

Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4679. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting additional legislative proposals relative to the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4680. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's fiscal year 2021 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4681. A communication from the Chair of the Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Semiannual Report of the Inspector General and a Management Report for the period from October 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4682. A communication from the Executive Director, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Eighty-First Financial Statement for the period of October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4683. A communication from the Senior Official Performing the Duties of the Officer for Civil Rights and Civil Liberties, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's fiscal year 2021 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. MENENDEZ, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 3589. A bill to require a United States security strategy for the Western Hemisphere, and for other purposes.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. TESTER:

S. 4601. A bill to improve the management and performance of the capital asset programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs so as to better serve veterans, their families, caregivers, and survivors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. SMITH:

S. 4602. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to prohibit the stigmatization of children who are unable to pay for school meals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Ms. SMITH, and Mr. BOOKER):

S. 4603. A bill to posthumously award a Congressional Gold Medal to Prince Rogers Nelson in recognition of his achievements and contributions to the culture of the United States; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Ms. SMITH:

S. 4604. A bill to amend the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990 to authorize grants for eligible institutions to carry out agriculture workforce training programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 4605. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure stability in payments to home health agencies under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. PETERS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. REED, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. SMITH, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 4606. A bill to address the importation and proliferation of firearm modification devices; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRAHAM (for himself, Ms. LUMMIS, Mr. THUNE, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mrs. FISCHER, and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 4607. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to raise the retirement age for pilots engaged in commercial aviation operations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. OSSOFF:

S. Res. 718. A resolution designating the week of July 19 through July 25, 2022, as "Black Maternal Mental Health Awareness Week" and supporting the goal of raising awareness and understanding around maternal mental health conditions as they affect Black individuals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 344

At the request of Mr. TESTER, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) were added as cosponsors of S. 344, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for concurrent receipt of veterans' disability compensation and retirement pay for disability retirees with fewer than 20 years of service and a combat-related disability, and for other purposes.

S. 403

At the request of Mr. YOUNG, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 403, a bill to preserve open competition and Federal Government neutrality towards the labor relations of Federal Government contractors on Federal and federally funded construction projects, and for other purposes.

S. 445

At the request of Ms. HASSAN, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 445, a bill to amend section 303(g) of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 823(g)) to eliminate the

separate registration requirement for dispensing narcotic drugs in schedule III, IV, or V, such as buprenorphine, for maintenance or detoxification treatment, and for other purposes.

S. 692

At the request of Mr. TESTER, the name of the Senator from West Virginia (Mrs. CAPITO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 692, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the female telephone operators of the Army Signal Corps, known as the "Hello Girls".

S. 1183

At the request of Mr. SCHATZ, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1183, a bill to allow veterans to use, possess, or transport medical marijuana and to discuss the use of medical marijuana with a physician of the Department of Veterans Affairs as authorized by a State or Indian Tribe, and for other purposes.

S. 1187

At the request of Mr. BROWN, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. TUBERVILLE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1187, a bill to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to improve the administration of antidumping and countervailing duty laws, and for other purposes.

S. 1522

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. PORTMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1522, a bill to allow reciprocity for the carrying of certain concealed firearms.

S. 1731

At the request of Mr. PAUL, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1731, a bill to provide certain coverage of audiologist services under the Medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 1873

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the names of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. HEINRICH), the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) and the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. CASSIDY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1873, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare coverage of multi-cancer early detection screening tests.

S. 2372

At the request of Mr. HEINRICH, the name of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2372, a bill to amend the Pittman-Robertson Wildlife Restoration Act to make supplemental funds available for management of fish and wildlife species of greatest conservation need as determined by State fish and wildlife agencies, and for other purposes.

S. 2409

At the request of Mr. CASEY, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. HASSAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2409, a bill to require the Secretary of Labor to maintain a publicly available list of all employers

that relocate a call center or contract call center work overseas, to make such companies ineligible for Federal grants or guaranteed loans, and to require disclosure of the physical location of business agents engaging in customer service communications, and for other purposes.

S. 2956

At the request of Mr. COONS, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2956, a bill to advance targeted, high-impact, and evidence-based inventions for the prevention and treatment of global malnutrition, to improve the coordination of such programs, and for other purposes.

