

are also suffering from ALS, an unusual disease that rarely strikes individuals under the age of 50. In fact, with the ten of us who have ALS—and we are certain there are more out there whom we just haven't found—the incidence of ALS already far exceeds the normal incidence given the number of soldiers who served in the Gulf. Why is there no special emergency study of this outbreak? Why is no one worried about what is obviously a frightening incidence of a terrible neurological illness among such a young and healthy population? One thing I can tell you: this is not stress.

With every other Gulf War veteran we have found who has ALS, the common thread has been subsequent exposure to some kind of strong chemical or pesticide, such as malathion, diazinon, and lindane—which is used to treat head lice in children.

Why aren't the DOD and the VA warning everyone else who served in the Gulf War that they may get sick in the future, just as I got sick four years after I returned to the US. How many other people are out there waiting for that one exposure that will put them over the top? Why is no one putting the word out. A warning could save the lives and health of many individuals, could save them from going through what I am now going through. I'll tell you why, because that would take admitting that something happened in the Gulf War that's making people sick.

I wonder how many flight mishaps or accidents that have happened since the war have involved Gulf War veterans. Those numbers shouldn't be hard to find: the military keeps records on all of that. In fact, I wager that someone out there already knows the answer to that question and hasn't shared it either because of a direct order not to or because the right person has yet to ask.

How many other pilots are still out there—flying—who are not quite feeling right? Just as I flew for four years after I returned from the Gulf, how many other pilots fear for their livelihood and the repercussions they know they would encounter were they to speak up because they know "There's no conclusive evidence that there's any link between service in the Gulf and any illness."

Imagine my dismay when the DOD announces \$12 million (a drop in the bucket) to study the Gulf War illnesses and four of those studies are centered around the effects of stress or post-traumatic stress disorder. You would think that the DOD and the VA would have an in-depth knowledge of the effects of stress after all the wars this country has fought. Most of them a lot more "stressful" than the Gulf War. Why aren't they taking our illnesses seriously? I'll tell you why, because that would take admitting that something happened in the Gulf War that's making people sick.

Part of the ongoing cover up has been to trivialize the illnesses that Gulf War veterans are suffering from. In the press and from the VA, you hear about skin rashes and joint aches, about insomnia and fatigue. There is no doubt that these are real symptoms and are debilitating in and of themselves. But what you don't hear about is the high incidence of rare cancers, neurological illnesses such as ALS, and immune-system disorders that are totally debilitating. This is not stress. This is life and death.

Why is it impossible to get the right numbers from the DOD and the VA about how many veterans are sick or have sought treatment? Why is it more important to protect certain high-placed government officials than to care for veterans who are sick? When it comes time to fund the military, budget concerns are usually set aside in the interest of defense and the public good. Well, the national defense issue now is that it's public

knowledge that the DOD mistreats people who serve. America will have no one to fight its wars.

The primary goal at this point is not to find out whose fault all of this is. Someday, someone will need to investigate what happened and why. The people responsible for this tragedy should be found out and punished.

The top priority now for all of us is to help veterans and their families get their health and their lives back. Or at least that should be the goal. That should be your goal. All I want is what I brought to the Air Force: my health.

I'm not interested in hearing how surprised General Powell and General Schwartzkopf are about how we were all exposed to chemical weapons, or that the CIA really did know Hussein had these weapons, or that the CIA alerted the DOD to this fact. It's obvious now that there's been a cover up going on all this time as more and more information gets released or discovered. It's time for those people who know something—and they do exist—to come forward. And maybe we can save some lives.

During and after the war, we proclaimed to ourselves and to the world how we learned the lessons of Vietnam and fixed the military. We learned the lessons of Vietnam and we did it right this time. Last week, General Powell stated that we suffered only 149 casualties in the Gulf War. Well, I am here to tell you that the casualty count is still rising. Just like in Vietnam with Agent Orange, it appears that we didn't learn all the lessons. We still mistreat veterans. This country has again turned its back on the people who fight its wars, the individuals to whom it owes the most.

