

Survivors—TAPS—to provide care and resources to the loved ones of fallen servicemembers. He helped support the establishment of the Colorado Fallen Heroes Memorial honoring Coloradans killed during military conflicts of the 20th and 21st centuries. He also aided the development of the Major General Maurice Rose monument honoring the most decorated battle tank commander in American history and the highest ranking Jewish soldier in World War II.

Through decades of philanthropy, Mr. Mizel has helped build stronger American communities by championing anti-poverty, healthcare, and education initiatives, enhancing public safety, and promoting tolerance. He has supported Denver's youth through his contributions to Urban Peak; assisted housing insecure Coloradans through his support of Mercy Housing Mountain Plains, and improved healthcare delivery through his work with the Denver Health Foundation. Since its founding in 2008, Mr. Mizel has led and supported the Counterterrorism Education Learning Lab, which educates the public on threats of terrorism and violent extremism to enhance national safety. An avid supporter of the Jewish community in Colorado and abroad and the founder of the Mizel Museum, Mr. Mizel is dedicated to fighting anti-Semitism, building bridges across backgrounds, and moving closer to a world without hate.

I ask my colleagues to join me in expressing our deepest gratitude and appreciation to Larry A. Mizel for his extraordinary contributions to the Navy SEAL Foundation and our military community, his efforts to enhance public safety and promote inclusion, and his deep commitment to the well-being of American families. Mr. Mizel is a reminder of the power one individual has to shape a better and more secure future for all.●

#### TRIBUTE TO CHRIS HARRIS

● Mr. PADILLA. Madam President, after nearly a quarter century of leadership, Chris Harris will retire this August from his position as the executive director of the Colorado River Board of California. I rise today to honor his legacy of consensus-building and conservation of one of the West's most vital waterways.

Chris got his start in water management in the mid-1980s, investigating water rights and uses as part of the stream adjudication process in Arizona. By 2000, Chris moved to southern California to join the Colorado River Board of California, where he would go on to serve for nearly a decade as executive director.

During his time with the Colorado River Board of California, Chris distinguished himself with his natural ability to find common ground on the thorniest of issues around managing the Colorado River. Chris consistently found ways to bring States, international partners, Tribal governments,

and the Federal Government together to protect the Colorado River. Among his most impressive accomplishments were his successes in forging binational agreements with Mexico, bringing parties together to form California's historic Quantification Settlement Agreement in 2003, establishing the Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program in 2005, and bringing all the Lower Basin States to commit to conserving an additional 3-million-acre feet of water during the period of 2023–2026.

His work with the Colorado River Board has protected a vital resource for the millions of Californians and Americans who depend on it. His leadership demonstrated the qualities we need in environmental management, and his career set a national example for drought mitigation, species preservation, water use, and Tribal engagement.

On a personal note, Chris has been an invaluable partner to me as we have navigated complex negotiations over the future of the Colorado River during my time as a U.S. Senator. But more than that, he has been a selfless teacher and mentor for the next generation of water managers, who now have a blueprint for our State's future thanks to Chris' dedication.

Beyond his role protecting California's water supply, Chris is a Coast Guard veteran, a loving husband to Susan, and a caring father to Doug, Amber, Chelsey, and Jacob.

And while we were never quite able to convert him to become a Dodgers fan or convince him to wear a Lakers jersey, today there is no doubt in my mind that he is as appreciated and as much a Californian as anyone, and California is grateful for his service.

As Chris embarks on this new chapter in his life, his absence will undoubtedly be felt by all those fortunate enough to have collaborated with him. I extend my heartfelt wishes to Chris and his family for a joyful retirement.●

#### RECOGNIZING 7B BOARDSHOP

● Mr. RISCH. Madam President, as a member and former chairman of the Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, each month I recognize and celebrate the American entrepreneurial spirit by highlighting the success of a small business in my home State of Idaho. Today, I am pleased to honor 7B Boardshop as the Idaho Small Business of the Month for August 2024.

Located in Sandpoint, 7B Boardshop provides the growing community with skateboards, snowboards, and related apparel and accessories. North Idaho has a variety of excellent places to skate in the summer and snowboard in the winter, including Schweitzer Ski Resort. 7B Boardshop's owner Rory Whitney grew up in the area and recognized the needs of both local residents and the many tourists who visit our beautiful State.

