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Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, July 29, 2024, at 3 p.m.

House of Representatives

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2024

The House met at 11:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BENTZ).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
July 26, 2024.

I hereby appoint the Honorable CLIFF BENTZ to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

MIKE JOHNSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Rev. John Kellogg, Christ Church Washington Parish, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Almighty God, we commend to Your gracious care and keeping our Representatives in Congress. Defend them day by day with Your heavenly grace, strengthen them in their trials, give them courage to face the perils which beset them, bestow them with wisdom in their leadership of our country, and grant them a sense of Your abiding presence wherever they may be.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 3(z) of House Resolution 5, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from Nicholas A. Ciarlante, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Office of the Sergeant at Arms:

OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, July 25, 2024.

Hon. MIKE JOHNSON,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to notify you formally, pursuant to Rule VIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, that I, Nicholas A. Ciarlante, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Office of the Sergeant at Arms have been served with a subpoena for documents and testimony issued by the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.

After consultation with the Office of General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and rights of the House.

Sincerely,
NICHOLAS A. CIARLANTE,
Deputy Chief Administrative Officer,
Office of the Sergeant at Arms.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 3(z) of House Resolution 5, the House stands adjourned until 1 p.m., Tuesday, July 30, 2024.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 33 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, July 30, 2024, at 1 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV,

EC-4997. A letter from the Acting Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives, transmitting the annual compilation of financial disclosure statements filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives by members of the board of the Office of Congressional Ethics (H. Doc. No. 118-154), was taken from the Speaker's table, referred to the Committee on Ethics and ordered to be printed.

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. BUDZINSKI (for herself, Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida, Mrs. KIGGANS of Virginia, Mr. BERGMAN, and Mr. BILIRAKIS):

H.R. 9179. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish the Office of Falls Prevention of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for

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consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. CARAVEO (for herself, Mr. LAWLER, and Mr. JAMES):

H.R. 9180. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide education assistance to public safety officers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. GRIJALVA):

H.R. 9181. A bill to require all newly constructed, federally assisted, single-family houses and town houses to meet minimum standards of visitability for persons with disabilities; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. SLOTKIN (for herself and Mr. VALADAO):

H.R. 9182. A bill to amend the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977 to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a program under which the Secretary awards grants for purposes of providing training and any related assistance to dairy producers and dairy workers on implementation of risk mitigation strategies related to biosecurity threats, to amend the Agricultural Act of 2014 with respect to emergency assistance for certain losses due to highly pathogenic avian influenza, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CORREA:

H. Res. 1392. A resolution recognizing the significance of “Chicano/Chicana Heritage Month” in August as an important time to celebrate the significant contributions of Mexican Americans to the history of the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

By Mr. D’ESPOSITO:

H. Res. 1393. A resolution requiring each full-time employee of the House of Representatives to complete active shooter training during each Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY AND SINGLE SUBJECT STATEMENTS

Pursuant to clause 7(c)(1) of rule XII and Section 3(c) of H. Res. 5 the following statements are submitted regarding (1) the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution and (2) the single subject of the bill or joint resolution.

By Ms. BUDZINSKI:

H.R. 9179.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution

The single subject of this legislation is:

A bill to establish the Office of Falls Prevention of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes related to falls prevention.

By Ms. CARAVEO:

H.R. 9180.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Constitutional Authority—Necessary and Proper Clause (Art. I, Sec. 8, Clause 18)

THE U.S. CONSTITUTION

The single subject of this legislation is:

To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide education assistance to public safety officers and their dependents.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 9181.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18:

[The Congress shall have Power . . .] To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

The single subject of this legislation is:

Housing and accessibility

By Ms. SLOTKIN:

H.R. 9182.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

The single subject of this legislation is:

This bill addresses the ongoing detections of avian influenza (H5N1) in both dairy cattle and poultry by prioritizing research, supporting producers with indemnification, and improving the bio security practices of the dairy industry.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 733: Ms. ESCOBAR.

H.R. 838: Ms. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 895: Mrs. FOUSHEE, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. CAREY.

H.R. 926: Mrs. SYKES, Mrs. HAYES, and Ms. WATERS.

H.R. 984: Mr. STAUBER and Ms. DELBENE.

H.R. 987: Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 1015: Mrs. HOUGHIN.

H.R. 1088: Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mr. GUEST, Mr. MILLER of Ohio, and Mr. FERGUSON.

H.R. 1118: Ms. JACOBS.

H.R. 1794: Ms. STEFANIK.

H.R. 1795: Mrs. HAYES.

H.R. 1831: Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana and Mr. GUEST.

H.R. 1832: Mr. KIM of New Jersey.

H.R. 2407: Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 3086: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 3258: Ms. LEGER FERNANDEZ.

H.R. 3422: Ms. SALINAS.

H.R. 3498: Mr. DELUZIO, Mr. POCAN, and Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 3592: Ms. CASTOR of Florida.