S. 3086

At the request of Mr. SCOTT of Florida, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. SULLIVAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3086, a bill to require the Energy Information Administration to submit to Congress and make publicly available an annual report on Federal agency policies and regulations and Executive orders that have increased or may increase energy prices in the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 3505

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KELLY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3505, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude certain Nurse Corps payments from gross income.

S. 3531

At the request of Mr. COONS, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. KAINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3531, a bill to require the Federal Government to produce a national climate adaptation and resilience strategy, and for other purposes.

S. 3621

At the request of Ms. HIRONO, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3621, a bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish a National Climate Adaptation Science Center and Regional Climate Adaptation Science Centers to respond to the effects of extreme weather events and climate trends, and for other purposes.

S. 3664

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3664, a bill to assist in the conservation of the North Atlantic right whale by supporting and providing financial resources for North Atlantic right whale conservation programs and projects of persons with expertise required for the conservation of North Atlantic right whales, and for other purposes.

S. 3686

At the request of Ms. KLOBUCHAR, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Ms. ROSEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3686, a bill to amend the Public Health

Service Act to provide education and training on eating disorders for health care providers and communities, and for other purposes.

S. 3740

At the request of Mr. KELLY, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. LUJÁN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3740, a bill to provide for a comprehensive and integrative program to accelerate microelectronics research and development at the Department of Energy, and for other purposes.

S. 4105

At the request of Mr. BROWN, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4105, a bill to treat certain liquidations of new motor vehicle inventory as qualified liquidations of LIFO inventory for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

S. 4202

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4202, a bill to require an annual budget estimate for the initiatives of the National Institutes of Health pursuant to reports and recommendations made under the National Alzheimer's Project Act.

S. 4203

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO) and the Senator from Colorado (Mr. HICKENLOOPER) were added as cosponsors of S. 4203, a bill to extend the National Alzheimer's Project.

S. 4216

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4216, a bill to reauthorize the North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004, and for other purposes.

S. 4241

At the request of Mr. SULLIVAN, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MARSHALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4241, a bill to amend the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to require investment advisers for passively managed funds to arrange for pass-through voting of proxies for certain securities, and for other purposes.

S. 4293

At the request of Ms. CANTWELL, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4293, a bill to prevent unfair and deceptive acts or practices and the dissemination of false information related to pharmacy benefit management services for prescription drugs, and for other purposes.

S. 4359

At the request of Mr. OSSOFF, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4359, a bill to designate the regional office of the Department of Veterans Affairs in metropolitan Atlanta as the "Senator Johnny Isakson Department of Veterans Affairs Atlanta Regional Office", and for other purposes.

S. 4402

At the request of Mr. BOOKER, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4402, a bill to direct the Attorney General to establish a grant program to establish, implement, and administer the violent incident clearance and technology investigative method, and for other purposes.

S. 4416

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. PORTMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4416, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against tax for charitable donations to nonprofit organizations providing education scholarships to qualified elementary and secondary students.

S. 4420

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) and the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. CASSIDY) were added as cosponsors of S. 4420, a bill to provide for advancements in carbon removal research, quantification, and commercialization, including by harnessing natural processes, and for other purposes.

S. 4441

At the request of Mr. BOOZMAN, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CRAMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4441, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide for peer support specialists for claimants who are survivors of military sexual trauma, and for other purposes.

S. 4466

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4466, a bill to amend the Peace Corps Act by reauthorizing the Peace Corps, providing better support for current, returning, and former volunteers, and for other purposes.

S. 4484

At the request of Mr. DAINES, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BRAUN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4484, a bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to clarify the fiduciary duty of plan administrators to select and maintain investments based solely on pecuniary factors, and for other purposes.

S. 4519

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4519, a bill to prohibit the Federal Government from promoting, supporting, or contracting with abortion entities, or otherwise expanding access to abortions on Federal lands or in Federal facilities.

S. 4539

At the request of Ms. ERNST, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mrs. BLACKBURN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4539, a bill to designate June as the "Month of Life".

S. 4586

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4586, a bill to keep schools physically secure using unobligated Federal funds available to the Secretary of Education to respond to the coronavirus.

