

pro forma session: Friday, December 22, 2023, at 8 a.m.; Tuesday, December 26, 2023, at 9 a.m.; Friday, December 29, 2023, at 10:30 a.m.; Tuesday, January 2, 2024, at 11:45 a.m.; and that the Second Session of the 118th Congress convene on Wednesday, January 3, 2024, at 12 noon, for a pro forma session only, with no business conducted, and that following the pro forma session the Senate adjourn and convene for a pro forma session only, with no business being conducted, on Friday, January 5, 2024, at 10 a.m.; and that when the Senate adjourns on Friday, January 5, 2024, it stand adjourned until 3 p.m., on Monday, January 8, 2024. **Pages S6078–79**

Nominations in Status Quo—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that all the nominations received by the Senate during the 118th Congress, First Session, remain in status quo, notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXXI, paragraph 6, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, with the following exceptions: Calendar numbers 32, 54, 60, 63, 68, 70, 72, 77, 78, 80, 109, 115, 140, 145, 151, 155, 156, 158, 168, 169, 170, 172, 173, 208, 217, 247, 268, 269, 270, 275, 301, 302, 303, 312, 313, 314, 315, 321, 322, 323, 353, 355, 368, 369, 399, 408, 409, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 439, 440, 446, and PN numbers 11, 12, 34, 50, 57, 63, 100, 107, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 132, 133, 182, 189, 190, 194, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 358, 384, 549, 577, 637, 869, 919, 928, 929, 1016, 1018, 1019, 1026, 1043, 1047, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1104, 1105, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1151, 1155, 1156, 1157, 1158, and 1159.

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Kazen Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding rule XXII, the vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of John A. Kazen, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, be at 5:30 p.m., on Monday, January 8, 2024, with all provisions of the previous order of Tuesday, December 19, 2023, remaining in effect, and with all remaining clotures ripening in the order filed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Tobin John Bradley, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala.

Mark Toshiro Uyeda, of California, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 5, 2028.

David E. White, Jr., of New York, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps.

Bradford Pentony Wilson, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring September 27, 2026.

Claudia Slacik, of New York, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2026.

Tadd M. Johnson, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2028.

Rion J. Ramirez, of Washington, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation for a term expiring May 26, 2025.

William Brodsky, of Illinois, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2026.

Jennifer L. Fain, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Spencer Bachus III, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States for a term expiring January 20, 2027.

Tanya F. Otsuka, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board for a term expiring August 2, 2029. **Page S6079**

Additional Cosponsors:

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 12:03 p.m. and adjourned at 6:27 p.m., until 8:00 a.m. on Friday, December 22, 2023. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6079.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.