

to invoke cloture on the conference report to accompany H.R. 2670, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2024 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year. **Page S5899**

**Nomination Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nomination:

By 61 yeas to 29 nays (Vote No. EX. 336), Richard E.N. Federico, of Kansas, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Tenth Circuit.

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**Messages from the House:** **Page S5896**

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**Additional Statements:** **Pages S5895–96**

**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—336) **Page S5894**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 3:02 p.m. and adjourned at 7 p.m., until 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 12, 2023. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5899.)

## *Committee Meetings*

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

No committee meetings were held.

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# House of Representatives

## *Chamber Action*

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 26 public bills, H.R. 6691–6716; and 3 resolutions, H. Res. 920–921 and 923, were introduced.

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**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H6815–17**

**Reports Filed:** A report was filed on December 8, 2023, as follows:

H.R. 6611, to amend the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 to make certain reforms to the authorities under such Act, to reauthorize title VII of such Act, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 118–302, Part 1).

**Reports were filed today as follows:**

H.R. 5119, to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide small businesses with additional time to file beneficial ownership information, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–303);

H.R. 5524, to amend the start date of the pilot program on sharing with foreign branches, subsidiaries and affiliates, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–304);

H.R. 5473, to amend certain laws relating to disaster recovery and relief with respect to the implementation of building codes, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–305);

H.R. 6093, to improve the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's weather research, sup-

port improvements in weather forecasting and prediction, expand commercial opportunities for the provision of weather data, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–306);

H.R. 6570, to amend the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 to reform certain authorities and to provide greater transparency and oversight, with an amendment (H. Rept. 118–307, Part 1); and

H. Res. 922, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1147) to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to allow schools that participate in the school lunch program under such Act to serve whole milk; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 357) to require the head of an agency to issue and sign any rule issued by that agency, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 118–308). **Page H6813**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Van Orden to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6745**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:14 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H6746**

**Guest Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Rear Admiral Gregory Todd, Chief of Chaplains, United States Navy, Washington, DC. **Pages H6746–47**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures: