

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2015

The Senate will convene at 12:01 AM and resume consider of the House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015). At 1:01 AM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the House Message. Senator McConnell noted that the Senate will stay in session until the House Message has been completed.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015). Motion to Invoke Cloture. Yeas and nays ordered. The Cloture Motion was agreed to by a vote of **63-35**.

Paul Point of Order that the Message violates the Budget Act. Cornyn Motion to Waive the point of order relative to the House message to accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015). Yeas and nays ordered. The motion to waive is agreed to by a vote of **64-35**.

Motion to concur in the House message to accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015). Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Concur was agreed to by a vote of **64-35**.

Motion to Proceed to S. 1140 (Federal Water Quality Protection Act). McConnell Motion to Invoke Cloture.

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 on Tuesday, November 3rd and will resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S. 1140 (Federal Water Quality Protection Act). The Senate will recess from 12:30-2:15 PM for weekly party caucus luncheons. There will be a roll call vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to S. 1140 (Federal Water Quality Protection Act) at 2:30 PM.

The Senate adjourned at 3:14 AM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM. Following Leader remarks, the Senate will resume consideration of the House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

The Senate convened and proceeded with Leader remarks.

H.R. 597 (Reauthorizes the Export-Import Bank). The bill was read for a second time. Further proceedings were objected to, and the bill was placed on the calendar.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

Cantwell asked unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to H.R. 597 (Reauthorizes the Export-Import Bank), that the bill be read a third time and passed. McConnell objected.

The Senate received a Message from the House of Representatives that Paul Ryan has been elected Speaker of the House.

S. 1731 (Homeless Veterans Services Protection Act of 2015) as amended. Agreed to by unanimous consent.

Leahy asked unanimous consent that the Senate pass S. Res. 222 (A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the Federation Internationale de Football Association should immediately eliminate gender pay inequity). Alexander objected.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session and confirmed the following nominations en bloc by unanimous consent:

Cal. # 345 (Thomas Wark to be a Brigadier General in the Air Force).

Cal. # 346 (Howard Purcell to be a Brigadier General in the Air Force).

Cal. # 347 (Allan Swartzmiller to be a Brigadier General in the Air Force).

Cal. # 348 (David Halverson to be a Lt. General in the Army).

Cal. # 349 (Kenneth Dahl to be a Lt. General in the Army).

Cal. # 350 (Erik Torring to be a Brigadier General in the Army).

Cal. # 351 (Thomas Vandal to be a Lt. General in the Army).

Cal. # 352 (Valeria Gonzales-Kerr to be a Brigadier General in the Army).

Cal. # 353 (John Morris to be a Brigadier General in the Army).

Cal. # 354 (Stephen Markovich to be a Major General in the Air Force).

Cal. # 355 (Marta Carcana to be a Brigadier General in the Air Force).

All the nominations on the Secretary's Desk in the Air Force, Army and Navy.

Cal. #343 (Edward L. Gilmore to be U.S. Marshall for the Northern District of Illinois). Agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

Paul asked unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to S. 2182 (Cut, Cap, and Balance Act of 2015) and that the bill be read three times and passed. Wyden objected.

The Senate will convene at 12:01 AM on Friday, October 30th and resume consider of the House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015). At 1:01 AM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the House Message. Senator McConnell noted that the Senate will stay in session until the House Message has been completed.

The Senate adjourned at 10:07 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will proceed with a period of Morning Business until 12:00 PM. While votes are possible, none are scheduled.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded with a Legislative Session.

McConnell motion to proceed to H. R. 3819 (Surface Transportation) and vote on final passage, followed by a vote on Cal. #356, Sarah Feinberg to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration was agreed to.

H. R. 3819 (Surface Transportation Extension Act of 2015). The bill was passed by voice vote

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #356, Sarah Feinberg to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration. Confirmed by voice vote.

The Senate proceeded with a period of Morning Business.

House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

McConnell filed Cloture on the Motion to Concur in the House amendment to Senate amendment to H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

McConnell Motion to Concur in the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1314 with a further amendment #2750. Yeas and nays ordered.

McConnell amend #2751 to amendment #2750. Yeas and nays ordered.

McConnell Motion to Refer the House Message on H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015) with Instructions to report back forthwith with an amendment number 2752. Yeas and nays ordered.