Rory opened 7B Boardshop in 2010, its name a reference to the license plate number of Bonner County, where Sandpoint is the county seat. His business continues to thrive as customers recognize the high quality of his products and his excellent customer service.

Rory has not merely focused on growing his business since 2010, but has also prioritized serving the community. He helped form the Bonner County Skatepark Association, which is spearheading an expansion of Sandpoint's skate park. The skate park needed significant work to meet the demand of Sandpoint's growing population, and Rory has been a leader in raising money and building community support to complete the project.

Congratulations to Rory Whitney and the employees at 7B Boardshop on their selection as the Idaho Small Business of the Month for August 2024. Thank you for serving Idaho not only as small business owners and entrepreneurs, but also as community leaders. You make our great State proud, and I look forward to your continued growth and success.●

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 11:05 a.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. 8998. An act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025, and for other purposes.

#### MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bill was read the first time:

S. 4973. A bill to reassert the constitutional authority of Congress to determine the general applicability of the criminal laws of the United States, 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-5484. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's activities under the Civil Rights of Institutionalized Persons Act during fiscal year 2023 received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5485. A communication from the Program Analyst, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Oranges, Grapefruit, Tangerines, and Pummelos Grown in Florida; Increased Assessment Rate" (Docket No. AMS-SC-23-0041) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5486. A communication from the Program Analyst, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Olives Grown in California; Decreased Assessment Rate" (Docket No. AMS-SC-23-0087) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5487. A communication from the Program Analyst, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Cranberries Grown in Massachusetts, et al; Termination of Marketing Order and Data Collection Requirements for Cranberries Not Subject to the Marketing Order" (Docket No. AMS-SC-23-0047) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5488. A communication from the Program Analyst, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Raisins Produced From Grapes Grown in California; Temporary Relaxation of Substandard and Maturity Dockage Requirements" (Docket No. AMS-SC-23-0062) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5489. A communication from the Regulatory Specialist, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, advance notice of the Department's intention to accept donations of land which will be incorporated into Congressionally designated wilderness areas; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-5490. A communication from the Manager of Delisting and Foreign Species, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Sira Curassow and Southern Helmeted Curassow" (RIN1018-BG55) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5491. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Prospective Payment System for Federal Fiscal Year 2025 and Updates to the IRF Quality Reporting Program" (RIN0938-AV31) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5492. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "FY 2025 Hospice Wage Index and Payment Rate Update and Hospice Quality Reporting Program Requirements" (RIN0938-AV29) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5493. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "FY 2025 Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities Prospective Payment System - Rate Update Final Rule" (RIN0938-AV32) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5494. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of

Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System and Consolidated Billing for Skilled Nursing Facilities; Updates to the Quality Reporting Program and Value-Based Purchasing Program for Federal Fiscal Year 2025" (RIN0938-AV30) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5495. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems for Acute Care Hospitals and the Long-Term Care Hospital Prospective Payment System and Policy Changes and Fiscal Year 2025 Rates; Quality Programs and Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program Requirements for Eligible Hospitals and Critical Access Hospitals; and Other Policy Changes; Final Rule" (RIN0938-AV34) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5496. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Report of the Attorney General to the Congress of the United States on the Administration of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, for the six months ending June 30, 2023"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5497. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 25-501, "Fiscal Year 2025 Local Budget Act of 2024"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5498. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 25-521, "Medical Cannabis Conditional License and Unlicensed Establishment Closure Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2024"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5499. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 25-520, "2024 Summer Olympics, Paralympic Games, Art All Night, and Dine All Night Temporary Amendment Act of 2024"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5500. A communication from the Program Analyst, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Softwood Lumber Research, Promotion, Consumer Education, and Information Order; Adjustment to Membership" (Docket No. AMS-SC-22-0088) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5501. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's Semiannual Report of the Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2022 through March 31, 2023; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5502. A communication from the Executive Director, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Eighty-Second Financial Statement for the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5503. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Reconsideration of Burial and Memorialization Decisions" (RIN2900-AR37) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 31, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-5504. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulated navigation area; NW Natural Gasco Sediment Site Field Pilot Study, Willamette River, Portland Oregon" ((RIN1625-AA11) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0971)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 10, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5505. 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 "Exercise of Time-Limited Authority to Increase the Numerical Limitation for FY 2023 for the H-2B Temporary Nonagricultural Worker Program and Portability for H-2B Workers Seeking To Change Employers—Resubmission" ((RIN1615-AC82) (RIN1205-AC14)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 5, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5506. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pendimethalin; Pesticide Tolerance" (FRL No. 12049-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5507. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Ethanol, 2,2'-nitrioltris, compd. with a-hydro-hydroxypoly (oxy-1,2-ethanediy) ether with N-[4-[[bis(2-hydroxyethyl)amino]phenyl](2,4-disulphophenyl)methylene]-2,5-cyclohexadien-1-ylidene]-2-hydroxy-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)ethanaminium inner salt (1:4:1); Tolerance Exemption" (FRL No. 12129-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5508. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Potassium Carbonate; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 12153-01-OCSPP) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5509. A communication from the Acting Director of Selective Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Director's Annual Report for calendar year 2023 received in the Office of the President pro tempore; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5510. A communication from the Deputy Director of Congressional Affairs, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Export Control Measures Under the Export Administration Regulations To Address Iranian Aggression Against Israel and Military Support for Russia" (RIN0694-AJ61) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on May 23, 2024; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5511. A communication from the Senior Congressional Liaison, Legislative Affairs, Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Consumer Financial Protection Circular 2024-04” received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5512. A communication from the Special Assistant to the President, Executive Secretary and Deputy Chief of Staff, National Security Council, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a certified addendum to the Transmittal of an amendment to the Agreement Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland for Cooperation on the Uses of Atomic Energy for Mutual Defense Purposes of July 3, 1958 (OSS-2024-0965); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5513. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Passports: Form DS-3053 Statement of Consent” (RIN1400-AF71) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5514. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “Termination Under Section 506(a) (1) and Section 614(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) to Provide Military Assistance to Ukraine”; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5515. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Air Plan Approval; KY; Revisions to Jefferson County Definitions” (FRL No. 11798-02-R4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 17, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5516. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Clean Water Act Methods Update Rule for the Analysis of Effluent” (RIN2040-AG25) (FRL No. 9346-02-OW) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 17, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5517. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Clean Air Act Title V Operating Permit Program Revision; West Virginia” (FRL No. 11788-02-R3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5518. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Air Plan Approval; Colorado; Interim Final Determination to Stay and Defer Sanctions in the Denver Metro/North Front Range 2008 Ozone Nonattainment” (FRL No. 12122-02-R8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5519. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Designations of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Connecticut; Greater

Connecticut 2015 8-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area; Reclassification to Serious” (FRL No. 12126-01-R1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5520. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Designations of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware; Philadelphia-Wilmington-Atlantic City, PA-NJ-MD-DE 2015 8-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area; Reclassification to Serious” (FRL No. 12132-01-R3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5521. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Massachusetts: Final Approval of State Underground Storage Tank Program Revisions, Codification, and Incorporation by Reference” (FRL No. 11752-02-R1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5522. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Approval and Promulgation of State Plans for Designated Facilities and Pollutants; State of Idaho; Delegation of Authority, Federal Plan for Existing Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators” (FRL No. 11570-01-R10) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5523. 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; Kansas; Regional Haze” (FRL No. 11576-02-R7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5524. A communication from the Associate Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Designations of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Maryland; Baltimore, MD 2015 8-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area; Reclassification to Serious” (FRL No. 12131-01-R3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5525. 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; WA; Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference” (FRL No. 11672-01-R10) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5526. A communication from the Congressional and Public Affairs Specialist, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standards-Related Activities and the Export Administration Regulations” (RIN0694-AI06) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5527. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting the report of six (6) officers authorized to wear the insignia of the

grade of brigadier general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5528. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Renewing Nuclear Power Plant Operating Licenses - Environmental Review” (RIN3150-AK32) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5529. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Environmental Evaluation of Accident Tolerant Fuels with Increased Enrichment and Higher Burnup Levels” received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5530. A communication from the Ombudsman, Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “2023 Annual Report to Congress”; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5531. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Veteran and Spouse Transitional Assistance Grant Program” (RIN2900-AR68) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 17, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

EC-5532. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “CHAMPVA Coverage of Audio-Only Telehealth, Mental Health Services, and Cost Sharing for Certain Contraceptive Services and Contraceptive Products Approved, Cleared, or Granted by FDA” (RIN2900-AR55) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 17, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

