

Deborah Krauss Smith, great-grand-niece of Seaman Second Class Riley's foster parents, worked diligently to gain approval from the Navy Casualty POW/MIA branch to return Seaman Second Class Riley's remains to Juda, where they will be interred with those of his foster parents, fittingly over Memorial Day weekend 2023.

It is our duty to honor Seaman Second Class Riley and his fellow servicemembers who lost their lives on that fateful day. I ask that we all take a moment to remember SSC David Joseph Riley and to pay tribute to his service and sacrifice.

TRIBUTE TO PAUL CASASCO

Mr. VAN HOLLEN. Mr. President, I rise today to honor the achievements of Mr. Paul Casasco, a senior audio operator for the Senate Chamber, on the occasion of his retirement.

Maryland is home to a robust Federal workforce that serves our country with pride. Federal employees work day-in and day-out to provide vital services to the American people, and I have the honor of representing many of these dedicated individuals.

A native of Howard County, MD, Paul Casasco has served the U.S. Senate with distinction for 37 years. Hired in April 1986, Mr. Casasco was a member of the original team that piloted live national coverage of the Senate floor. Within weeks, the U.S. Senate voted to make this coverage permanent, cementing public access to and transparency of its procedures and activities. Mr. Casasco's contributions have ensured that the Senate Recording Studio has become a modern facility that caters to the body of the Senate. He is the last serving member of the original 1986 team.

Paul Casasco's dedication will be sorely missed in the U.S. Senate. His colleagues and I join in wishing him all the best for a fulfilling and enjoyable next chapter in retirement.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

IOWA BEER CRAFT MONTH

• Ms. ERNST. Mr. President, I rise today to recognize June as Iowa Beer Craft Month. This celebration honors our local craft breweries which contribute so much to the economy and culture of our State.

Iowa's craft beer industry continues to grow and thrive, creating more than \$1 billion in economic impact. Iowa Beer Craft Month offers beer lovers across the State a wonderful opportunity to responsibly explore the unique and amazing flavors and styles of our local breweries, while also supporting Iowa small businesses.

I encourage all who can to raise a glass and toast to the exceptional quality and craftsmanship of Iowa beer.●

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message from the President of the United States was communicated to the Senate by Ms. Kelly, one of his secretaries.

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

REPORT ON THE CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY THAT WAS ORIGINALLY DECLARED IN EXECUTIVE ORDER 13303 OF MAY 22, 2003, WITH RESPECT TO THE STABILIZATION OF IRAQ—PM 13

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 the stabilization of Iraq declared in Executive Order 13303 of May 22, 2003—as modified in scope and relied upon for additional steps taken in Executive Order 13290 of March 20, 2003, Executive Order 13315 of August 28, 2003, Executive Order 13350 of July 29, 2004, Executive Order 13364 of November 29, 2004, Executive Order 13438 of July 17, 2007, and Executive Order 13668 of May 27, 2014—is to continue in effect beyond May 22, 2023.

Obstacles to the orderly reconstruction of Iraq, the restoration and maintenance of peace and security in the country, and the development of political, administrative, and economic institutions in Iraq continue to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security and foreign policy of the United States. Therefore, I have determined that it is necessary to continue the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13303 with respect to the stabilization of Iraq.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR.
THE WHITE HOUSE, May 16, 2023.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 2:15 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 3089. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to modify delayed notice requirements, and for other purposes.

MEASURES REFERRED

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

H.R. 3089. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to modify delayed notice requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MEASURES DISCHARGED PETITION

We, the undersigned Senators, in accordance with chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, hereby direct that the Senate Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 18, a joint resolution disapproving of the rule submitted by the Department of Homeland Security relating to "Public Charge Ground of Inadmissibility" and, further, that the joint resolution be immediately placed upon the Legislative Calendar under General Orders.

Roger Marshall, Mike Crapo, Bill Cassidy, Cindy Hyde-Smith, Ted Budd, Jacky Rosen, Tom Cotton, Josh Hawley, Thom Tillis, Marsha Blackburn, John Thune, John Barrasso, Joni Ernst, Ted Cruz, Cynthia Lummis, Ron Johnson, Sherrod Brown, Markwayne Mullin, John Boozman, Lindsey Graham, Tommy Tuberville, Eric Schmitt, Rick Scott, Mike Lee, Bill Hagerty, Kevin Cramer, Steve Daines, John Kennedy, Mitch McConnell, John Cornyn.

MEASURES DISCHARGED

The following joint resolution was discharged from the Committee on Veterans Affairs, by petition, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 802(c), and placed on the calendar:

S.J. Res. 18. Joint resolution disapproving of the rule submitted by the Department of Homeland Security relating to "Public Charge Ground of Inadmissibility".

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 2. An act to secure the borders of the United States, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

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

EC-1223. A communication from the Secretary of the Senate, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the receipts and expenditures of the Senate for the period from October 1, 2022 through March 31, 2023, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 16, 2023; ordered to lie on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

S. 111. A bill to require each agency, in providing notice of a rulemaking, to include a link to a 100-word plain language summary of the proposed rule (Rept. No. 118-28).

