

beginning. He has been there every time we needed a strong voice. He knows this issue. He speaks passionately about it. He understands the significance and the importance not only in the areas of disability protections and health standards and medical necessity, but he also understands the nuances and the standards which were used and how that impacts broad numbers of our populations. He was absolutely invaluable throughout this process.

I thank particularly the staff members. These issues are complex. It is difficult to always be able to anticipate the interrelationship between these issues, the importance of what we are doing and how it affects other legislation we have passed, what the impact will be with States and local communities, the impact with the business community, consumers, and others. We have been enormously well served across the board by the staff who have worked tirelessly on this issue just as they did on the education issue. There are an incredible number of very capable men and women who have devoted an extraordinary amount of time and effort and who have made an extraordinary mark on this legislation.

I thank all of them: For Senator MCCAIN, Sonya Sotak, Jean Bumpus, Cassandra Wood and Mark Busee; for Senator EDWARDS, Jeff Lane, Miles Lackey, Kyle Kinner, Hunter Pruett, and Lisa Zeidner. I want to thank the staff of Senator DASCHLE and Senator REID, all of the floor staff and the clerks, including Marty Paone, Lula Davis, Gary Myrick, and also in particular Elizabeth Hargrave and Deborah Adler. I thank them very much. Senator DASCHLE has mentioned Mark Childress and Mark Patterson. They are leaders of a very capable and able team that works very closely with Senator DASCHLE. They are not only fiercely loyal and committed to him but they are enormous sources of help and assistance to all Members in our caucus. We are all very grateful to all of them. For Senator GREGG, Stephanie Monroe, and Steve Irrigarry, and Kim Monk.

Now to my own staff, to whom I am incredibly grateful. No one has worked longer or harder, has been more committed or with greater success in terms of legislative achievement than David Nexon, the head of my health care team. Dave has been an invaluable resource. I always remember a story from when I interviewed him for the job and asked him to write an essay about health care. I still remember his strong commitment in that essay to universal coverage, comprehensive coverage, quality at a price people can afford. He has never let up on that ideal. It is one of the reasons I admire him so much. I am incredibly grateful to him.

I will mention others in no particular order. I thank Michael Myers who is our chief of staff for our whole committee and takes on the broad responsibilities in health, education, and all

the matters of that committee. Michael and I go back a long time, initially working together on refugee issues. He was so resourceful and effective and helpful in our efforts in that cause. And now, he has been good enough to stay the course with me and has just been an extraordinary leader for our committee. I am grateful to him for his friendship and leadership on the committee.

I thank Jeff Teitz who is a master of many complicated aspects of the bill. If you have a complex issue that needs to be mastered, call Jeff Teitz.

Sarah Bianchi is full of energy and intelligence and has had a distinguished career in working with former Vice President Gore. She has been a great addition to our team.

Jerry Wesevich, I thank him so much for his steady presence. I mentioned a little while ago that this is Jerry's last day working in the Senate. He will be working for the legal service programs down in Texas and New Mexico. This is a person, like so many others on the Hill, strongly committed to improving our society, and I regret losing him. I know though that he will be involved in making a better community.

Janie Oates is the master of all trades and knows every TRIO program, every program that reaches out to the most needy people in our country and society, and has been enormously helpful to me in this endeavor as well.

I also thank Stacey Sachs who was here day in and day out and always seemed to have the answer. I remember the debate over the questions on the standard of medical necessity and the points being made about the standard we used in the Federal employers health plan. Stacey knew, yes, that was true but in the appeal provision a different standard was used. She knew the details of it, which was a key point. She is an extraordinary reservoir of good common sense and knowledge.

Jim Manley has been a great help and a good friend and has helped so much in terms of being able to communicate these issues and this whole policy area effectively. Jim has been tireless. Elizabeth Field, Marty Walsh, so many others worked not just here on the floor but outside, as well, in terms of working with the various groups and helping to bring what is happening at the grass roots here to the Senate floor. Amelia Dungan and Jackie Gran. I thank David Bowen very much. He is a great master in understanding so much of the new research and what is happening in the outer edges of biomedical research. We had debate on some of those issues, and we will have more later. These are complex ethical issues and questions. Dave is a master of all of them. Beth Cameron and Paul Kim also deserve thanks. Paul joined our staff and has been enormously valuable and helpful, as he was in the House of Representatives.