EC-5533. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “VA Servicer Handbook M26-4 Appendix F: VA Home Retention Waterfall” received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

EC-5534. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “VA Servicer Handbook M26-4, Chapter 9: VA Purchase” received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

EC-5535. A communication from the Regulation Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “VA Manual M26-3, Chapter 9: VA Purchase” received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

EC-5536. A communication from the Management Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class E Airspace; Greenville, NC” (RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2023-1004) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5537. A communication from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Procedures for Transportation Workplace Drug and Alcohol Testing Programs" (RIN2105-AE94) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5538. A communication from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Procedures for Transportation Workplace Drug and Alcohol Testing Programs: Technical Amendments" (RIN2105-AE94) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5539. A communication from the Management Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Management Systems" (RIN2120-AL60) (Docket No. FAA-2021-0419) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5540. A communication from the Chief of the Policy and Rules Division, Office of Engineering and Technology, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Allocation of Spectrum for Non-Federal Space Launch Operations; Amendment of Part 2 of the Commission's Rules for Federal Earth Stations Communicating with Non-Federal Fixed Satellite Service Space Stations; and Federal Space Station Use of the 399.9-400.05 MHz Band" (FCC 23-76) (ET Docket No. 21-363) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5541. A communication from the Chief of the Trade and Commercial Regulations Branch, Bureau of Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological and Ethnological Material of Tunisia" (RIN1515-AE66) (CBP Dec. 24-12) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5542. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Green River, Calhoun, KY" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0498) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5543. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Upper Mississippi River Mile Markers 219.5 to 218.5 Grafton, IL" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0569) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5544. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Special Local Regulations; Recurring Marine Events, Sector Key West, Update" (RIN1625-AA08) (Docket No. USCG-2023-0690) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5545. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant

to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Missouri River, Mile Marker 27-366" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0112) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5546. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Illinois River, Mile Marker 87.1 to 87.7" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0113) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5547. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Corpus Christi Ship Channel, Corpus Christi, TX" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0571) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5548. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Atlantic Ocean, Virginia Beach Oceanfront, VA; Air Show" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0346) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5549. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Security Zones; 2024 Republican National Convention; Lake Michigan, Milwaukee Harbor, Kinnickinnic River, Menomonee River and Milwaukee River, Milwaukee, WI" (RIN1625-AA87) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0254) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5550. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Corpus Christi Ship Channel, Corpus Christi, TX" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0006) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5551. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Redwood City Fourth of July Fireworks, Redwood Creek, Redwood City, CA" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0493) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5552. A communication from the Legal Yeoman, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety Zone; Port of Los Angeles, Main Channel" (RIN1625-AA00) (Docket No. USCG-2024-0562) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5553. A communication from the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Assistance Provided to Foreign Aviation Authorities for FY 2023"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5554. A communication from the Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Incarcerated People's Communications Services; Implementation of the Martha Wright-Reed Act; Rates for Interstate Inmate Calling Services, Report and Order, Order on Reconsideration, Clarification and Waiver, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking" (RIN3060-AK08) (WC Docket Nos. 23-62 and 12-375) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5555. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Definition of Unreasonable Refusal to Deal or Negotiate with Respect to Vessel Space Accommodations Provided by an Ocean Common Carrier" (RIN3072-AC92) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5556. A communication from the Senior Counsel, Executive Office for United States Trustees, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Registration Requirements Under the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Act" (RIN1105-AB52) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5557. A communication from the Acting Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Process for Determining That an Individual Shall Not Be Deemed an Employee of the Public Health Service" (RIN1105-AB37) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 1, 2024; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The following petitions and memorials were laid before the Senate and were referred or ordered to lie on the table as indicated:

POM-171. A resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Fort Bragg, California, supporting a sustained ceasefire in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, a release of all hostages, and immediate humanitarian aid for the civilians of Gaza; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

POM-172. A joint resolution adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee applying to the United States Congress pursuant to Article V of the United States Constitution to call a convention for proposing amendments to set a limit on the number of terms to which a person may be elected as a Member of the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on the number of terms to which a person may be elected as a Member of the United States Senate; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Whereas, Article V of the United States Constitution requires the United States Congress to call a convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the United States Constitution upon application of two-thirds of the legislatures of the several states; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Thirteenth General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby makes an application to Congress, as provided by Article V of the Constitution of the United States of America, to call a convention limited to proposing an amendment to