McConnell amend #2753 to the Instructions of the Motion to Refer. Yeas and nays ordered.

McConnell end degree amend #2754 to McConnell amend #2753. Yeas and nays ordered.

H.R. 597 (An act to authorize the Export-Import Bank).

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Thursday, October 29, 2015. Following Leader Remarks the Senate will resume consideration of the House Message to Accompany H.R. 1314 (Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015).

The Senate adjourned at 6:40 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and following Leader remarks, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats). At 11:00 AM, all post-cloture time in relation to Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment) will be considered expired, and the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years).

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended.

Following the disposition of the Franken amendment, the Senate will recess until 2:15 PM for weekly party caucus lunches. At 4:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to the following votes:

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended.

Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate convened and proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment).

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of 41-55.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of 47-49.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended. Yeas and nays ordered. 37-59.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years), as modified. The amendment was agreed to by **Voice Vote**.

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of **35-60**.

The Senate recessed at 1:01 PM until 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate convened and resumed a Legislative Session.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment).

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of **41-54**.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of **22-73**.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended. Agreed to by voice vote.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats). The bill was read a third time, as amended. Yeas and nays ordered on final passage. The bill was passed by a vote of **74-21**.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, October 28, 2015. There will be a period of Morning Business until 12:00 PM.

The Senate adjourned at 6:24 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2015

The Senate will convene at 3:00 PM and will proceed with a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider Cal. #140, Lawrence Joseph Vilardo to be a United States District Judge for the Western District of New York. There will be a 5:30 PM confirmation vote on the nomination.

At 11:00 AM on Tuesday, October 23, 2015, all post-cloture time in relation to Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment) will be considered expired, and the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years).

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended.

Following the disposition of the Franken amendment, the Senate will recess until 2:15 PM for weekly party caucus lunches. At 4:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to the following votes:

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended.

Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

S. 2200 (Amends the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to strengthen equal pay requirements).

The bill was read for a second time. Further proceedings were objected to, and the bill is placed on the calendar.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #140, Lawrence Vilardo to be a United States District Judge for the Western District of New York. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of **88-0**.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

H.R. 313 (Amends Title 5, US Code for veterans with service-connected disabilities). The bill was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

H.R. 639 (Amends the Controlled Substances Act). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 297 (Minnesota Links 2015 WNBA Champions). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, October 27th and following Leader remarks, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats). At 11:00 AM on Tuesday, October 23, 2015, all post-cloture time in relation to Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment) will be considered expired, and the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years).

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended.

Following the disposition of the Franken amendment, the Senate will recess until 2:15 PM for weekly party caucus lunches. At 4:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to the following votes:

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended.

Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate adjourned at 6:13 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats). At 11:00 AM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). If cloture is invoked on the Burr substitute amendment, the Senate will proceed to a vote on Paul amend #2564 (To prohibit liability immunity to applying to private entities that break user or privacy agreements with customers) as modified, with ten minutes of debate prior to the vote. At 1:45 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to vote on the following nominations: Cal. #339 (Julie Furuta-Toy to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea), Cal. #340 (Dennis Hankins to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea), Cal. #341 (Harry Thomas to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zimbabwe) and Cal. #342 (Robert Porter Jackson to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 2193 (A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase penalties for individuals who illegally reenter the United States after being removed). The bill was read for a second time. Further readings were objected to, and the bill is placed on the calendar.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). Motion to Invoke Cloture. The cloture motion was invoked by a vote of **83-14**.

Paul amend #2564 (To prohibit liability immunity to applying to private entities that break user or privacy agreements with customers), as modified. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of **32-65**.

The Senate received a message from the House of Representatives that it has passed H.R. 10 (Scholarships for Opportunity and Results Reauthorization Act), in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #339 (Julie Furuta-Toy to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea). Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination is confirmed by a vote of **93-0**.

Cal. #340 (Dennis Hankins to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea). The nomination is confirmed by **Voice Vote**.

Cal. #341 (Harry Thomas to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zimbabwe). The nomination is confirmed by **Voice Vote**.

Cal. #342 (Robert Porter Jackson to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana). The nomination is confirmed by **Voice Vote**.

S. 799 (Combat the rise of prenatal opioid abuse in neonatal abstinence syndrome). Committee-reported substitute amendment agreed to by Unanimous Consent. The bill, as amended, is agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

At 11:00 AM on Tuesday, all post-cloture time in relation to Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment) will be considered expired, and the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years).

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended.

Following the disposition of the Franken amendment, the Senate will recess until 2:15 PM for weekly party caucus lunches. At 4:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to the following votes:

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended.

Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

If cloture is invoked on the bill, then all post-cloture time will be yielded back and the Senate will vote on passage of the bill, as amended.

The Senate proceeded with an Executive Session to consider the following nominations En Bloc: Cal. #308, Brig. Gen. Barbara R. Holcomb to be Major General in the Army. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal. #309, Maj. Gen. Jack Weinstein to be Lieutenant General in the Air Force. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal. #310, Col. Michael Flanagan to be Brigadier General in the Air Force. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal #311, Col. David Silva to be Brigadier General in the Air Force. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal. #312, Col. Philip Sheridan to be Brigadier General in the Air Force. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal. #313, Col. Timothy LaBarge to be Brigadier General in the Air Force. Confirmed by voice vote.

Cal. #314, Col. Kristan Hericks to be Brigadier General in the Army. Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #315, Brig. Gen. Jody Daniels to be Major General in the Army. Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #316, Vice Adm. Frank Pandolfe to be Vice Admiral in the Navy. Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #317, Rear Adm. Raquel Bono to be Vice Admiral in the Navy. Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #318, Rear Adm. David Johnson to be Vice Admiral in the Navy. Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #319, Lt. Gen. Kenneth McKenzie to be Lieutenant General in the Marine Corps.
Confirmed by voice vote.
Cal. #320, Maj. Gen. William Beydler to be Lieutenant General in the Marine Corps. Confirmed
by voice vote.

The Senate proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 1493 (Provide for an increase in the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 274 (Commemorating the 25th anniversary of the peaceful and democratic reunification of Germany). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 283 (Designating October 2015 as Pilipino-American History Month). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 287 (Condemning the senseless murders and wounding of 18 individuals in Roseburg, Oregon on October 1, 2015). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 288 (Commemorating October 22, 2015 as the 50th anniversary of the enactment of the Highway Beautification Act of 1965). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 294 (Designating October 26, 2015 as “Day of the Deployed”). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 295 (Designating the week of Nov 2 – 6, 2015 as “National Veterans Small Business Week”). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. 2200 (Amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to strengthen equal pay requirements). The first reading of the bill was agreed to. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

The Senate will convene at 3:00 PM on Monday, October 26, 2015 and will proceed with a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider Cal. #140, Lawrence Joseph Vilardo to be a United States District Judge for the Western District of New York. There will be a 5:30 PM confirmation vote on the nomination.

At 11:00 AM on Tuesday, October 23, 2015, all post-cloture time in relation to Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment) will be considered expired, and the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as amended.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as amended.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as amended.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years).

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as amended.

Following the disposition of the Franken amendment, the Senate will recess until 2:15 PM for weekly party caucus lunches. At 4:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to the following votes:

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified.

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), as amended.

Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate adjourned at 5:55 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2015

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). For the purposes of this bill, the substitute amendment will be considered as original text.

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator).

H.R. 208 (Superstorm Sandy Relief and Disaster Loan Program Improvement Act of 2015). The substitute amendment was agreed to. The bill as amended was agreed to by unanimous consent.

H.R. 774 (Illegal, Unreported, and Unregulated Fishing Enforcement Act of 2015). The substitute amendment was agreed to. The bill as amended was agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate agreed by unanimous consent that if cloture is invoked on Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment), the Senate will proceed to a vote on Paul amend #2564 (To prohibit liability immunity to applying to private entities that break user or privacy agreements with customers) as modified, with ten minutes of debate prior to the vote.