I want to thank you for what you are doing for the veterans who went to war for this country. Many of whom were squeezed out of the military right after the war and now find themselves out on the street, fighting the very institution they fought for. In the military, we have a tradition called the salute and it's used to show admiration and respect for an individual who has earned it. I salute you for what you are doing here. You go a long way in restoring this soldiers waning faith in a country that could so willingly desert it's own.

Remember: I am not the enemy. ●

#### ORDERS FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1997

Mr. COVERDELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand in adjournment until the hour of 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, April 29. I further ask unanimous consent that on Tuesday, immediately following the prayer, the routine requests through the morning hour be granted and the Senate then immediately resume the motion to proceed to S. 543, the Volunteer Protection Act, and I further ask unanimous consent that the time from 9:30 to 12:30 be equally divided between Senator COVERDELL and/or his designee, and the ranking member and/or his or her designee.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. COVERDELL. Mr. President, I now ask unanimous consent that on Tuesday, the Senate stand in recess from the hours of 12:30 to 2:15 for the weekly policy conferences to meet.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### PROGRAM

Mr. COVERDELL. Mr. President, for the information of all Senators, tomorrow morning the Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 543, the Volunteer Protection Act. Senators are reminded that there will be a cloture vote at 2:15 on Tuesday on the motion to proceed to S. 543. If cloture is invoked tomorrow, there will be an additional hour of debate to be followed by a vote on the motion to proceed. Senators can therefore expect additional votes during Tuesday's session of the Senate.

#### ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. COVERDELL. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 5:12 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, April 29, 1997, at 9:30 a.m.

#### NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate April 28, 1997:

##### FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

MICHAEL J. ARMSTRONG, OF COLORADO, TO BE AN ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, VICE RICHARD THOMAS MOORE, RESIGNED.

##### FOREIGN SERVICE

EDWARD WILLIAM GNEHM, JR., OF GEORGIA, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF MINISTER-COUNSELOR, TO BE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE, VICE ANTHONY CECIL EDEN QUAITON.

##### IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 618 AND 628:

##### To be commander

THOMAS P. YAVORSKI, 0000

##### To be lieutenant commander

ROBERT J. BARTON, III, 0000

##### IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED SUPPLY CORPS OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT IN THE LINE TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 5582(A):

##### To be lieutenant commander

CRAIG L. HERRICK, 0000

##### To be lieutenant

JORGE A. MCCURLEY, 0000  
WILLIAM S. SEWELL, JR., 0000

##### To be lieutenant (junior grade)

JOHNNY E. BOWEN, 0000  
JOSEPH M. BYRD, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER R. COURTRIGHT, 0000  
STORMI J. LOONEY, 0000  
STEVEN R. SORCE, 0000  
WILLIAM J. STEGNER, 0000  
HAYDN A. THOMAS, 0000

##### To be ensign

BENJAMIN A. SNELL, 0000

I NOMINATE THE FOLLOWING-NAMED OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 531:

##### To be captain

DAVID J. DAVIS, 0000  
CRAIG M. MARCELLO, 0000  
RADFORD D. TANKSLEY, 0000

##### To be commander

BRUCE R. BOYNTON, 0000  
JAMES H. GHERARDINI, JR., 0000  
JOHN R. HAGUE, 0000

##### To be lieutenant commander

TIMOTHY G. BATTRELL, 0000

AGNES D. BRADLEYWRIGHT, 0000  
JAMES L. CARUSO, 0000  
PAUL J. DEMARCO, 0000  
ELISE T. GORDON, 0000  
EDWARD W. HESSEL, 0000  
TIMOTHY R. KENNEDY, 0000  
FINSTER L. PAUL, 0000  
BRUCE A. STINNETT, 0000  
GAIL M. WILKINS, 0000

