

**CORRECTION**

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S1127–S1185.*

**Measures Introduced:** Thirty-one bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 576–606, S. Res. 88–91, and S. Con. Res. 6. **Pages S1161–62**

#### Measures Passed:

**Black History Month:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 88, celebrating Black History Month. **Pages S1134–35**

**Congressional Gold Medal:** Senate passed S. 527, to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the Foot Soldiers who participated in Bloody Sunday, Turn-around Tuesday, or in the final Selma to Montgomery Voting Rights March in March of 1965, which served as a catalyst for the Voting Rights Act of 1965. **Pages S1137–38**

**Welcoming the Prime Minister of Israel to the United States:** Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 76, welcoming the Prime Minister of Israel to the United States for his address to a joint meeting of Congress, and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S1150–51**

Cornyn Amendment No. 262, to make a technical correction. **Page S1150**

Cornyn Amendment No. 263, to amend the title. **Page S1151**

**Oregon Shakespeare Festival:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 89, congratulating the Oregon Shakespeare Festival on its 80th year. **Page S1184**

**American Heart Month and National Wear Red Day:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 90, designating February 2015 as “American Heart Month” and February 6, 2015, as “National Wear Red Day”. **Page S1184**

**Read Across America Day:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 91, designating March 2, 2015, as “Read Across America Day”. **Page S1184**

#### Measures Considered:

**Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act—Cloture:** Senate began consideration of

H.R. 240, making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, after agreeing to the motion to proceed, and taking action on the following amendments and motions proposed thereto:

**Pages S1128–29, S1129–34, S1135–37, S1138–50, S1151–52**

Pending:

McConnell (for Cochran) Amendment No. 255, of a perfecting nature. **Page S1151**

McConnell Amendment No. 256 (to Amendment No. 255), to change the enactment date. **Page S1151**

McConnell Amendment No. 257 (to the language proposed to be stricken by Amendment No. 255), to change the enactment date. **Page S1151**

McConnell Amendment No. 258 (to Amendment No. 257), of a perfecting nature. **Page S1151**

McConnell motion to commit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations, with instructions, McConnell Amendment No. 259, to change the enactment date. **Page S1151**

McConnell Amendment No. 260 (to (the instructions) Amendment No. 259), of a perfecting nature. **Page S1151**

McConnell Amendment No. 261 (to Amendment No. 260), of a perfecting nature. **Page S1151**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, and pursuant to the unanimous-consent agreement of Thursday, February 26, 2015, a vote on cloture will occur at 10 a.m., on Friday, February 27, 2015. **Page S1151–52**

A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding rule XXII, at 10 a.m., on Friday, February 27, 2015, Senate vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the bill; that if cloture is invoked, all post-cloture time be yielded back, with the exception of 10 minutes for Senator Lee, or his designee, and that following the use or yielding back of that time, the pending amendments with the exception of McConnell (for Cochran) Amendment No. 255 (listed above) be withdrawn, and Senate vote on or in relation to McConnell (for Cochran) Amendment No. 255; and Senate vote on passage of the bill as amended, if amended; and that there be two minutes of debate equally divided prior

to a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 534, to prohibit funds from being used to carry out certain Executive actions related to immigration. **Page S1152**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at approximately 9:30 a.m., on Friday, February 27, 2015. **Page S1184**

**Immigration Rule of Law Act—Cloture:** Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 534, to prohibit funds from being used to carry out certain Executive actions related to immigration. **Page S1152**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, and pursuant to the unanimous-consent agreement of Thursday, February 26, 2015, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of H.R. 240, making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015. **Page S1152**

#### Appointments:

**National Historical Publications and Records Commission:** The Chair, on behalf of the President of the Senate, pursuant to Public Law 81-754, as amended by Public Law 93-536 and further amended by Public Law 100-365, appointed the following Senator to the National Historical Publications and Records Commission: Senator Sullivan. **Page S1184**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Suzette M. Kimball, of West Virginia, to be Director of the United States Geological Survey.

Andrew LaMont Eanes, of Kansas, to be Deputy Commissioner of Social Security for the term expiring January 19, 2019.

Mileydi Guilarte, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Marcia Denise Occomy, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Director of the African Development Bank for a term of five years.

Mary Barzee Flores, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida.

Julien Xavier Neals, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey.

Routine lists in the Foreign Service.

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 7:19 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Friday, February 27, 2015. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S1184.)

## Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

### APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2016 for the Department of Commerce, after receiving testimony from Penny Pritzker, Secretary of Commerce.

### WORLDWIDE THREATS

**Committee on Armed Services:** Committee concluded open and closed hearings to examine worldwide threats, after receiving testimony from Lieutenant General Vincent R. Stewart, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency, Department of Defense; and James R. Clapper, Director of National Intelligence.

### BUSINESS MEETING

**Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:** Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

H.R. 23, to reauthorize the National Windstorm Impact Reduction Program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 34, to authorize and strengthen the tsunami detection, forecast, warning, research, and mitigation program of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 719, to require the Transportation Security Administration to conform to existing Federal law and regulations regarding criminal investigator positions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 720, to improve intergovernmental planning for and communication during security incidents at domestic airports, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;