S. 4595

At the request of Mr. CASEY, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4595, a bill to support local governments for jurisdictions that elect or appoint a person with a disability in providing the accommodations needed for the elected or appointed official to carry out their official work duties, and to build the capacity of local governments to have consistent and adequate funding for accommodations.

S. 4600

At the request of Mr. CRUZ, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. SCOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 4600, a bill to require the reimposition of sanctions with respect to the FARC.

### SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 718—DESIGNATING THE WEEK OF JULY 19 THROUGH JULY 25, 2022, AS “BLACK MATERNAL MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK” AND SUPPORTING THE GOAL OF RAISING AWARENESS AND UNDERSTANDING AROUND MATERNAL MENTAL HEALTH CONDITIONS AS THEY AFFECT BLACK INDIVIDUALS

Mr. OSSOFF submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 718

Whereas 1 in 8 women and 1 in 6 Black women will suffer from a maternal mental health condition at some point during their lifetimes;

Whereas maternal mental health and substance use disorder conditions initially present during pregnancy or the year following childbirth, stillbirth, or miscarriage, and include depression, anxiety, obsessive compulsive disorder, psychosis, and other conditions;

Whereas suicide and overdose caused by a maternal mental health or substance use disorder condition contribute to the rising maternal mortality rate;

Whereas non-Hispanic Black individuals are 3 times more likely to have a maternal death than white individuals in the United States;

Whereas untreated maternal mental health conditions cost the United States economy \$14,200,000,000 each year due to productivity loss, preterm births, child behavioral and developmental costs, and other health-related costs;

Whereas maternal mental health conditions impair mother-infant interactions causing negative behavioral, cognitive, and emotional impacts on the infant;

Whereas untreated maternal depression during pregnancy leads to a higher risk of preterm and low birth weight delivery and infant mortality;

Whereas many health professionals receive limited or no formal training on providing

culturally appropriate maternity care in diverse communities;

Whereas 50 percent of individuals with a maternal mental health condition never receive treatment, and Black women are less likely than white women to access or continue treatment, or refill a prescription for a maternal mental health condition;

Whereas best practices for the prevention and treatment of maternal mental health conditions include collaborative and culturally and linguistically appropriate models of group prenatal or postpartum care;

Whereas addressing maternal mental health conditions is integral in reaching the Healthy People 2030 goals of the Department of Health and Human Services of a 10 percent reduction of the maternal mortality rate, maternal illnesses and complications due to pregnancy, and the preterm live birth rate; and

Whereas more research on Black maternal mental health outcomes and care, existing State and other programs, and innovative maternity care models designed to reduce racial and ethnic disparities in maternal health outcomes is needed to inform evidence-based treatments, promote prevention and recovery support efforts, facilitate early identification, dispel stigmas and barriers to care, and provide insight on illness causation and the effects of maternal mental health conditions on infants and communities: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Senate—

(1) designates the week of July 19 through July 25, 2022, as “Black Maternal Mental Health Awareness Week”;

(2) supports the goals and ideals of Black Maternal Mental Health Awareness Week to raise public awareness and understanding around maternal mental health conditions and their disproportionate impact on Black women and families;

(3) recognizes the need for culturally and linguistically appropriate prevention, intervention, treatment, and recovery support services for individuals affected by maternal mental health conditions;

(4) acknowledges the need for further research on maternal mental health treatment models that are effective in reducing racial and ethnic disparities in health outcomes; and

(5) encourages Federal, State, and local governments and citizens of the United States—

(A) to support Black Maternal Mental Health Awareness Week through programs and activities; and

(B) to promote public awareness of maternal mental health conditions as those conditions affect Black individuals.

### AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 5158. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 4346, making appropriations for Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5159. Mr. PAUL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5160. Mr. TOOMEY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 3373, to improve the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant and the Children of Fallen Heroes Grant; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5161. Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself and Mr. SULLIVAN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill H.R.

4346, making appropriations for Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5162. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5163. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5164. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5165. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5166. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5167. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5168. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5169. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5170. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 5171. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 5135 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

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SA 5179. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 4346, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.