*To be lieutenant*

JOY D. ADAMS, 0000  
JULIE S. AKIYAMA, 0000  
JEFFREY G. ALBANUS, 0000  
RACHEL H. ALLEN, 0000  
MARK S. ANDERSON, 0000  
ELLEN A. ARGO, 0000  
WILLIAM A. BALDING, 0000  
LEAF A. BALLAST, 0000  
LAURA A. BARTON, 0000  
BRIAN R. BEHLKE, 0000  
KEITH R. BELAU, 0000  
JASON P. BERG, 0000  
DAVID A. BERGER, 0000  
DERRICK M. BILLINGS, 0000  
ROGER B. BLAIR, 0000  
MARK C. BRUINGTON, 0000  
MARK M. BUCHER, 0000  
WILLIAM A. BUCKNER, 0000  
DELL D. BULL, 0000  
TRACY L. BUTTERFIELD, 0000  
LLOYD V. CAFRAN, 0000  
JOHN D. CASSANI, 0000  
JOE R. CHARLTON, 0000  
JAMES G. CHRISTENSON, 0000  
GEOFFREY M. COAN, 0000  
CANDACE L. COLSTON, 0000  
ROBERT D. COPENHAVER, 0000  
ANDREW P. COVERT, 0000  
GERARDO CRUZ, 0000  
DAVID A. CULLER, JR., 0000  
JENNIFER A. DANIELS, 0000  
CASEY W. DANKERS, 0000  
WILLIAM A. DAROSA, 0000  
TONY F. DEALICANTE, 0000  
DAVID P. DELEO, 0000  
DAMIAN P. DERIENZO, 0000  
MISHELLE M. DETERMAN, 0000  
THOMAS C. DISY, 0000  
BRETT A. DIXON, 0000  
JOHN A. DUVENEZ, 0000  
DEMETRI ECONOMOS, 0000  
KARL P. EIMERS, 0000  
MICHAEL W. ENGEL, 0000  
SHARON L. FARLEY, 0000  
JOSE J. FERNANDEZ, JR., 0000  
MICHAEL S. FERRELL, 0000  
MARK G. FICKEL, 0000  
WILLIAM S. FINLAYSON, 0000  
ROSS A. FONTANA, 0000  
KEVIN D. FOSTER, 0000  
KEVIN W. GAINY, 0000  
JEANNETTE I. GARCIA, 0000  
MICHAEL J. GARDELLA, 0000  
STEPHEN G. GARNEA, 0000  
DENNIS E. GLOVER, 0000  
RICARDO A. GONZALEZ, 0000  
DOUGLAS J. GOODART, 0000  
DEBORA D. GOODMAN, 0000  
JEFFREY D. GORDAN, 0000  
ROBERT A. GRAMZINSKI, 0000  
HERMAN R. GREEN, 0000  
PAUL F. GRONEMEYER, 0000  
ULFUR T. GUDJONSSON, 0000  
FERDINAND G. HAFNER, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER S. HAHN, 0000  
ALAN F. HAMAMURA, 0000  
CYNTHIA E. HANSEN, 0000  
GENE A. HAWKS, 0000  
ANITA M. HENRY, 0000  
THOMAS C. HERRLD, 0000  
TIMOTHY E. HIBBETTS, 0000  
JAMES M. HILL, 0000  
NINA M. HILL, 0000  
RONALD L. HILL, 0000  
JOHN P. HOWARD, 0000  
SCOTT D. ISAACSON, 0000  
PETER M. JOHNSON, 0000  
KENN K. KANESHIRO, 0000  
DAVID M. KENEE, 0000  
THOMAS L. KENNEDY, 0000  
PAUL C. KIAMOS, 0000  
JEAN M. KILKER, 0000  
MATTHEW W. KILLMEYER, 0000  
CYNTHIA A. KUHN, 0000  
ELIZABETH D. LASSEK, 0000  
ALVA V. LAWRENCE, 0000  
JONNA L. LEADFORD, 0000  
CARLOS I. LEBRON, 0000  
MICHAEL S. LELAND, 0000  
DAN C. LEWIS, 0000  
DANIEL K. LEWIS, JR., 0000  
LOREN P. LOCKE, 0000  
PATRICK W. LUEB, 0000  
BRENDA K. MALONE, 0000  
DONALD C. MANNING, 0000  
MICHELLE MARCEAU, 0000  
PETER A. MARKS, 0000  
DANIEL P. MARTIN, 0000  
DON A. MARTIN, 0000  
WILLIAM J. MASLANKA, III, 0000  
WILLIAM B. MATTIMORE, I., 0000  
MARY A. MCCARET, 0000  
MATTHEW K. MCGEE, 0000  
EDWARD S. MCGINLEY, 0000  
MEGGAN C. MCGRAW, 0000

