

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate met at 10:00:01 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 10:01:33 a.m. until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, October 1, 2024.

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding the order of Wednesday, September 25, 2024, that when the Senate ad-

journs it next convene at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, and not convene at 1 p.m. as previously ordered, and that all other provisions remain in effect.

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Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 9859–9889; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 210; and H. Res. 1520–1523, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Bost to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Dr. Darin M. Wood, First Baptist Church, Midland, TX.

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Senate Referrals: S. 91 was held at the desk. S. 275 was held at the desk. S. 1570 was held at the desk. S. 3475 was held at the desk. S. 3698 was held at the desk. S. 4293 was held at the desk. S. 4489 was held at the desk. S. 5284 was held at the desk. S. 5292 was held at the desk.

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H5835.

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 10:04 a.m.

Committee Meetings

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE'S ROLE IN 2024 ELECTION MAIL READINESS

Committee on Appropriations: On September 26, 2024, Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government held a hearing entitled “United States Postal Service’s Role in 2024 Election Mail Readiness”. Testimony was heard from Louis DeJoy, Postmaster General and Chief Executive Officer, U.S. Postal Service.

EXAMINING PUERTO RICO'S ELECTRICAL GRID AND THE NEED FOR RELIABLE AND RESILIENT ENERGY

Committee on Natural Resources: On September 26, 2024, Subcommittee on Indian and Insular Affairs held a hearing entitled “Examining Puerto Rico’s Electrical Grid and the Need for Reliable and Resilient Energy”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENSURING TIMELY ACCESS: CHALLENGES IN VA SCHEDULING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On September 26, 2024, Subcommittee on Technology Modernization held a hearing entitled “Ensuring Timely Access: Challenges in VA Scheduling”. Testimony was heard

from Hillary Peabody, Acting Assistant Under Secretary for Health for Integrated Veteran Care, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

DIGITAL GI BILL IN DISARRAY: HOLDING THE BIDEN-HARRIS ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNTABLE FOR VA'S COSTLY MISMANAGEMENT

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On September 26, 2024, Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity held a hearing entitled "Digital GI Bill in Disarray: Holding the Biden-Harris Administration Accountable for VA's Costly Mismanagement". Testimony was heard from the following Department of Veterans Affairs officials: Ronald Burke, Under Secretary for Policy and Oversight, Veterans Benefits Administration; Robert Orifici, Executive Director, Benefits and Memorial Services, Office of Information and Technology, Veterans Benefits Administration; Joseph Garcia, Executive Director, Education Services, Veterans Benefits Administration; Nicholas Dahl, Deputy Assistant Inspector General, Management and Administration, Office of the Inspector General; and a public witness.

THE ONGOING INVESTIGATION OF THE BUTLER, PENNSYLVANIA SECURITY FAILURE: THE SECRET SERVICE'S RELIANCE ON STATE AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

Task Force on the Attempted Assassination of Donald J. Trump: On September 26, 2024, Full Committee

held a hearing entitled "The Ongoing Investigation of the Butler, Pennsylvania Security Failure: The Secret Service's Reliance on State and Local Law Enforcement". Testimony was heard from Representatives Crane and Mills; Edward Frederick Lenz, Commander, Butler County Emergency Services Unit, Pennsylvania; Drew Blasko, Patrolman, Police Department, Butler Township, Pennsylvania; John D. Herold, Lieutenant, Pennsylvania State Police; Ariel Goldschmidt, Chief Medical Examiner, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania; and a public witness.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 1, 2024**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Tuesday, October 1

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

11 a.m., Tuesday, October 1

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will meet in a pro forma session.

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: House will meet in Pro Forma session at 11 a.m.

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