S. Res. 291 (Honoring lives of the 33 crew members aboard the El Faro). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 108 (Commemorating the discovery of the Polio vaccine). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. 2193 (A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase penalties for individuals who illegally reenter the United States after being removed). The bill was read for the first time. The second reading of the bill was objected to.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Thursday, October 22, 2015 and will resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats). At 11:00 AM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). If cloture is invoked on the Burr

substitute amendment, the Senate will proceed to a vote on Paul amend #2564 (To prohibit liability immunity to applying to private entities that break user or privacy agreements with customers) as modified, with ten minutes of debate prior to the vote. At 1:45 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to vote on the following nominations: Cal. #339 (Julie Furuta-Toy to be Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea), Cal. #340 (Dennis Hankins to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea), Cal. #341 (Harry Thomas to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zimbabwe) and Cal. #342 (Robert Porter Jackson to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana).

The Senate adjourned at 7:01 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM. Upon conclusion of Leader remarks, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination. The Senate will then resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). The Senate will recess from 12:30 PM – 2:15 PM for Party Caucuses. At 2:15 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law).

The Senate convened and proceeded to Leader remarks.

The following bills were considered, en bloc:

S. 2181 (Provide priorities for Federal obligations in the event the debt limit is reached).

S. 2182 (Cut and balance the federal budget).

S. 2183 (Reauthorize and reform the Export-Import Bank of the United States).

The bills were read for a second time, en bloc. Further readings were objected to, and the bills will be placed on the calendar.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #139 (Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York). The nomination was confirmed by a vote of **95-2**.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law).

The Senate recessed at 12:47 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate reconvened at 2:15 PM and resumed a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). **Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed.** The cloture motion was not agreed to by a vote of **54-45**.

S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). For the purposes of this bill, the substitute amendment will be considered as original text.

Cotton amend #2581 (To exempt from the capability and the process within the Department of Homeland Security communication between a private entity and the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the United States Secret Service regarding cybersecurity threats), as modified. Laid aside.

Coons amend #2552 (To modify section 5 to require DHS to review all cyber threat indicators and countermeasures in order to remove certain personal information), as modified. Laid aside.

Flake amend #2582 (To terminate the provisions of the act after 6 years). Laid aside.

Franken amend #2612 (To improve the definitions of cybersecurity threat and cyber threat indicator), as modified. Laid aside.

Heller amend #2548 (To protect information that is reasonably believed to be personal information or information that identifies a specific person), as modified. Laid aside.

Leahy amend #2587 (To strike the FOIA exemption), as modified. Laid aside.

Paul amend #2564 (To prohibit liability immunity to applying to private entities that break user or privacy agreements with customers), as modified. Laid aside.

Mikulski amend #2557 (To provide amounts necessary for accelerated cybersecurity in response to data breaches). Laid aside.

Whitehouse amend #2626 (To amend Title 18, United States Code, to protect Americans from cybercrime), as modified. Laid aside.

Wyden amend #2621 (To improve the requirements relating to removal of personal information from cyber threat indicators before sharing), as modified. Laid aside.

McConnell filed a Motion to Invoke Cloture on Burr amend #2716 (Substitute amendment). For the purposes of this bill, the substitute amendment will be considered as original text.

McConnell filed a Motion to Invoke Cloture on S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The following bills were considered, en bloc:

Cal. #256 (Sgt. Zachary M. Fischer Post Office).

Cal. #257 (Sgt. Amanda N. Pinson Post Office).

Cal. #258 (Lt. Daniel P. Riordan Post Office).

Cal. #259 (Richard 'Dick' Chenault Post Office Building).

Cal. #260 (Staff Sergeant Robert H. Dietz Post Office Building).

Cal. #261 (Officer Daryl R. Pierson Memorial Post Office Building).

Cal. #262 (James Robert Kalsu Post Office Building).

The bills agreed to, en bloc, by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 261 (National Case Management Week). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, October 21st and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 754 (Improves cybersecurity in the United States through enhanced sharing of information about cybersecurity threats).

The Senate adjourned at 6:19 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2015

The Senate will convene at 4:00 PM and will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Following Leader remarks on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law).

S. Res. 289 (Designating the week of October 18, 2015 as “National Chemistry Week”). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The following bills were considered En Bloc:

S. 2165 (Regarding the Land and Conservation Fund). The bill was read for the first time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

S. 2169 (Extend the Land and Water Conservation Fund). The bill was read for the first time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

The following bills were considered En Bloc:

S. 2181 (Provide priorities for Federal obligations in the event the debt limit is reached). The bill was read for the first time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

S. 2182 (Cut and balance the federal budget). The bill was read for the first time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

S. 2183 (Reauthorize and reform the Export-Import Bank of the United States). The bill was read for the first time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, October 20, 2015. Upon conclusion of Leader remarks, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Since cloture was filed on the bill, a vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture is possible during Tuesday’s session. The Senate will recess from 12:30 PM – 2:15 PM for Party Caucuses.