MARK W. MCMANUS, 0000  
JAMES E. MEEKINS, 0000  
GORDON E. MODARAI, 0000  
MARSHALL R. MONTEVILLE, 0000  
LEO J. MURPHY, 0000  
MANUEL A. MURPHY, 0000  
JODIE M. MUSTIN, 0000  
CHRISTIAN A. NELSON, 0000  
DAN A. NIGHTINGALE, 0000  
DIANNE M. OKONSKY, 0000  
CARLOS M. ORTIZ, 0000  
MICHAEL J. OSBORN, 0000  
ALBERT W. PARULIS, JR., 0000  
NANCY J. PATRICK, 0000  
KELLY S. PAUL, 0000  
DONALD D. PEALER, 0000  
LUIS M. PEREZ, 0000  
WILLIAM L. PETERSON, 0000  
NELIDA L. POLIKS, 0000  
STEPHEN M. POLITO, 0000  
LINDIE S. POLLOCK, 0000  
JAMES M. PRESTON, III, 0000  
KEVIN T. PRINCE, 0000  
BARBARA L. RAGAN, 0000  
SCOTT A. RAISON, 0000  
LUIS R. RAMIREZ, 0000  
JAMES B. RANDALL, 0000  
ALLISON F. REYES, 0000  
MELISSA A. ROBERTS, 0000  
STEPHEN J. ROCHNA, 0000  
PAUL R. RUSSO, 0000  
BARRY A. RUTBERG, 0000  
BRETT G. SAMUEL, 0000  
DAVID M. SANDSON, 0000  
RUTH M. SANTANA, 0000  
MARY D. SCHETZSL, 0000  
CLIFFORD D. SCHMIDT, 0000  
EDWARD C. SCHRANK, 0000  
KENNETH A. SCHROETER, 0000  
MATTHEW T. SECREST, 0000  
DOUGLAS D. SENNELLO, 0000  
CYNTHIA B. SHAWL, 0000  
GREGORY M. SHEAHAN, 0000  
PAIGE A. SHERMAN, 0000  
LINDA M. SHINN, 0000  
DAVID J. SILKEY, 0000  
SIMON Y. D. SMITH, 0000  
JOHN D. SPENCER, 0000  
JONATHAN M. STAHL, 0000  
MARK B. STEPHENS, 0000  
JOEL D. STEWART, 0000  
GEORGE A. STOEBER, 0000  
WENDY L. STOUDER, 0000  
JACK W. STRICKLAND, 0000  
RODEN T. SUMMERS, 0000  
MARICRES M. TALLEY, 0000  
ELIZABETH M. TANNER, 0000  
DENISE H. THOMPSON, 0000  
GEORGE A. THOMPSON, II, 0000  
TERESIA J. THOMPSON, 0000  
JANET E. THORLEY, 0000  
SCOTT D. TINGLE, 0000  
BRIAN P. TRAVERS, 0000  
PATRICK S. TRUITT, 0000  
LAWRENCE L. TURNER, 0000  
ERIC R. VETTER, 0000  
ROLLAND P. WATERS, 0000  
RICKY J. WATSON, 0000  
TERRY D. WEBB, 0000  
JOHN T. WILLIAMS III, 0000  
KEITH A. WILLIAMS, 0000