Thanks also goes out to our many dedicated interns, Dan Muñoz, Madhu Chugh, Tarak Shah, Nina Dutta, Nicole

Salazar-Austin, Abby Moncrieff, Eddie Santos, Kent Mitchell, Haris Hardaway, Nirav Shah, Charita Sinha, Les Chun and Wyley Proctor. Their energy and dedication certainly helped us along the way.

I appreciate our Presiding Officer and our Senate staff for their patience this evening while we make sure that the history of tonight will include so many who did so much to make tonight a very important step toward helping our fellow American citizens get better quality health care.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, JULY 9, 2001

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate stands in adjournment until 12 noon, Monday, July 9, 2001.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 8:59 p.m., adjourned until Monday, July 9, 2001, at 12 noon.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate June 29, 2001:

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

HENRIETTA HOLSMAN FORE, OF NEVADA, TO BE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT FOR A TERM OF FIVE YEARS, VICE JAY JOHNSON, RESIGNED.

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

MARION BLAKEY, OF MISSISSIPPI, TO BE CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, VICE JAMES E. HALL, TERM EXPIRED.

MARION BLAKEY, OF MISSISSIPPI, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD FOR A TERM EXPIRING DECEMBER 31, 2005, VICE JOHN ARTHUR HAMMERSCHMIDT, TERM EXPIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

JIM NICHOLSON, OF COLORADO, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE HOLY SEE.

CHARLOTTE L. BEERS, OF TEXAS, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PUBLIC DIPLOMACY, VICE EVELYN SIMONOWITZ LIEBERMAN.

INTERNATIONAL JOINT COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND CANADA

DENNIS L. SCHORNACK, OF MICHIGAN, TO BE COMMISSIONER ON THE PART OF THE UNITED STATES ON THE INTERNATIONAL JOINT COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND CANADA, VICE THOMAS L. BALDINI.

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

RANDAL QUARLES, OF UTAH, TO BE UNITED STATES EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, VICE KARIN LISSAKERS, RESIGNED.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

CAROL D'AMICO, OF INDIANA, TO BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR VOCATIONAL AND ADULT EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, VICE PATRICIA WENTWORTH MCNEIL, RESIGNED.

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED ARMY NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 12203 AND 12211:

To be colonel

CARL R. BAGWELL, 0000
JAMES E. CROALL JR., 0000
ALLEN M. HARRELL, 0000

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVAL RESERVE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be captain

MARK M ABRAMS, 0000
JOSE A ACOSTA, 0000
MARTINEZ M F ALLAN, 0000
THOMAS P ALLAN, 0000
SANDRA A ALMEIDA, 0000
PETER E AMATO, 0000
DERYK L ANDERSON, 0000

