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Challenge #1

• Can you locate the Immigration Modernization Act?
  - What is the bill number?
  - Who was the sponsor?
  - What is the date of introduction?
  - What was the date of latest action?

• Bonus question: Can you find the member profile page for one of the Senators from your home state?
Challenge #2

- Can you find out what Congress was doing on your birthday in 2012?
  - Which chambers were in session?
  - (If neither chamber was in session on your birthday there will be no issue of the Congressional Record; choose a nearby date.)

- Bonus Question: How many times has “library” been mentioned in the Congressional Record? (107th Congress – present)
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- Committee Profile Pages
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Standing Committees of the U.S. Congress
113th Congress (2013-2014)

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Committee Reports
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Issue and Section: May 09, 2013 - Extensions of Remarks (Vol. 159, No. 65)

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H.R.545 — 112th Congress (2011-2012)

Resolution

Latest Title: Congratulating the World Affairs Council of Seattle on the occasion of its 51st anniversary and recognizing its contributions to the greater Seattle region and Washington State.

H.R.1785 — 113th Congress (2013-2014)

Bill

Latest Title: Mountains to Sound Greenway National Heritage Area Act


Cosponsors: 2

Latest Action: 05/06/2013 Referred to the Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation.