturers or authorized resellers, S. 4419, to require the Science and Technology Directorate in the Department of Homeland Security to develop greater capacity to detect, identify, and disrupt illicit substances in very low concentrations, S. 4321, to amend title 5, United States Code, to prohibit the payment of annuities and retired pay to individuals convicted of certain sex crimes, S. 2546, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 100 North Taylor Lane in Patagonia, Arizona, as the "Jim Kolbe Memorial Post Office", S. 3946, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1106 Main Street in Bastrop, Texas, as the "Sergeant Major Billy D. Waugh Post Office", S. 4077, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 180 Steuart Street in San Francisco, California, as the "Dianne Feinstein Post Office", H.R. 5527, to amend section 1078 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018 to increase the effectiveness of the Technology Modernization Fund, H.R. 7219, to ensure that Federal agencies rely on the best reasonably available scientific, technical, demographic, economic, and statistical information and evidence to develop, issue or inform the public of the nature and bases of Federal agency rules and guidance, H.R. 7524, to amend title 40, United States Code, to require the submission of reports on certain information technology services funds to Congress before expenditures may be made, 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, H.R. 6174, to improve the biodetection functions of the Department of Homeland Security, H.R. 272, to amend title 31, United States Code, to authorize transportation for Government astronauts returning from space between their residence and various locations, H.R. 4403, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to make improvements to the Securing the Cities program, H.R. 5887, to amend chapter 3 of title 5, United States Code, to improve Government service delivery, and build related capacity for the Federal Government, H.R. 7525, to require the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to issue guidance to agencies requiring special districts to be recognized as local government for the purpose of Federal financial assistance determinations, H.R. 4467, to direct the Under Secretary for Management of the Department of Homeland Security to assess contracts

for covered services performed by contractor personnel along the United States land border with Mexico, H.R. 599, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3500 West 6th Street, Suite 103 in Los Angeles, California, as the “Dosan Ahn Chang Ho Post Office”, H.R. 1060, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1663 East Date Place in San Bernardino, California, as the “Dr. Margaret B. Hill Post Office Building”, H.R. 1098, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 50 East Derry Road in East Derry, New Hampshire, as the “Chief Edward B. Garone Post Office”, H.R. 1555, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2300 Sylvan Avenue in Modesto, California, as the “Corporal Michael D. Anderson Jr. Post Office Building”, H.R. 3608, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 28081 Marguerite Parkway in Mission Viejo, California, as the “Major Megan McClung Post Office Building”, H.R. 3728, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 25 Dorchester Avenue, Room 1, in Boston, Massachusetts, as the “Caroline Chang Post Office”, H.R. 5476, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1077 River Road, Suite 1, in Washington Crossing, Pennsylvania, as the “Susan C. Barnhart Post Office”, H.R. 5640, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 12804 Chillicothe Road in Chesterland, Ohio, as the “Sgt. Wolfgang Kyle Weninger Post Office Building”, H.R. 5712, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 220 Fremont Street in Kiel, Wisconsin, as the “Trooper Trevor J. Casper Post Office Building”, H.R. 5985, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 517 Seagaze Drive in Oceanside, California, as the “Charlesetta Reece Allen Post Office Building”, H.R. 6073, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 9925 Bustleton Avenue in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as the “Sergeant Christopher David Fitzgerald Post Office Building”, H.R. 6651, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 603 West 3rd Street in Necedah, Wisconsin, as the “Sergeant Kenneth E. Murphy Post Office Building”, H.R. 7192, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 333 West Broadway in Anaheim, California, as the “Dr. William I. ‘Bill’ Kott Post Office Building”, H.R. 7199, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at S74w16860 Janesville Road, in Muskego, Wisconsin, as the “Colonel Hans

Christian Heg Post Office”, H.R. 7423, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 103 Benedette Street in Rayville, Louisiana, as the “Luke Letlow Post Office Building”, and the nominations of Sherri Malloy Beatty-Arthur, Rahkel Bouchet, Erin Camille Johnston, Ray D. McKenzie, and John Cuong Truong, each to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, Ann C. Fisher, of South Dakota, and Ashley Jay Elizabeth Poling, of North Carolina, both to be a Commissioner of the Postal Regulatory Commission, and Carmen G. Iguina Gonzalez, and Joseph Russell Palmore, both to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 11 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: July 30, with the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, to hold a joint hearing to examine the security failures leading to the assassination attempt on former President Trump, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

July 31, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine pending nominations, 10 a.m., SD-226.

July 31, Subcommittee on Human Rights and the Law, to hold hearings to examine birth behind bars, 2 p.m., SD-226.

August 1, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 1306, to reauthorize the COPS ON THE BEAT grant program, and the nominations of Karla M. Campbell, of Tennessee, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, Julia M. Lipez, of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, Catherine Henry, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Mary Kay Lanthier, to be United States District Judge for the District of Vermont, Mary Kathleen Costello, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Laura Margarete Provinzino, to be United States District Judge for the District of Minnesota, and Noel Wise, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Rules and Administration: July 30, to hold hearings to examine Senate procedures to confirm nominees, 2:45 p.m., SR-301.

Select Committee on Intelligence: July 31, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

House Committees

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Tuesday, July 30

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann, of Maine, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maine.

At 12 noon, Senate will vote on the motion to concur in the House amendment to S. 2073, Eliminate Useless Reports Act (the legislative vehicle for the Kids Online Safety Act/Children and Teens' Online Privacy Protection Act), with Schumer Amendment No. 3021.

At 2:30 p.m., Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Stacey D. Neumann. If cloture is invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 4:15 p.m.

(Senate will recess following the vote on the motion to concur in the House amendment to S. 2073, Eliminate Useless Reports Act, with Schumer Amendment No. 3021, until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

1 p.m., Tuesday, July 30

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: House will meet in Pro Forma session at 1 p.m.



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