

## ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on today, May 20, 2024, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill:

S. 546. An act to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize law enforcement agencies to use COPS grants for recruitment activities, and for other purposes.

## 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-4569. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license amendment for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to the UK in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 23-081); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4570. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license amendment for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Finland, the Netherlands, and the UK in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 23-075); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4571. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting legislative proposals that the Department of Defense requests be enacted during the second session of the 118th Congress; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4572. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the intent to exercise under section 506(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, to provide assistance to Ukraine; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4573. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Memorandum of Justification for the Emergency Arms Transfers to Ukraine under Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4574. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Special Access Program Reporting"; to the Committees on Foreign Relations; Appropriations; and Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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EC-4578. A communication from the Chief Counsel, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's annual report for calendar year 2022; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4579. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license amendment for the export of firearms, parts, and components controlled under Category I of the U.S. Munitions List to Norway in the amount of \$1,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 24-003); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4580. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Determination Under Section 614(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to Provide Assistance to Ukraine"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4581. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 3(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed transfer of major defense equipment, with a sales value of approximately \$95,752,446 (Transmittal No. RSAT-24-10259); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4582. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Index of Legally Marketed Unapproved New Animal Drugs for Minor Species" (Docket No. FDA-2006-N-0239) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 16, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4583. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Annual Report to Congress: Qualifying Payment Amount Audits"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4584. A communication from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting proposed legislation entitled "To amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act to eliminate withdrawal liability when, pursuant to a Department of Energy National Nuclear Security Administration (DOE/NNSA) contract competition, a new contractor is selected to continue operations at a government-owned, contractor-operated facility or site of DOE/NNSA pursuant to a cost reimbursement contract, and to make the changes provided in Section 1"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4585. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Non-Compete Clause Rule" (RIN3084-AB74) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 7, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4586. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of

Disability; Accessibility of Web Information and Services of State and Local Government Entities" (RIN1190-AA79) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2024; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4587. A communication from the Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's 2023 FAIR Act Inventory of Inherently Governmental Activities and Inventory of Commercial Activities; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4588. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting legislative proposals that the Department of Defense requests be enacted during the second session of the 118th Congress; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4589. A communication from the Acting Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's fiscal year 2023 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act) received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4590. A communication from the Chief Executive Officer of Federal Prison Industries, Inc., Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to corrections of misstatements in previously issued Federal Prison Industries's financial statements; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4591. A communication from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting, proposed legislation entitled "To permanently establish an Alternative Personnel System based on the National Nuclear Security Administration's current Pay Bending and Performance-Based Adjustment Demonstration Project and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4592. A communication from the Director, Government Publishing Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's annual report for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4593. A communication from the Director of Equal Employment Opportunity, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Service's fiscal year 2023 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation (No FEAR) Act of 2002 received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4594. A communication from the Administrator of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to OMB's Statistical Policy Directive No. 15: Standards for Maintaining, Collecting, and Presenting Federal Data on Race and Ethnicity (Note: OMB has concluded that this memorandum is not a 'rule' within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. 804(3). Nevertheless, out of an abundance of caution, OMB is submitting it to each House of the Congress and to the Comptroller General consistent with the procedures set forth in 5 U.S.C. 801(a))" received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 22, 2024; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4595. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting a legislative proposal relative to exempting "S" nonimmigrants; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4596. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), transmitting legislative proposals that the Department of Defense requests be enacted during the second session of the 118th Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4597. A communication from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, fourteen (14) reports relative to vacancies in the Department of Justice, received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 3, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4598. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Unaccompanied Children Program Foundational Rule" (RIN0970-AC93) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 22, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4599. A communication from the Chief of the Regulatory Coordination Division, Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Classification for Victims of Severe Forms of Trafficking in Persons; Eligibility for 'T' Nonimmigrant Status" (RIN1615-AA59) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 1, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4600. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Premerger Notification; Reporting and Waiting Period Requirements" (RIN3084-AB36) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 3, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4601. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Merger Guidelines" received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 2, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4602. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of Budget and Program Analysis, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Partnerships for Climate-Smart Commodities-Building Markets and Investing in America's Climate-Smart Farmers, Ranchers & Forest Owners to Strengthen U.S. Rural and Agriculture Communities" received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 8, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4603. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of Budget and Program Analysis, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Indigenous Knowledge Technical Rule" received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 9, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4604. A communication from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Bacillus Thuringiensis Cry1B.868 and Cry1Da.7 Proteins; Exemption From the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 11674-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of

the President of the Senate on May 14, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4605. A communication from the Associate Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tetraniliprole; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 11958-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 14, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4606. A communication from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a violation of the Antideficiency Act that occurred in the Agency Treasury account 1291701D, Economic Research Service; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-4607. A communication from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a violation of the Antideficiency Act that occurred in the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-4608. A communication from the President of the United States transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the designation as emergency requirements all funding (including the transfer and repurposing of funds) so designated by the Congress in the emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024 pursuant to section 251 (b)(2)(A) of the of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as outlined in the enclosed list of accounts received during adjournment of the Senate on April 25, 2024; to the Committee on the Budget.

EC-4609. A communication from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to discretionary appropriations legislation within seven calendar days of enactment (excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays); to the Committee on the Budget.

EC-4610. A communication from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "OMB Final Sequestration Report to the President and Congress for Fiscal Year 2024"; to the Special Committee on Aging; Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Appropriations; Armed Services; Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs; the Budget; Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Energy and Natural Resources; Environment and Public Works; Select Committee on Ethics; Finance; Foreign Relations; Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs; Indian Affairs; Select Committee on Intelligence; the Judiciary; Rules and Administration; Joint Committee on Taxation; Small Business and Entrepreneurship; and Veterans' Affairs.

#### 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. CARPER (for himself, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. KELLY, and Mr. CRAMER):

S. 4367. A bill to provide for improvements to the rivers and harbors of the United States, to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CRUZ (for himself and Mrs. BRITT):

S. 4368. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to require, as a condition of receiving Federal Medicaid funding, that States do not prohibit in vitro fertilization (IVF) services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. KELLY):

S. 4369. A bill to require the Director of the National Counterintelligence and Security Center to develop a strategy and conduct outreach to United States industry, including shipping companies, port operators, and logistics firms, on the risks of smartport technology of the People's Republic of China and other related risks, and for other purposes; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 138

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. CASEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 138, a bill to amend the Tibetan Policy Act of 2002 to modify certain provisions of that Act.

S. 210

At the request of Ms. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 210, a bill to expand employees eligible for leave and employers subject to leave requirements.

S. 831

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. KAINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 831, a bill to address transnational repression by foreign governments against private individuals, and for other purposes.

S. 1516

At the request of Ms. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. DAINES) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1516, a bill to authorize funding to expand and support enrollment at institutions of higher education that sponsor construction and manufacturing-oriented registered apprenticeship programs, and for other purposes.

S. 1631

At the request of Mr. PETERS, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of 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.

S. 2150

At the request of Mr. REED, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mrs. HYDE-SMITH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2150, a bill to establish an Inter-agency Council on Service to promote and strengthen opportunities for military service, national service, and public service for all people of the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 2311

At the request of Mr. PADILLA, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2311, a bill to require the