S. 257. A bill to prohibit contracting with persons that have business operations with the Maduro regime, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 118-29).

By Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, with amendments:

S. 479. A bill to modify the fire management assistance cost share, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 118-30).

By Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

S. 780. A bill to require the Comptroller General of the United States to analyze certain legislation in order to prevent duplication of and overlap with existing Federal programs, offices, and initiatives (Rept. No. 118-31).

By Mr. PETERS, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, with amendments:

S. 917. A bill to establish the duties of the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency regarding open source software security, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 118-32).

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. SCOTT of South Carolina (for himself and Ms. HASSAN):

S. 1607. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permit a private cause of action for damages in the case of a group health plan which fails to provide for primary payment or appropriate reimbursement; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. CRUZ, and Mr. KELLY):

S. 1608. A bill to provide for the expansion of the Starr-Camargo Bridge near Rio Grande City, Texas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. WARNER, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. WELCH, Mr. BROWN, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. SMITH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 1609. A bill to direct the Election Assistance Commission to establish a program to make grants to States to provide increased pay for election workers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. KING, Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. WARREN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. WELCH, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. CARPER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. BENNET, Mr. KELLY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. BROWN, Ms. ROSEN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. SMITH, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. CANTWELL, and Ms. CORTEZ MASTO):

S. 1610. A bill to authorize administrative absences and travel and transportation allowances for members of the Armed Forces to travel and obtain reproductive health care; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. SMITH:

S. 1611. A bill to amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to reauthorize the Community Connect Grant Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. KING (for himself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 1612. A bill to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to publish a rule to implement the requirement that the Secretary be permitted to waive the limitation in law on reimbursement of veterans receiving domiciliary care in State homes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. LUJÁN, Mr. TUBERVILLE, and Mr. WARNOCK):

S. 1613. A bill to amend the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018 to reauthorize the feral swine eradication and control pilot program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 1614. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to enhance protections against the importation, and transport between States, of injurious species, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. LANKFORD (for himself, Mr. THUNE, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mr. MARSHALL):

S. 1615. A bill to improve agency rule-making, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY:

S. 1616. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to allow for 12 associate justices of the Supreme Court of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SULLIVAN:

S. 1617. A bill to protect Federal, State, and local public safety officers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. RUBIO, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. YOUNG, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 1618. A bill to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to establish an employee equity investment facility, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Ms. ERNST (for herself and Mr. KAINE):

S. 1619. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense to develop a strategy to counter fentanyl trafficking in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. OSSOFF (for himself and Mr. WARNOCK):

S. 1620. A bill to amend the Military Construction Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2021 to extend the authorization for a construction project at Fort Gillem, Georgia; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. OSSOFF (for himself and Mr. BRAUN):

S. 1621. A bill to provide for an exemption from authorized strength limitations for licensed behavioral health providers; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO:

S. 1622. A bill to discourage speculative oil and gas leasing and to promote enhanced multiple use management of public land and National Forest System land, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. OSSOFF (for himself and Mr. WARNOCK):

S. 1623. A bill to extend the authority of the Department of the Army to carry out a child development center project in Fort Gordon, Georgia; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KAINE (for himself, Mr. MORAN, Mr. HEINRICH, Mr. RUBIO, Ms. SMITH, Mr. DAINES, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. BUDD, Mr. WARNER, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. 1624. A bill to require certain civil penalties to be transferred to a fund through

which amounts are made available for the Gabriella Miller Kids First Pediatric Research Program at the National Institutes of Health, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

S. 1625. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for an election to expense certain qualified sound recording costs otherwise chargeable to capital account; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SCOTT of Florida:

S. 1626. A bill to require the Federal Communications Commission, in consultation with the Federal Trade Commission, to issue rules prohibiting entities from offering minor consumers artificial intelligence features in the products of those entities without parental consent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. KELLY (for himself and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

S. 1627. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to create a tax credit for nurse preceptors; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Mr. MORAN):

S. 1628. A bill to prioritize funding for an expanded and sustained national investment in agriculture research; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. LUJÁN:

S. 1629. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to increase the accountability of the Office of Special Counsel in enforcing certain provisions of that title vigorously, consistently, and without regard to the political affiliation, career status, or personal characteristics of individuals subject to those provisions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HEINRICH (for himself, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. BENNET, Mr. RISCH, Mr. KING, Ms. COLLINS, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. DAINES, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. TESTER, and Mr. ROUNDS):

S. 1630. A bill to modify the procedures for issuing special recreation permits for certain public land units, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself, Mr. JOHNSON, Ms. SINEMA, and Mr. HOEVEN):

S. 1631. A bill to enhance the authority granted to the Department of Homeland Security and Department of Justice with respect to unmanned aircraft systems and unmanned aircraft, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. PETERS):

S.J. Res. 28. A joint resolution providing for the reappointment of Roger W. Ferguson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. PETERS):

S.J. Res. 29. A joint resolution providing for the reappointment of Michael Govan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. PETERS):

S.J. Res. 30. A joint resolution providing for the appointment of Antoinette Bush as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.