Results of Executive Business Meeting – October 28, 2021

The Senate Judiciary Committee held an executive business meeting to consider pending nominations and legislation on October 28, 2021.

Agenda

I. Nominees

Lucy Haeran Koh, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE

13-9

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

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

Jane M. Beckering, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Michigan

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE 12-9-1

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

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

Shalina D. Kumar, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan

REPORTED: ROLL CALL VOTE 12-9-1

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

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

Armando O. Bonilla, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims

REPORTED: VOICE VOTE Nay: Hawley, Blackburn

Carolyn N. Lerner, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims

REPORTED: VOICE VOTE Nay: Lee, Hawley, Blackburn

Jonathan Kanter, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust

REPORTED: VOICE VOTE
Nay: Cornyn

Michael F. Easley, Jr., to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina **REPORTED: VOICE VOTE**

Sandra J. Hairston, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of North Carolina REPORTED: VOICE VOTE

Dena J. King, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina **REPORTED: VOICE VOTE**

Clare E. Connors, to be United States Attorney for the District of Hawaii
HELD

Zachary A. Cunha, to be United States Attorney for the District of Rhode Island **HELD**

Nikolas P. Kerest, to be United States Attorney for the District of Vermont **HELD**

II. Bills

S. 2428, False Claims Amendments Act of 2021 (Grassley, Leahy, Durbin, Kennedy)

ORDERED REPORTED FAVORABLY AS AMENDED: 15-7

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

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

Managers' Amendment ALB21G87 ADOPTED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

S. 998, Driving for Opportunity Act of 2021 (Coons, Wicker, Durbin, Grassley, Blumenthal, Tillis, Booker, Whitehouse, Ossoff)

ORDERED REPORTED FAVORABLY AS AMENDED: VOICE VOTE

Nay: Hawley (Proxy), Cotton (Proxy), Kennedy, Blackburn (Proxy)

Managers' Amendment SIL21B95

ADOPTED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

S. 2342, Ending Forced Arbitration of Sexual Assault and Sexual Harassment Act of 2021 (Gillibrand, Graham, Durbin)

HELD