

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S5089–S5146*

**Measures Introduced:** One resolution was introduced, as follows: S. Res. 246. **Page S5146**

#### Measures Passed:

*National Veterans Wheelchair Games:* Senate agreed to S. Res. 246, recognizing and commending the 2011 National Veterans Wheelchair Games, to be held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania August 1 through August 6, 2011. **Pages S5132–33**

#### House Messages:

*Debt Limit Increase Bill—Agreement:* Senate continued consideration of the amendment of the House of Representatives to S. 627, to establish the Commission on Freedom of Information Act Processing Delays, taking action on the following motions and amendments proposed thereto:

**Pages S5092–S5132, S5133–44**

#### Pending:

Reid motion to concur in the amendment of the House of Representatives to the bill, with Reid Amendment No. 589, to cut spending, maintain existing commitments, and for other purposes.

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Reid Amendment No. 590 (to Amendment No. 589), to change the enactment date. **Page S5092**

Reid motion to refer the message of the House on the bill to the Committee on the Budget, with instructions, Reid Amendment No. 591, to change the enactment date. **Page S5092**

Reid Amendment No. 592 (to the instructions (Amendment No. 591) on the motion to refer), of a perfecting nature. **Page S5092**

Reid Amendment No. 593 (to Amendment No. 592), of a perfecting nature. **Page S5092**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 75 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 121), Senate agreed to the motion to instruct the Sergeant at Arms to request the attendance of absent Senators.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the cloture vote on Reid motion to concur in the amendment of the House of Representatives to the bill, with Reid Amendment No. 589, occur at 1 p.m., Sunday, July 31, 2011. **Page S5146**

A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to concur in the amendment of the House of Representatives to the bill, with Reid Amendment No. 589, at approximately 12 p.m., on Sunday, July 31, 2011, with the time until 1 p.m., equally divided and controlled between the two Leaders, or their designees.

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**Messages from the House:**

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**Measures Referred:**

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**Executive Communications:**

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**Additional Cosponsors:**

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**Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:**

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**Quorum Calls:** One quorum call was taken today. (Total—5) **Page S5119**

**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—121) **Page S5120**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 1 p.m. and adjourned at 10:14 p.m., until 12 p.m. on Sunday, July 31, 2011. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5146.)

### Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 3 public bills, H.R. 2712–2714; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 68 were introduced. **Page H5811**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H5811–12**

**Reports Filed:** There were no reports filed today.

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Poe (TX) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H5785**

**Journal:** The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a ye-and-nay vote of 298 yeas to 113 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 681. **Pages H5790–91**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:33 p.m. and reconvened at 1 p.m. **Page H5789**

**Suspensions—Proceedings Resumed:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures which were debated on July 28th:

*First Lieutenant Oliver Goodall Post Office Building Designation Act:* H.R. 1975, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 281 East Colorado Boulevard in Pasadena, California, as the "First Lieutenant Oliver Goodall Post Office Building", by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  ye-and-nay vote of 416 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 679; **Pages H5789–90**

*John Pangelinan Gerber Post Office Building Designation Act:* H.R. 1843, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 489 Army Drive in Barrigada, Guam, as the "John Pangelinan Gerber Post Office Building", by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  ye-and-nay vote of 414 yeas to 3 nays, Roll No. 680; and **Page H5790**

*Matthew A. Pucino Post Office Designation Act:* H.R. 2062, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 45 Meetinghouse Lane in Sagamore Beach, Massachusetts, as the "Matthew A. Pucino Post Office". **Page H5811**

**Suspension—Failed:** The House failed to agree to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

*Budget Control Act of 2011:* H.R. 2693, amended, to cut spending and maintain existing commitments, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  ye-and-nay vote of 173 yeas to 246 noes, Roll No. 682. **Pages H5791–H5810**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three ye-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5789–90, H5790, H5791 and H5810. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 3:16 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2011

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

### House

No committee hearings are scheduled.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

12:00 p.m., Sunday, July 31

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Sunday:** Senate will continue consideration of the motion to concur in the amendment of the House of Representatives to S. 627, Debt Limit Increase, with Reid Amendment No. 589, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to concur in amendment of the House of Representatives to S. 627, Debt Limit Increase, with Reid Amendment No. 589, at approximately 1 p.m.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

1 p.m., Sunday, July 31

## House Chamber

**Program for Sunday:** The House will meet in pro forma session at 1 p.m.

## Extensions of Remarks, as inserted in this issue

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