STEVEN R ANDERSON, 0000
 SUSAN N W ANDERSON, 0000
 ULYSSES J ARRETTEIG II, 0000
 JOAN R ATCHISON, 0000
 JAMES A BACKSTROM JR., 0000
 BRUCE A BARRON, 0000
 JOHN M BARRY, 0000
 MARK R BATEMAN, 0000
 JOHN A BATTLE III, 0000
 SUSAN R BAZEMORE, 0000
 THOMAS E BEEMAN, 0000
 RICHARD W BERG, 0000
 BLAIR A BERGEN, 0000
 BRUCE A BIERMANN, 0000
 RICHARD J BOEHME, 0000
 EDWARD BOLGIANO, 0000
 KERRY F BOMAN, 0000
 BRUCE B BOSWELL, 0000
 THOMAS L BOWERS, 0000
 DORIS J BRAUNBECK, 0000
 WILLIAM J BRENNAN, 0000
 DALE R BRUDER, 0000
 MARIA D BURKE, 0000
 VICTORIA A CALLIHAN, 0000
 SALVATORE R CAMPO JR., 0000
 LIONEL M CANDELARIA, 0000
 LAURIE J CANTWELL, 0000
 JOHN M CASTELLANO, 0000
 KATHERINE B CHRISTIE, 0000
 MARK M CHUNG, 0000
 WARREN G CLARK, 0000
 JOHN V CONTE JR., 0000
 DAVID J COUGHLIN, 0000
 AMY L COUNTS, 0000
 MICHAEL C CRISMALI, 0000
 STEVE CROSSLAND, 0000
 PATRICIA L C CROWLEY, 0000
 JEROME D DAVIS, 0000
 DANIEL E DEATON, 0000
 FRANCIS X DELVECCHIO, 0000
 CYNTHIA A DICOLA, 0000
 JODY W DONEHO, 0000
 JANET R DONOVAN, 0000
 DANIEL R ECKSTROM, 0000
 DONALD W EDGERLY, 0000
 STANTON D ERNEST, 0000
 BRIAN L ERNST, 0000
 GERRY D EZELL, 0000
 JOANN K FETCATTER, 0000
 RICHARD I FREDERICK, 0000
 PAMELA J FREEMAN, 0000
 TERRY C GANZEL, 0000
 MICHAEL C GARCIA, 0000
 WILLIAM S GARNER JR., 0000
 ROBERT L GEDEON JR., 0000
 JAMES T GILL, 0000
 NEIL F GITIN, 0000
 SHERRI M GOLDMAN, 0000
 RICHARD L HAMILTON, 0000
 MAURBEN A HARDENLOZIER, 0000
 KATHLEEN A HASS, 0000
 GERALD B HAYES, 0000
 MICHAEL W S HAYES, 0000
 DONNA M HENDEL, 0000
 BARBARA L HENK, 0000
 LEE C HENWOOD, 0000
 CARL J HICKS, 0000
 JAMES HOHENSTEIN, 0000
 ERIC S HOLMBOE, 0000
 GARY R HOROWITZ, 0000
 JERRY G HOWELL, 0000
 MICHAEL F HUGHES, 0000
 ROBERT M HULLANDER, 0000
 DAVID J HURTT, 0000
 JAMES M JAEGER, 0000
 JOSEPH J JANKIEWICZ, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER W JENNISON, 0000
 DEBORAH A JETTER, 0000
 JAMES M JOCHUM, 0000
 STANLEY H JOHNSON, 0000
 STEPHEN H JOHNSON, 0000
 DONNA L KAHN, 0000
 ROBERT B KERR, 0000
 REBECCA D KILL OREN, 0000
 EDWARD C KLETTSCHE JR., 0000
 NIR KOSSOVSKY, 0000
 MARYJO KOTACKA, 0000
 PAMELA N LANPHERE, 0000
 MARK A LIBERMAN, 0000
 FRANK P LIBERSEMAN JR., 0000
 MARIAN L MACDONALD, 0000
 DARLENE S MARKO, 0000
 JOHN M MARMOLEJO, 0000
 JOHN H MASTALSKI, 0000
 MARTIN L MATHIESEN, 0000
 FREDERIC E MATTHEWS, 0000
 PAMELA W MCDONALD, 0000
 HARRY C MCDONALD, 0000
 KATHLEEN A MCGOWAN, 0000
 JOSEPH N MCCA, 0000
 STEVEN M MILLER, 0000
 DAVID J MISISCO, 0000
 ALEXANDER MOLDANADO, 0000
 PATRICIA W MONTGOMERY, 0000
 CATHY A MORENO, 0000
 LELAND J MORRISON, 0000
 EDWARD Y OHANIAN, 0000
 CHIKARA OHTAKE, 0000
 JOHN H OLDFERSHAW, 0000
 GUILLERMO OLIVOS, 0000
 FRANK W J OSTRANDER, 0000
 PAUL M OVERVOLD, 0000
 KAYE K OWEN, 0000
 ANGELA S PALOMO, 0000
 JEFFREY D PARADEE, 0000
 DENNIS J PATIN, 0000
 PHILIP M PAYNE III, 0000

