

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 4908. Mr. SCHUMER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end add the following:

SEC. ____ . EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Act shall take effect on the date that is 2 days after the date of enactment of this Act.

SA 4909. Mr. SCHUMER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4908 submitted by Mr. SCHUMER and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 1, strike “2” and insert “3”.

SA 4910. Mr. SCHUMER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end add the following:

SEC. ____ . EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Act shall take effect on the date that is 6 days after the date of enactment of this Act.

SA 4911. Mr. SCHUMER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4910 submitted by Mr. SCHUMER and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 3, strike “6” and insert “7”.

SA 4912. Mr. SCHUMER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4911 submitted by Mr. SCHUMER and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 4910 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 1, strike “7” and insert “8”.

SA 4913. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property

of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end add the following:

SEC. ____ . EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Act shall take effect on the date that is 7 days after the date of enactment of this Act.

SA 4914. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4913 submitted by Mr. MCCONNELL and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 3, strike “7 days” and insert “8 days”.

SA 4915. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end add the following:

SEC. ____ . EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Act shall take effect on the date that is 9 days after the date of enactment of this Act.

SA 4916. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4915 submitted by Mr. MCCONNELL and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 3, strike “9” and insert “10”.

SA 4917. Mr. MCCONNELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4916 submitted by Mr. MCCONNELL and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 4915 proposed by Mr. MCCONNELL to the bill H.R. 5746, to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the authority of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to enter into leases of non-excess property of the Administration; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 1, line 1, strike “10” and insert “11”.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

Mr. TESTER. Mr. President, I have 2 requests for committees to meet during today's session of the Senate. They have the approval of the Majority and Minority Leaders.

Pursuant to rule XXVI, paragraph 5(a), of the Standing Rules of the Senate, the following committees are authorized to meet during today's session of the Senate:

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

The Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, January 19, 2022, at 11 a.m., to conduct a hearing on nominations.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

The Select Committee on Intelligence is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, January 19, 2022, at 2 p.m., to conduct closed briefing.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. CASSIDY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that privileges of the floor be granted to the following member of my staff: John Wright Picard, an intern.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

NOMINATION REFERRAL

Mr. SCHUMER. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent, as if in executive session that the nomination of Arun Venkataraman, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service received in the Senate on January 4, 2022, be jointly referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs and the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

APPOINTMENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 117–81, appoints the following individual to serve as a member of the Congressional Commission on the Strategic Posture of the United States: Frank Miller of Pennsylvania.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 2022

Mr. SCHUMER. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 11 a.m. on Thursday, January 20; that following the prayer and the pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate be in a period of morning business with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SCHUMER. Madam President, for the information of Senators, we expect a rollcall vote on confirmation of the Thomas nomination at 12 noon.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 11 A.M.
TOMORROW

Mr. SCHUMER. Madam President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 10:51 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, January 20, 2022, at 11 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

THE JUDICIARY

TIFFANY M. CARTWRIGHT, OF WASHINGTON, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON, VICE BENJAMIN HALE SETTLE, RETIRED.

NUSRAT JAHAN CHOUDHURY, OF NEW YORK, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, VICE JOSEPH FRANK BIANCO, ELEVATED.

ANA ISABEL DE ALBA, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR., RETIRED.

ARIANNA J. FREEMAN, OF PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE THIRD CIRCUIT, VICE THEODORE ALEXANDER MCKEE, RETIRING.

ROBERT STEVEN HUIE, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE MICHAEL M. ANELLO, RETIRED.

NATASHA C. MERLE, OF NEW YORK, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, VICE AN ADDITIONAL POSITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 28 U.S.C. 133 (B) (1).

JENNIFER H. REARDEN, OF NEW YORK, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, VICE RICHARD SULLIVAN, ELEVATED.

NINA NIN-YUEN WANG, OF COLORADO, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO, VICE CHRISTINE M. ARGUELLO, RETIRING.

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be colonel

ANDREW W. MACK