*To be lieutenant (junior grade)*

NEAL D. AGAMAITE, 0000  
HEATHER W. AGUSTINES, 0000  
MICHAEL J. ALLANSON, 0000  
KEITH A. APPELGATE, 0000  
CYNTHIA T. ASHLEY, 0000  
JEFFREY A. BAYLESS, 0000  
SCOTT A. BELL, 0000  
WILLIAM J. BILLINGS, 0000  
GREGOR S. BO, 0000  
JEFFREY R. BORNEMANN, 0000  
KEVIN M. BRAND, 0000  
STEVE K. BRUNO, 0000  
WILLIAM J. CADE, 0000  
DANIEL G. CASE, 0000  
EUGENE S. CASH, 0000  
KENNETH E. CHRISTOPHER, 0000  
JOHN M. CLEARY, 0000  
PAUL M. CORNETT, 0000  
DANIEL J. CUELLAR, 0000  
DANIEL D. DAVIDSON, 0000  
MICHELLE DAVIS, 0000  
JUSTIN D. DEBORD, 0000  
PATRICK M. DENIS, 0000  
PAULA D. DUNN, 0000  
JONATHAN S. EDWARDS, 0000  
MICHAEL L. FABBRICANTE, 0000  
DAVID L. FELTON, 0000  
ROBERT D. FETTERSTON, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER P. FEUQUAY, 0000  
TIMOTHY FLEMING, 0000  
TIMOTHY N. FOSTER, 0000  
JAMES D. FOUNTAIN, 0000  
WILLIAM T. FRANKLIN, 0000  
KYLE F. FREEMAN, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER J. GALLAGHER, 0000  
ALIX P. GARDNER, 0000  
DENISE M. GECHAS, 0000  
DAVID A. GIVEY, 0000  
JAMES R. GLENN, 0000  
KAREN M. GRIFFITH, 0000  
WILLIAM M. GRIMES, 0000  
FRANCIS E. HANLEY, 0000  
DEBORAH J. HARDESTY, 0000

ROBERT J. HAWKINS, 0000  
GREGORY T. HAYNES, 0000  
SKILLMAN M.S. HEISS, 0000  
CHARLES H. HENRY, 0000  
JENNIFER L.A. HUCK, 0000  
ROBERT N. HUNOLD, 0000  
JOSEPH A. HUTCHINSON, 0000  
SHERRI D. JACKSON, 0000  
DAVID C. JAMES, 0000  
ERIK D. JENSEN, 0000  
BRENDA S. JOHNSON, 0000  
JEFFREY S. JOHNSON, 0000  
LISA K. KENNEMUR, 0000  
GLENN A. KILLINGBECK, 0000  
AKIL R. KING, III, 0000  
MICHAEL E. KINGMAN, 0000  
CHARLES W. KLEIN, 0000  
MICHAEL S. LAMANA, 0000  
MATTHEW J. LIPETSKA, 0000  
ERIC H. LUBECK, 0000  
LUISITO G. MALIGAT, 0000  
CLARISSA L. MARTINELLI, 0000  
JASON T. MATHIS, 0000  
RUSSELL J. MATTSON, 0000  
THOMAS P. MATULA, 0000  
SHARON E. MAWBY, 0000  
GARY L. MCKENNA, 0000  
TIMOTHY B. MCMURRY, 0000  
LEONORA A. MILAN, 0000  
GEOFFREY B. MILLER, 0000  
SCOTT T. MOE, 0000  
MICHAEL M. MONTOYA, 0000  
MONICA MURILLO, 0000  
DAVID F. MURREE, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER T. NELSON, 0000  
LESLIE J. NETTLES, 0000  
JOSEPH W. NEWSOME, 0000  
KELLY S. NICHOLS, 0000  
MARK A. NORRIS, 0000  
KATRINA L. OBRYANT, 0000  
RHONDA T. ONIANWA, 0000  
ADAM D. PALMER, 0000  
CHERYL T. PARHAM, 0000  
ANGELA R.A. PARYS, 0000  
STEPHEN R. PORK, 0000  
ELENA M. PREZIOSO, 0000  
THOMAS R. PRICE, 0000  
CLIFFORD C. PYNE, 0000  
KEVIN S. RAFFERTY, 0000  
CRAIG M. REMALY, 0000  
LAURANCE J. RICHARDS, 0000  
MICHAEL J. ROBINSON, 0000  
JERRY N. SANDERS, JR., 0000  
DAVID F. SARTORI, 0000  
JENNIFER SCANLON, 0000  
KENDRA L. SCROGGS, 0000  
MARIA V.J. SESE, 0000  
TIMOTHY M. SIMCOX, 0000  
CARL C. SMART, 0000  
JASON S. SPILLMAN, 0000  
ELIZABETH K. STEPHENS, 0000  
PAMELA L. STOUT, 0000  
WILLIAM A. SUGGS, III, 0000  
DANIEL A. THOMPSON, 0000  
JANE E. TURNER, 0000  
CRISANTITO L. VALENCIA, 0000  
JOSEPH S. WALKER, 0000  
JUDITH M. WALKER, 0000  
DELIA L. WALLACE, 0000  
HERLENA O. WASHINGTON, 0000  
KEITH D. WASHINGTON, 0000  
MARIE M. WATKINS, 0000  
SCOTT R. WHALEY, 0000  
BYRON C. WIGGINS, 0000  
JOSEPH M. WILKINSON, 0000  
NANCY V. WILSON, 0000  
ERIC W. WOLF, 0000  
JASON P. WROTEN, 0000  
TERRY D. YARBROUGH, 0000  
GEORGES E. YOUNES, 0000