JULIE A PEARSON, 0000
 MARK W PEDERSEN, 0000
 MICHAEL L POTTER, 0000
 SCOTT M POTTINGER, 0000
 MICHAEL J PRICE, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER A PROCTOR, 0000
 LEE R RAS, 0000
 JAMES H REES, 0000
 EDWARD J REGAN, 0000
 JOHN K REZEN, 0000
 WILLIAM F ROOS JR., 0000
 JULIAN F ROSE, 0000
 GLENN ROSS, 0000
 KENNETH M SAMPLE, 0000
 TIMOTHY P SCEVIOUR, 0000
 MICHAEL R SCHESSER, 0000
 SCOTT R SCHOEM, 0000
 DEAN T SCOW, 0000
 JOHN T SENKO, 0000
 MICHAEL F SHANNON, 0000
 WILLIAM H SIMPSON, 0000
 GAIL A SMITH, 0000
 SCOTT D SORESENSEN, 0000
 SCOTT L STAFFORD, 0000
 KEITH R STEPHENSON, 0000
 CHARLES E STEWART JR., 0000
 DOROTHY M A STUNDON, 0000
 RAYMOND F SULLIVAN, 0000
 FLOYD K SUMIDA, 0000
 BRIAN C SVAZAS, 0000
 WILLIAM B SWEENEY, 0000
 DAVID N TAFT, 0000
 KATHLEEN K THOMPSON, 0000
 THOMAS M THOMPSON, 0000
 KATHLEEN G THORP, 0000
 JIM W TISHER, 0000
 PETER P TONG, 0000
 VIRGINIA M TORSCH, 0000
 DANIEL J TRAUB, 0000
 JAMES A TURNER, 0000
 VICTORIA K TYSON, 0000
 JACK K UNANGST JR., 0000
 JOSEPH J VELLING, 0000
 STEVEN D VILLEGAS, 0000
 GARY M VOLZ, 0000
 JONATHAN G VUKOVICH, 0000
 MARY E WALKER, 0000
 BRIAN T WALSH, 0000
 SCOTT A WEIKERT, 0000
 THOMAS E WELKE, 0000
 LARRY T WEST, 0000
 HARRY T WHELAN, 0000
 PAUL R WHELAN, 0000
 VALERIE J WHITE, 0000
 GAYLE S WILBUR, 0000
 BRENDA L WILLIAMS, 0000
 JOHN M S WILLIAMS, 0000
 SONESEERE A WILSON, 0000
 KENNETH A WINGLER, 0000
 FRANK E WITTER, 0000
 DOUGLAS A WOLFE, 0000
 ELISABETH S WOLFE, 0000
 KEITH N WOLFE, 0000
 JUVANN M WOLFF, 0000
 VANCE A WORMWOOD, 0000
 DAVID P YOUNG, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 552:

To be commander

MICHAEL J. NYLLIS, 0000
 ROLFE K. WHITE, 0000

To be lieutenant commander

CHARLES F. CHIAPPETTI, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER D. CONNOR, 0000
 VINCENT F. GIARDINO JR., 0000
 DANIEL M. JAFFER, 0000
 NEVANA I. KOICHEFF, 0000
 EDWARD G. KORMAN, 0000
 MICHAEL R. LIGON, 0000
 KEITH L. MAYBERRY, 0000
 ROBERT K. MCBRIDE, 0000
 DAVID L. MCKAY, 0000
 RONALD D. PARKER, 0000
 EFFIE R. PETRIE, 0000
 TIMOTHY L. PHILLIPS, 0000
 JACQUELINE PRUITT, 0000

To be lieutenant

ALLEN D. ADKINS, 0000
 DENNIS A ALBA JR., 0000
 ERNESTO C. ANDRADA JR., 0000
 BRADLEY A. APPLEMAN, 0000
 PRISCILLA A. BARLETT, 0000
 OSCAR A. BARROW, 0000
 AMY L. BECKER, 0000
 NATHAN B. BEGLEY, 0000
 ROBERT E. BELK, 0000
 ARTHUR R. BLUM, 0000
 DEWUAN L. BOOKER, 0000
 RICHARD A. BORDEN, 0000
 ROBERT W. BOSHONK, 0000
 RALPH L. BOWERS, 0000
 WILLIAM L. BRECKINRIDGE, 0000
 GREGORY K. BROTHERTON, 0000
 CHARLES J. BUSTAMANTE II, 0000
 DAVID J. CAMPANELLA, 0000
 ANDREW J. CAMPBELL, 0000
 ABRAKAS J. CATALANOTTE, 0000
 JULIE A. CONRARDY, 0000
 COREY A. COOK, 0000
 GEORGE E. CORREA, 0000

DANIEL R. CROUCH, 0000
 JANET E. CUFFLEY, 0000
 ESKINDER DAGNACHEW, 0000
 MARK D. DAY, 0000
 TOM S. DEJARNETTE, 0000
 BYRON A. DIVINS, 0000
 JEANETTE C. DUDA, 0000
 TODD M. FRIEDMAN, 0000
 DAVID C. GARCIA, 0000
 ELLEN J. GARSIDE, 0000
 CLARENCE A. GIVENS, 0000
 JENNIFER A. GORNOWICH, 0000
 BRUCE A. GRAGERT, 0000
 DAVID L. GRAY, 0000
 DANIEL M. GRIMSBO, 0000
 JAMES H. HALE JR., 0000
 JAMES K. HANSEN, 0000
 SCOTT A. HARDY, 0000
 NEIL A. HARMON, 0000
 KIMBERLY D. HINSON, 0000
 BERTRAM C. HODGE, 0000
 DAMEN O. HOPFEINZ, 0000
 DEREK J. HOWE, 0000
 JEFFREY L. HUFF, 0000
 TODD C. HUNTLEY, 0000
 JOHN J. ISAACSON, 0000
 NANCY J. JOHNSON, 0000
 SARA J. JOHNSON, 0000
 STEPHEN O. JOHNSON, 0000
 TYLER P. JONES, 0000
 QUENTIN J. JURIN, 0000
 SEAN E. KARLS, 0000
 JOHN G. KASPALA, 0000
 STEVEN D. KELLEY, 0000
 JOSEPH KEMP, 0000
 JOHN A. KING, 0000
 JASON E. KLINGENBERG, 0000
 PETER R. KOEBLER, 0000
 SCOTT M. KOSNICK, 0000
 PAUL A. LANGLOIS, 0000
 MARGARET A. LARREA, 0000
 KENNETH B. LAWRENCE, 0000
 BRENDAN J. LEARY, 0000
 BRIAN E. LEGERE, 0000
 DAVID M. LEVY, 0000
 RACHEL M. LEWIS, 0000
 DANIEL W. LOYD, 0000
 LORRAINE A. LUCIANO, 0000
 CHRISTINE L. LUSTER, 0000
 MICHAEL D. MAXWELL, 0000
 JOSHUA H. MCKAY, 0000
 REBECCA A. MCKNIGHT, 0000
 JEFFERY T. MENNA, 0000
 ELIZABETH MEYDENBAUER, 0000
 KENNETH H. MILLER, 0000
 JOAQUIN J. MOLINA, 0000
 THOMAS A. I. MONEYMAKER, 0000
 JASON S. MORTON, 0000
 MICHAEL MULLEN, 0000
 STEPHEN R. NEVAREZ, 0000
 KENNETH J. OAKES, 0000
 JONATHAN G. ODOM, 0000
 MATTHEW W. OLSTAD, 0000
 CARLOS L. ORTIZ, 0000
 DANIEL P. PAPP, 0000
 ROBERT J. PASSERELLO, 0000
 DAVID C. PECK, 0000
 JON D. PEPPETTI, 0000
 JACQUELINE L. PIERRE, 0000
 JEFFREY S. POWELL, 0000
 RYAN M. RASMUSSEN, 0000
 WARREN A. RECORD, 0000
 DAVID L. RICHMAN, 0000
 GABRIELA RODRIGUEZ, 0000
 TIMOTHY A. ROGERS, 0000
 MARK D. ROMAN, 0000
 JOSEPH ROMERO, 0000
 JENNIFER L. ROPER, 0000
 MICHAEL D. ROSENTHAL, 0000
 JAMES R. SANDERS, 0000
 DAVID C. SASSER, 0000
 BETH A. SAULS, 0000
 THOMAS P. SCARRY, 0000
 TORSTEN SCHMIDT, 0000
 OWEN M. SCHOOLSKEY, 0000
 ANNA M. SCHWARZ, 0000
 RANDALL E. SCOTT, 0000
 CARL C. SMART, 0000
 NEIL T. SMITH, 0000
 WENDY L. SNYDER, 0000
 ANGELA Y. STANLEY, 0000
 ANDREW J. STRICKLER, 0000
 FRANK H. STUBBS III, 0000
 COLLIN C. SULLIVAN, 0000
 MARY C. SUTTON, 0000
 DAVID E. TAMBELLINI, 0000
 REBECCA L. TAYLOR, 0000
 SAMUEL E. B. TAYLOR, 0000
 RONALD E. THACKER, 0000
 ROBERT A. TURNBULL, 0000
 TAMERA K. TUTTLE, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER VANAVERY, 0000
 RICHARD C. WHEELER II, 0000
 MONICA R. WILLIAMS, 0000
 BRETT A. WISE, 0000
 DIANNA WOLFSON, 0000
 ROBERT B. WOOD, 0000
 HOLLY A. YUDISKY, 0000
 TIMOTHY J. ZINCK, 0000
 CHRISTINE M. ZOHLEN, 0000

