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The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 39 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. LANGWORTHY) at 10 p.m.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The Speaker announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 475.—An act to designate the clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Gallup, New Mexico, as the Hiroshi “Hershey” Miyamura VA Clinic.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. VAN ORDEN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 10 p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, September 22, 2023, at 9 a.m.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the third quarter of 2023, pursuant to Public Law 95–384, are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO AUSTRALIA, EXPENDED BETWEEN JULY 29 AND AUG. 8, 2023

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Brett Horton	7/29	8/8	Australia		4,448		14,078.75				18,526.75
Bart Reising	7/29	8/8	Australia		4,448		14,078.75				18,526.75
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Committee total					11,766		34,429.05				46,195.05

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

J. BARTON REISING, Aug. 29, 2023.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO AUSTRALIA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, AND THE SOLOMON ISLANDS, EXPENDED BETWEEN AUG. 8 AND 18, 2023

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Hon. Mike Gallagher	8/10	8/11	Australia		476.00		22,602.95				23,078.95
Hon. Robert Wittman	8/10	8/12	Australia		544.00		29,741.66				30,285.66
Hon. Neal Dunn	8/10	8/17	Australia, Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands		1,715.30		6,124.25				7,839.55
Hon. Aumua Radewagen	8/10	8/17	Australia, Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands		1,715.30		23,062.39				24,777.69
Charles Morrison	8/10	8/17	Australia, Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands		1,715.30		7,075.45				8,790.75
Allison Aprahamian	8/10	8/17	Australia, Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands		1,715.30		7,075.45				8,790.75
Committee total					7,881.20		95,682.15				103,563.35

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HON. MIKE GALLAGHER, Sept. 18, 2023.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC–1935. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Dairy Program, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Dairy Donation Program [Doc. No.: AMS-DA-21-0013] (RIN: 0581-AE00) received September 13, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC–1936. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Cotton and Tobacco — Research and Promotion, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's direct final rule — Cotton Board Rules and Regulations: Adjusting Supplemental Assessment on Imports (2023 Amendments) [Doc. No.: AMS-CN-23-0004] received September 13, 2023, pursuant to

5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC–1937. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Cotton and Tobacco Program, Market News Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Redefining Bona Fide Cotton Spot Markets [Doc. No.: AMS-CN-22-0061] received September 13, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC–1938. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Specialty Crops Program, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Walnuts Grown in California: Order Amending Marketing Order No. 984 [Doc. No.: 22-J-0011; AMS-SC-22-0010; SC22-981-1] received September 13, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Agriculture.

EC–1939. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's Issuance of Regulatory Guide — Quality Assurance Program Criteria (Design and Construction) [Regulatory Guide 1.28, Revision 6] received September 12, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC–1940. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism that was declared in Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-1941. A letter from the Deputy Controller, Office of Federal Financial Management, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the Office's notification of final guidance — Guidance for Grants and Agreements received August 29, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

EC-1942. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report titled "Fiscal Year 2019 Report to Congress on Contract Funding of Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act Awards, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 5325(c); (114 Stat. 733); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1943. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Standards Branch, Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Oil and Gas and Sulfur Operations in the Outer Continental Self-Blowout Preventer Systems and Well Control Revisions [Docket ID: BSEE-2022-0009; EEEE500000 234E1700D2 ET1SF0000.EAQ000] (RIN: 1014-AA52) received August 29, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-1944. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule; Treasury decision — Establishment of the Winters Highlands Viticultural Area [Docket No.: TTB-2022-0013; T.D. TTB-189; Ref: Notice No. 218] (RIN: 1513-AC91) received September 20, 2023, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-1945. A letter from the Chairman, Labor Member, and Management Member, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the 2023 report of the United States Railroad Retirement board for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f(b)(6); Aug. 29, 1935, ch. 812, Sec. 7(b)(6) (as amended by Public Law 97-35, Sec. 1122); (95 Stat. 638); jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. COLE: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 712. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4365) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1130) to repeal restrictions on the export and import of natural gas; and providing for consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 684) condemning the actions of Governor of New Mexico, Michelle Lujan Grisham, for subverting the Second Amendment to the Constitution and depriving the citizens of New Mexico of their right to bear arms (Rept. 118-208). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LUCAS: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 2980. A bill to provide for Department of Energy and National Science Foundation research and development coordination, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 118-209). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. LUCAS: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 4755. A bill to support research on privacy enhancing technologies and promote responsible data use, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 118-210). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. LUCAS: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 3915. A bill to improve the National Weather Service's forecasting of turbulence and acquisition of aviation weather data, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 118-211). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. LUCAS: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. H.R. 1069. A bill to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to require reporting regarding clean energy demonstration projects, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 118-212). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. BONAMICI (for herself and Mr. MOONEY):

H.R. 5615. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act of 2016 to authorize the Attorney General, in coordination with the Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, and the Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy, to award grants to covered entities to establish or maintain disposal sites for unwanted prescription medications, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana (for himself, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. ELLZEY, and Mr. EZELL):

H.R. 5616. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct certain offshore lease sales; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. MCCARTHY (for himself, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. BABIN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. MIKE GARCIA of California, Mr. ISSA, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Mr. OBERNOLTE, Mr. POSEY, and Mr. WEBER of Texas):

H.R. 5617. A bill to amend title 51, United States Code, to extend the learning period for commercial human space flight; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Ms. LOFGREN (for herself and Ms. MATSUI):

H.R. 5618. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Clean Energy Victory Bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself and Mrs. RODGERS of Washington):

H.R. 5619. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to exclude certain military housing allowances from the calculation of household income, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana, Mr. BEYER, Mr. LAMALFA, Ms. NORTON, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. PHILLIPS, Ms. SALAZAR, Mr. WALTZ, Mr. GIMENEZ, and Mr. GUEST):

H.R. 5620. A bill to waive the passport fees for first responders proceeding abroad to aid a foreign country suffering from a natural disaster; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ALFORD:

H.R. 5621. A bill to extend the wildfire and hurricane indemnity program to cover certain crop losses in calendar year 2023, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BACON (for himself, Mr. MANN, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, Ms. CARAVEO, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. SORESENSEN, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia):

H.R. 5622. A bill to make grants to the Girl Scouts of the United States of America, the Boy Scouts of America, the National 4-H Council, and the National FFA Organization to establish pilot projects to expand the programs carried out by the organizations in rural areas and small towns, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Ms. BALINT (for herself and Ms. TOKUDA):

H.R. 5623. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to authorize the President to provide substance use and alcohol use disorder services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BEYER (for himself, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. CONNOLLY, and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 5624. A bill to require Federal, State, and local law enforcement agencies to report information related to allegations of misconduct of law enforcement officers to the Attorney General, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. BONAMICI (for herself, Mr. KILEY, Mrs. CHAVEZ-DEREMER, and Mr. NEGUSE):

H.R. 5625. A bill to establish education partnership programs between public schools and public health agencies to prevent the misuse and overdose of synthetic opioids by youth, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BOST:

H.R. 5626. A bill to require rulemaking by the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to address considerations in evaluating the need for public and individual disaster assistance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BURCHETT:

H.R. 5627. A bill to require a report relating to the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. CLARKE of New York (for herself, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. BUSH, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mrs. TRAHAN, Mr. VEASEY, Ms. BARRAGÁN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. BOWMAN, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CARSON, Ms. PRESSLEY, Ms. WILSON of Florida, and Mr. HUFFMAN):