*To be ensign*

ROBERT E. BEBEREMEYER, 0000  
KEVIN R. BIVENS, 0000  
CHISTOPHER L. BLANCARD, 0000  
TRACY A. BRINES, 0000  
MARK S. BUDELIER, 0000  
ERICK D. ECK, 0000  
BRUCE E. ENLIGH, 0000  
IVAN A. FINNEY, 0000  
MICHAEL W. FOWLER, 0000  
BRIAN G. HARRIS, 0000  
STEPHEN E. JOHNSON, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER K. LUEDDERS, 0000  
BRIAN L. MAZE, 0000  
DAVID D. NEAL, 0000  
GREGORY E. POOLE, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER J. RENNIE, 0000  
TRAVIS B. RHOADES, 0000  
JAMES E. SCOTT, 0000  
RAMON I. SERRANO, 0000  
JAMES R. SIMMONS, 0000  
JEROD D. SWANSON, 0000  
SEAN W. VALLIEU, 0000  
KEVIN H. WAGNER, 0000  
BENJAMIN J. WALKER, 0000  
DUNCAN L. WILLIAMS, 0000  
GORDON R. WILLIAMS, 0000  
ROBERT L. WING, 0000  
COREY D. WOFFORD, 0000  
DANIEL F. YOUGH, 0000

I NOMINATE THE FOLLOWING-NAMED LINE OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT IN THE SUPPLY CORPS TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 5582(B):

April 28, 1997

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*To be lieutenant*

PAUL G. DAVIS III, 0000  
JOHN D. SORACCO, 0000

*To be lieutenant (junior grade)*

J.S. GLENN, 0000  
ROBERT R. WINTERS, 0000

*To be ensign*

STEVEN A. CASAREZ, 0000  
JASON B. FITCH, 0000  
LINDA M. GOODE, 0000  
MICHAEL C. JOHNSON, 0000  
CHRISTOPHER L. KLIPP, 0000  
JOHN L. RAMIREZ, 0000

I NOMINATE THE FOLLOWING-NAMED LINE OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE CIVIL ENGINEER CORPS TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 5582(B):

*To be lieutenant*

RONALD A. BARRETT, JR., 0000  
DEREK P. FRASZ, 0000  
MARK T. GERONIME, 0000  
BRYAN J. GRAPPE, 0000  
ROBERT D. JANEZIC, 0000  
JASON R. KARLIN, 0000  
FRANZ D. MESSNER, 0000  
MICHAEL P. OESTEREICHER, 0000  
LEY D.A. VANDER, 0000

*To be lieutenant (junior grade)*

ERNEST J. TRICHE IV, 0000

DARREN C. WU, 0000

*To be ensign*

TY G. CHRISTIE, 0000  
RAYMOND Y. RODRIGUEZ, 0000  
MICHAEL A. THORNTON, 0000

I NOMINATE THE FOLLOWING-NAMED OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE U.S. NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 5589(A)

*To be lieutenant*

RONALD L. CRANFILL, 0000

*To be lieutenant (junior grade)*

WILLIAM F. CONROY II, 0000