

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

REPORT OF THE CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY THAT WAS ORIGINALLY DECLARED IN EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224 OF SEPTEMBER 23, 2001, WITH RESPECT TO PERSONS WHO COMMIT, THREATEN TO COMMIT, OR SUPPORT TERRORISM—PM 38

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, within 90 days prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent to the *Federal Register* for publication the enclosed notice stating that the national emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism declared in Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, as amended, is to continue in effect beyond September 23, 2022.

The crisis constituted by the grave acts of terrorism and threats of terrorism committed by foreign terrorists, including the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001, in New York and Pennsylvania and against the Pentagon, and the continuing and immediate threat of further attacks on United States nationals or the United States that led to the declaration of a national emergency on September 23, 2001, has not been resolved. This crisis continues to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. Therefore, I have determined that it is necessary to continue the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13224, as amended, with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, Jr.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 19, 2022.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 3:02 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 302. An act to impose limits on accepting competitive service positions from the competitive service, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2988. An act to amend title 5, United States Code, to modify and enhance protec-

tions for Federal Government whistleblowers, and for other purposes.

H.R. 8326. An act to amend title 13, United States Code, to improve the operations of the Bureau of the Census, and for other purposes.

At 3:57 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Clerk of the House be directed to return to the Senate the bill (S. 1198) to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve and expand the Solid Start program of the Department Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes, in compliance with a request of the Senate for the return thereof.

MEASURES REFERRED

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

H.R. 302. An act to impose limits on accepting competitive service positions from the competitive service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

H.R. 884. An act to direct the Secretary of Transportation to establish a national aviation preparedness plan for communicable disease outbreaks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

H.R. 2988. An act to amend title 5, United States Code, to modify and enhance protections for Federal Government whistleblowers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

H.R. 8326. An act to amend title 13, United States Code, to improve the operations of the Bureau of the Census, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-5020. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting the report of an officer authorized to wear the insignia of the grade of general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5021. A communication from the Senior Official performing the duties of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Energy, Installations, and Environment), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Cleanup: Schedule, Status, and Cost Estimates; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5022. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting the report of sixteen (16) officers authorized to wear the insignia of the grade of major general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5023. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 14064 with respect to certain property of Da Afghanistan Bank; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5024. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 13848 with respect to the threat of foreign interference in or undermining public confidence in United States elections; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5025. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 14014 with respect to the situation in and in relation to Burma; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5026. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 14046 with respect to Ethiopia; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5027. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 13224 with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5028. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 13566 with respect to Libya; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5029. A communication from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the 2020 Annual Report of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC); to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5030. A communication from the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Whistleblower Program Rules" (RIN3235-AN03) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5031. A communication from the Secretary of the Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pay Versus Performance" (RIN3235-AL00) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5032. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Energy Conservation Program: Test Procedure for Ceiling Fans" (RIN1904-AC11) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-5033. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engines; New Source Performance Standards for Stationary Internal Combustion Engines; Court Vacatur" ((RIN2060-AV76) (FRL No. 5300.3-01-OAR)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5034. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Oklahoma; Updates to the General SIP and Incorporation by Reference Provisions" (FRL No. 9085-02-R6) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5035. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Florida; Approval and Promulgation of State Plans for Designated Facilities and Pollutants; Control of Emissions from Existing Municipal Solid Waste Landfills" (FRL No. 9092-02-R4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5036. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Maintenance Plan and Redesignation Request; Nogales PM2.5 Planning Area; Arizona" (FRL No. 9503-02-R9) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5037. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Indiana, Michigan and Minnesota; Revised Startup, Shutdown, and Malfunction Provisions" (FRL No. 9649-02-R5) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5038. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Kentucky; Removal of Excess Emissions Provisions" (FRL No. 9912-02-R4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5039. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS) Program: Alternative RIN Retirement Schedule for Small Refineries" ((RIN2060-AV72) (FRL No. 9821-02-OAR)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5040. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plans; Arizona; Revised Format for Materials Incorporated by Reference; Correcting Amendment" (FRL No. 9602-02-R9) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5041. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Finding of Failure to Submit Regional Haze State Implementation Plans for

the Second Planning Period" (FRL No. 9731-01-OAR) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5042. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; OR; Oakridge PM2.5 Redesignation to Attainment and Maintenance Plan" (FRL No. 9488-02-R10) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5043. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; OR; Oakridge PM10 Redesignation to Attainment and Maintenance Plan" (FRL No. 9489-02-R10) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5044. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Partial Disapproval and Partial Approval; Pennsylvania; Attainment Plan for the Indiana, Pennsylvania Nonattainment Area for the 2010 Sulfur Dioxide Primary National Ambient Air Quality Standard" (FRL No. 9607-02-R3) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5045. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Missouri; Construction Permit Exemptions" (FRL No. 9838-02-R7) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5046. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Partial Disapproval; Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Reasonably Available Control Technology Regulations for the 1997 and 2008 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards" (FRL No. 10115-02-R3) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5047. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Expedited Approval of Alternative Test Procedures for the analysis of Contaminants under the Safe Drinking Water Act; Analysis and Sampling Procedures" (FRL No. 9834-01-OW) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5048. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; Missouri; General Conformity Rescission" (FRL No. 9906-02-R7) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 16, 2022; to

the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5049. A communication from the Wildlife Biologist, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Migratory Bird Subsistence Harvest in Alaska; Harvest Regulations for Migratory Birds in Alaska During the 2022 Season" (RIN1018-BF65) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5050. A communication from the Branch of Administrative Support Services, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Removing *Adiantum vivesii* From the Federal List of Endangered and Threatened Plants" (RIN1018-BE41) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5051. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulatory Guide (RG) 1.82 Rev 5, 'Water Sources for Long-Term Recirculation Cooling Following a Loss-of-Coolant Accident'" received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 9, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5052. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulatory Guide (RG) 8.34 Rev 1, 'Monitoring Criteria and Methods to Calculate Occupational Radiation Doses'" received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2022; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5053. A communication from the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Technical Cybersecurity Support Plan for Public Water Systems"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5054. A communication from the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "America's Water Infrastructure Act (AWIA) Report to Congress - Study on Intractable Public Water Systems Serving Fewer Than 1,000 People: Compliance with National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, Barriers, and Case Studies"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5055. A communication from the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA) Fifth Report to Congress: Highlights of the DERA Program"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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. PADILLA:

S. 4879. A bill to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to permit credit unions to serve certain underserved areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.