To be lieutenant (junior grade)

FRANCISCO J. ALSINA, 0000
 ROBERT H. ARMBRESTER, 0000
 TIMOTHY G. BELLOTT, 0000
 SHAWN D. BLICKLEY, 0000

BRENT M. BOGART, 0000
 VINCENT BOURGEOIS, 0000
 SYNEEDA P. BREWER, 0000
 TIMOTHY J. BURKE, 0000
 BRYCE D. BUTLER, 0000
 ADRIAN T. CALDER, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER D. CHUHRAN, 0000
 DAVID COLON, 0000
 STEVE M. CURRY, 0000
 ROBERT S. DAMSKY, 0000
 TYUS S. FEW III, 0000
 MITCHELL E. FILDES, 0000
 JAMES B. FILLIUS, 0000
 STEVEN L. FULTON, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER S. GARVIN, 0000
 RICHARD M. GENSLEY, 0000
 MATTHEW G. GRANT, 0000
 JACOB R. GUTIERREZ, 0000
 REGINALD F. HALL, 0000
 SCOTT D. HARVEY, 0000
 ANDREAS HEPPNER, 0000
 ROBERT L. HOLMES, 0000
 TAMMY K. JANSEN, 0000
 CAMELLIA G. KOZLOSKI, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER J. KUBACIK, 0000
 HAROLD D. LEDBETTER, 0000
 JEFFREY S. LOCK, 0000
 AARON M. LOWE, 0000
 SUZANNE R. MEYER, 0000
 MICHAEL S. MILLIKEN, 0000
 TIMOTHY B. MOORE, 0000
 TIMOTHY D. MULLER, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER S. MUSSELMAN, 0000
 RAMIRO E. ORELLANO, 0000
 BARRY R. PARKER, 0000
 STEPHEN H. PITMAN, 0000
 ERNESTO A. RAYMUNDO, 0000
 KENNETH W. RYKER III, 0000
 ROBERT S. SCOTT, 0000
 KEVIN S. SEIBEL, 0000
 PHILLIP M. STEVENS, 0000
 CHRISTOPHER M. SULLIVAN, 0000
 JENNIFER L. TETATZIN, 0000
 KADIATOU F. TRAORE, 0000
 SCOTT E. VANVOORHEES, 0000
 RICHARD D. VTPIL, 0000
 MICHELE A. WAARA, 0000
 EDWARD M. WEILER, 0000
 GERARD J. WHITE, 0000
 GHISLAINE WILLIAMS, 0000
 DORSEY G. WISOTZKI, 0000
 GEOFFREY W. YOUNG, 0000
 RYAN S. YUSKO, 0000

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

JUDITH ELIZABETH AYRES, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE AN ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, VICE WILLIAM A. NITZE, RESIGNED.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

GEORGE MCDADDE STAPLES, OF KENTUCKY, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF MINISTER-COUNSELOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF CAMEROON, AND TO SERVE CONCURRENTLY AND WITHOUT ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION AS AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF EQUATORIAL GUINEA.

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be vice admiral

VICE ADM. GORDON S. HOLDER, 0000

CONFIRMATION

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate June 29, 2001:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

NEAL A. MCCALEB, OF OKLAHOMA, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

THE ABOVE NOMINATION WAS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE NOMINEE'S COMMITMENT TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS TO APPEAR AND TESTIFY BEFORE ANY DULY CONSTITUTED COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE.

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. MICHAEL A. HAMEL, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. DALE W. MEYERROSE, 0000
 BRIG. GEN. WILBERT D. PEARSON JR., 0000

THE FOLLOWING AIR NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be brigadier general

COL. REX W. TANBERG JR., 0000

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

LT. GEN. JOHN A. VAN ALSTYNE, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. JAMES P. COLLINS, 0000

THE FOLLOWING ARMY NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. EDWARD L. CORREA JR., 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

LT. GEN. JAMES C. RILEY, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM S. WALLACE, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. BENJAMIN S. GRIFFIN, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

LT. GEN. LEON J. LAPORTE, 0000

IN THE MARINE CORPS

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. EDWARD HANLON JR., 0000

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT AS CHIEF OF THE BUREAU OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY AND SURGEON GENERAL AND FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 601 AND 5137:

To be vice admiral

REAR ADM. MICHAEL L. COWAN, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be Vice Admiral

VICE ADM. PATRICIA A. TRACEY, 0000

IN THE AIR FORCE

AIR FORCE NOMINATIONS BEGINNING STEVEN L. ADAMS, AND ENDING JANNETTE YOUNG, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 18, 2001.

IN THE ARMY

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING KEITH S * ALBERTSON, AND ENDING ROBERT K ZUEHLKE, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JANUARY 3, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING ERIC D * ADAMS, AND ENDING DAVID S ZUMERO, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON MAY 21, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING GREGGORY R. CLUFF, AND ENDING STEVEN W. VINSON, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON MAY 21, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING GILL P. BECK, AND ENDING MARGO D. SHERIDAN, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 5, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING CYNTHIA J. ABBADINI, AND ENDING THOMAS R * YARBER, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 5, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING JAMES E. GELETA, AND ENDING GARY S. OWENS, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 12, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING FLOYD E. BELL JR., AND ENDING STEVEN N. WICKSTROM, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 12, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING ROBERT E. ELLIOTT, AND ENDING PETER G. SMITH, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 18, 2001.

ARMY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING BRUCE M. BENNETT, AND ENDING GRANT E. ZACHARY JR., WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 18, 2001.

IN THE MARINE CORPS

MARINE CORPS NOMINATION OF DONALD E. GRAY JR. MARINE CORPS NOMINATIONS BEGINNING JESSICA L. ACOSTA, AND ENDING JOSEPH J. WILLER, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 12, 2001.

NAVY

NAVY NOMINATION OF CHARLIE C. BILES. NAVY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING JAMES W. ADKISSON III, AND ENDING MIKE ZIMMERMAN, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON MAY 21, 2001.

NAVY NOMINATION OF WILLIAM J. DIEHL. NAVY NOMINATION OF CHRISTOPHER M. RODRIGUES. NAVY NOMINATIONS BEGINNING ROGER T. BANKS, AND ENDING CARL ZEIGLER, WHICH NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED BY THE SENATE AND APPEARED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ON JUNE 12, 2001.