H.R. 3625: Mrs. DINGELL.

H.R. 3730: Mrs. FOUSHEE.

H.R. 4157: Mr. CORREA, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. MCGARVEY, and Ms. MALLIOTAKIS.

H.R. 4334: Mr. VEASEY.

H.R. 4355: Mr. LAMALFA.

H.R. 4539: Mrs. TRAHAN.

H.R. 4794: Mr. MOORE of Utah.

H.R. 5008: Ms. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 5103: Mr. POSEY and Mr. ROUZER.

H.R. 5566: Ms. WATERS and Ms. SALINAS.

H.R. 5995: Mrs. CHERFILUS-McCORMICK.

H.R. 6041: Mr. MOLINARO.

H.R. 6205: Mr. VASQUEZ and Mr. COSTA.

H.R. 6328: Mr. MCGARVEY.

H.R. 6348: Mr. KEAN of New Jersey.

H.R. 6751: Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. BROWNLEY, Ms. BUDZINSKI, Ms. CARAVEO, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. CHU, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. CRAIG, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. GOLDEN of Maine, Mr. GOTTHEIMER, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HOYER, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. KUSTER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MAST, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. PETERS, Ms.

PETTERSEN, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RASKIN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. STANSBURY, Mr. STANTON, Ms. STEVENS, Mr. SUOZZI, Mr. SWALWELL, Ms. TENNEY, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. TITUS, Mr. TRONE, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Ms. SCHRIER, and Mr. SORESENSEN.

H.R. 6790: Mr. LAWLER, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. POSEY.

H.R. 7213: Mr. SCHNEIDER.

H.R. 7411: Mr. LAWLER.

H.R. 7438: Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. WOMACK, Mr. GARBARINO, Mr. HUIZENGA, and Mr. VAN DREW.

H.R. 7508: Mr. CLINE.

H.R. 7533: Ms. MACE.

H.R. 7539: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 7764: Ms. PETTERSEN.

H.R. 7770: Ms. MANNING, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. BURGESS.

H.R. 7808: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 7891: Mr. MOORE of Utah and Mr. GOLDEN of Maine.

H.R. 7979: Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 8023: Mrs. HAYES.

H.R. 8025: Mr. JAMES and Mr. HORSFORD.

H.R. 8028: Ms. LEE of Florida.

H.R. 8059: Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 8061: Mr. MOYLAN and Mr. LALOTA.

H.R. 8192: Mr. CASTEN.

H.R. 8231: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.

H.R. 8307: Mr. WILLIAMS of New York.

H.R. 8340: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 8419: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 8426: Mr. CASTEN and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 8622: Mrs. RAMIREZ.

H.R. 8624: Mr. DAVIDSON.

H.R. 8744: Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 8777: Mr. McCORMICK.

H.R. 8796: Ms. PEREZ.

H.R. 8827: Ms. STEFANIK.

H.R. 8836: Mr. PFLUGER.

H.R. 8857: Mr. ROUZER.

H.R. 8889: Mr. ROUZER and Mr. CLOUD.

H.R. 8896: Mrs. CHERFILUS-McCORMICK.

H.R. 9001: Mr. CARTER of Georgia.

H.R. 9002: Mr. MOORE of Utah and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 9008: Ms. TOKUDA.

H.R. 9060: Mr. CORREA.

H.R. 9093: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.

H.R. 9106: Mr. D’ESPOSITO.

H.R. 9108: Mrs. RAMIREZ.

H.R. 9120: Mr. CASE, Ms. KUSTER, and Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 9137: Ms. PORTER.

H.R. 9156: Mr. FROST.

H.R. 9161: Mr. SARBANES, Mr. DOGGETT, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 9175: Ms. SCHOLTEN.

H.J. Res. 170: Mr. COLE and Mr. BIGGS.

H. Con. Res. 115: Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. KENNEDY, and Mr. NORCROSS.

H. Res. 1021: Mr. BIGGS.

H. Res. 1381: Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. CHERFILUS-McCORMICK, Mr. LAWLER, Mr. SOTO, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. BARRAGÁN, and Mrs. TRAHAN.

H. Res. 1382: Mr. LANDSMAN.

H. Res. 1384: Ms. TITUS.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 15, July 24, 2024, by Ms. WILD on House Resolution 1346, was signed by the following Members: Ms. Wild, Mr. Quigley, Mr. Levin, Mr. Soto, Mr. Slotkin, Mr. David Scott of Georgia, Ms. Houlahan, Ms. Jacobs, Mr. Krishnamoorthi, Mr. Auchincloss, Mrs. Sykes, Ms. Lois Frankel of Florida, Ms. Clarke of New York, Mr. Horsford, Ms. Garcia of Texas, Ms. Escobar, Mr. Boyle of Pennsylvania, Ms. Brownley, Ms. Underwood, Ms. Lee of Nevada, Mr. Carbajal, Mr. Takano,