The Senate adjourned at 6:45 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will proceed with a Pro Forma session only. There will be no business conducted during today's session.

The Senate convened for a Pro Forma session only.

The Senate will convene on Monday October 19, 2015 at 4:00 PM. The Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Following Leader remarks on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

The Senate adjourned at 10:31 AM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:30 AM and will proceed with a Pro Forma session only. There will be no business conducted during today's session.

The Senate convened for a Pro Forma session only.

The Senate will convene for Pro Forma Session on Friday, October 16, 2015 at 10:00 AM. The Senate meet for business on Monday October 19, 2015 at 4:00 PM. The Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Following Leader remarks on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

The Senate adjourned at 10:31 AM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2015

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will proceed with a Pro Forma session only. There will be no business conducted during today's session.

The Senate convened for a Pro Forma session only.

The Senate will convene for Pro Forma Sessions on the following dates:

Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at 10:30 AM.

Friday, October 16, 2015 at 10:00 AM.

The Senate will next meet for business on Monday October 19, 2015 at 4:00 PM. The Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Following Leader remarks on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

The Senate adjourned at 10:01 AM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business until 10:45 AM. The Senate will then resume the Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016). At 12:45 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016). Motion to Invoke Cloture. Yeas and nays ordered. The cloture motion was not agreed to by a vote of 49-47.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

The following nominations were considered, en bloc:

Cal. #123 (Mario Cordero to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner).

Cal. #266 (Sarah Mendelson to be Representative of the US on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations).

Cal. #267 (Sarah Mendelson to be an Alternate Representative of the US to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations).

Cal. #300 (Thomas Reeder, Jr. to be Director of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation).

Cal. #325 (Lucy Tamlyn to be U.S. Ambassador to the Republic of Benin).

Cal. #326 (Jeffrey Hawkins to be U.S. Ambassador to the Central African Republic).

Cal. #327 (David Gilmour to be U.S. Ambassador to the Togolese Republic).

Cal. #328 (Edwin Nolan, Jr. to be U.S. Ambassador to the republic of Suriname).

Cal. #330 (Carolyn Alsup to be U.S. Ambassador to the Republic of The Gambia).

Cal. #331 (Daniel Rubinstein to be U.S. Ambassador to the Republic of Tunisia).

Cal. #335 (Susan Amato to be Director of the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking).

The nominations were confirmed, En bloc, by **Voice Vote**.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016). The Motion to Proceed is **withdrawn**.

McConnell Motion to Proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). McConnell Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed. The cloture vote on the Motion to Proceed will occur at 2:15 PM on Tuesday, October 20th.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #210 Stephen Hedger, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense. Confirmed by voice vote.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. Con. Res. 21 (Authorizing the use of Emancipation Hall in the Capitol for a ceremony to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the ratification of the 13th Amendment). Agreed to by unanimous consent, as amended by a Booker amendment.

S. Res. 285 (Commemorating the life and achievement of Robert Edward Simon, Jr.). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 286 (Designating the week beginning October 11, 2015 as “National Wildlife Refuge Week”). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 278 (Welcoming the President of the Republic of Korea on her official visit to the United States). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The following bills were considered En Bloc:

S. 2165 (Amend US Code). The first reading of the bill was agreed to. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

S. 2169 (Amend US Code). The first reading of the bill was agreed to. Further consideration of the bill was objected to.

The Senate will convene for Pro Forma Sessions on the following dates:

Friday, October 9, 2015 at 10:00 AM.

Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at 10:30 AM.

Friday, October 16, 2015 at 10:00 AM.

The Senate will next meet for business on Monday October 19, 2015 at 4:00 PM. The Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying Federal law). Following Leader remarks on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of Executive Cal #139, Ann Donnelly to be US District Judge for the District of New York. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

The Senate adjourned at 5:49 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2015

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will resume consideration of the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). The Senate will vote on adoption of the Conference Report at 2:00 PM.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying federal law). The bill was read for the second time. Further consideration of the bill was objected to and the bill was placed on the Calendar.

Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). Reid raised a Budget Point of Order. McCain Motion to Waive the Budget Act. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Waive the Budget Act was agreed to by a vote of 71-26.

Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). Yeas and nays ordered. The Conference Report was adopted by a vote of 70-27.

Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016).

S. 32 (Transnational Drug Trafficking Act of 2015). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

H.R. 623 (DHS Social Media Improvement Act of 2015) as amended. Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 275 (Recognize Educational Impact of Dyslexia). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 280 (National Women's Small Business Month). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 281 (National Health Information Technology Week). Agreed to by voice vote.

H. Con. Res. 81 (Corrections to the Enrollment of H.R. 1735). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Thursday, October 8, 2015 and will be in a period of Morning Business until 10:45 AM. The Senate will then resume the Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016). At 12:45 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill.

The Senate adjourned at 6:52 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2015

The Senate will convene at 12:00 Noon and will resume consideration of the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). At 1:00 PM the Senate will have a cloture vote on the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

McConnell filed cloture on the Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2028 (Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2016).

The following bills were read for the second time en bloc:

S. 2129 (A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, Energy and Water Development).

S. 2130 (A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense, Energy and Water Development, Department of Homeland Security, Military Construction).

S. 2131 (A bill making appropriations for Departments of Commerce, Justice and Science).

S. 2132 (A bill making appropriations for Financial Services and General Government).

Further consideration of the bills was objected to en bloc. The bills were placed on the Calendar en bloc.

Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). Motion to Invoke Cloture. The Motion to Invoke Cloture was agreed to by a vote of 73-26.

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

H.R. 34 (Authorize and strengthen the tsunami detection forecast program). Thune amend agreed to by Unanimous Consent. The bill was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

H.R. 3116 (Extends by 15 years the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to conduct the quarterly financial report program). Sasse amend agreed to by Unanimous Consent. The bill was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Con. Res. 22 (50th Anniversary of the White House Fellows Program). The resolution was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 279 (Redland Little League Team). The resolution was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 272 (University of Kansas for 150 years of service). The resolution was agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. 2146 (Holds sanctuary jurisdictions accountable for defying federal law). The bill was read for the first time. Further readings were objected to and the bill will be read for a second time on the next Legislative day.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, October 7th and will resume consideration of the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). All post-cloture time will be deemed expired at 2:00 PM.

The Senate adjourned at 7:01 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2015

The Senate will convene at 4:00 PM and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider Cal. #138 (Dale A. Drozd to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of California). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will vote on the nomination.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #138 (Dale A. Drozd to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of California). The nomination was confirmed by a vote of **69-21**.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

S. Res. 277 (Recognizing National Principals Month). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The following bills were read for the first time en bloc:

S. 2129 (A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, Energy and Water Development).

S. 2130 (A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense, Energy and Water Development, Department of Homeland Security, Military Construction).

S. 2131 (A bill making appropriations for Departments of Commerce, Justice and Science).

S. 2132 (A bill making appropriations for Financial Services and General Government).

The second readings of the bills was objected to en bloc.

The Senate will convene at 12:00 Noon on Tuesday October 6, 2015 and will resume consideration of the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act). At 1:00 PM the Senate will have a cloture vote on the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act).

The Senate adjourned at 7:01 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2015

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will proceed with one hour of Morning Business. The Senate will then resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2029 (Military Construction and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Bill of 2015). There will be a vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill at 1:45 PM.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2029 (Military Construction and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Bill of 2015).

H.R. 2835 (Border Jobs for Veterans Act of 2015). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

Motion to Proceed to H.R. 2029 (Military Construction and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Bill of 2015). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture was not agreed to by a vote of **50-44**.

McConnell filed cloture on the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1735 (National Defense Authorization Act).

H.R. 1624 (Protecting Affordable Coverage for Employees Act). Agreed to by voice vote.

S. Res. 276 (National Character Counts Week). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 4:00 PM on Monday, October 5, 2015 and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider Cal. #138 (Dale A. Drozd to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of California). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will vote on the nomination.

The Senate adjourned at 5:53 PM.