The Senate Judiciary Committee held an executive business meeting to consider pending nominations and legislation on September 15, 2022.

I. Nominees

Dana M. Douglas, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE
16-6

Aye: Durbin, Leahy (Proxy), Feinstein, Whitehouse, Klobuchar, Coons, Blumenthal, Hirono, Booker, Padilla, Ossoff, Grassley, Graham (Proxy), Cornyn, Kennedy (Proxy), Tillis (Proxy)

Nay: Lee (Proxy), Cruz (Proxy), Sasse (Proxy), Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Blackburn

Bradley N. Garcia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE
12-10

Aye: Durbin, Leahy, Feinstein, Whitehouse, Klobuchar, Coons, Blumenthal, Hirono, Booker, Padilla, Ossoff, Graham (Proxy)

Nay: Grassley, Cornyn, Lee (Proxy), Cruz (Proxy), Sasse (Proxy), Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Kennedy (Proxy), Tillis (Proxy), Blackburn (Proxy)

Frances Kay Behm, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE
12-10

Aye: Durbin, Leahy, Feinstein, Whitehouse, Klobuchar, Coons, Blumenthal, Hirono, Booker, Padilla, Ossoff, Graham (Proxy)

Nay: Grassley, Cornyn, Lee (Proxy), Cruz (Proxy), Sasse (Proxy), Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Kennedy (Proxy), Tillis (Proxy), Blackburn (Proxy)

Jerry W. Blackwell, to be United States District Judge for the District of Minnesota

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE
13-8-1

Aye: Durbin, Leahy, Feinstein, Whitehouse, Klobuchar, Coons, Blumenthal, Hirono, Booker, Padilla, Ossoff, Grassley, Graham (Proxy)

Nay: Cornyn, Lee (Proxy), Cruz (Proxy), Sasse (Proxy), Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Kennedy (Proxy), Blackburn (Proxy)
Pass: Tillis (Proxy)

Anne M. Nardacci, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of New York
REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE
14-8

Aye: Durbin, Leahy, Feinstein, Whitehouse, Klobuchar, Coons, Blumenthal, Hirono, Booker, Padilla, Ossoff, Graham (Proxy), Kennedy (Proxy), Tillis (Proxy)
Nay: Grassley, Cornyn, Lee (Proxy), Cruz (Proxy), Sasse (Proxy), Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Blackburn (Proxy)

Kevin G. Ritz, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Tennessee
REPORTED: VOICE VOTE

Nay: Cruz, Hawley

II. Bills

S.4524, Speak Out Act (Gillibrand, Blackburn, Hirono, Graham, Blumenthal, Durbin, Klobuchar, Feinstein, Ossoff, Booker, Cornyn, Grassley, Padilla, Coons)
ORDERED REPORTED FAVORABLY IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE: VOICE VOTE

Managers’ Amendment SIL22B03
ADOPTED: UNANIMOUS CONSENT

S. 673, Journalism Competition and Preservation Act of 2021 (Klobuchar, Kennedy, Booker, Whitehouse, Graham, Feinstein, Hirono, Blumenthal, Durbin)
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