

take action to proceed with the implementation of the standards or "benchmark goals" outlined by UNMIK;

(9) strongly recommends that the United Nations review the structure and organization of UNMIK; and

(10) urges reinvigoration of dialogue between Belgrade and Pristina in an effort to move toward the establishment of a peaceful and secure environment guaranteeing freedom of movement and human rights for all people in Kosovo.

NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE DAY

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of S. Res. 338, which was submitted earlier today by Senator MURKOWSKI.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 338) calling on the President to designate April 16, 2004, as National Youth Service Day, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, earlier today I submitted a Senate resolution that requests the President of the United States to designate April 16, 2004, as "National Youth Service Day." I am proud to be submitting this Senate resolution for the second year. National Youth Service Day is the largest service event in the world with over 3 million participants. National Youth Service Day acknowledges the remarkable community service efforts of youth today, and encourages all people to recognize and support the significance of these contributions.

National Youth Service Day is a public awareness and education campaign that highlights the positive contributions that young people make to their communities throughout the year. On this day, youth from across the United States and the world will carry out community service projects in areas ranging from hunger to literacy to the environment. National Youth Service Day brings a diverse group of local, regional, and national partners together to support and promote youth service.

It is imperative to keep young people active and motivated and instilled with a sense of community responsibility. Volunteer work gives youth an outlet to gain this responsibility and to learn valuable skills that are essential to personal and academic achievement.

I thank my colleagues, Senators AKAKA, ALEXANDER, ALLEN, BAYH, BUNNING, CAMPBELL, CLINTON, COCHRAN, COLEMAN, COLLINS, CONRAD, DEWINE, DODD, DOMENICI, DURBIN, KERRY, LANDRIEU, MIKULSKI, MURRAY, SCHUMER, SNOWE, STABENOW, and STEVENS for cosponsoring this worthwhile legislation, which will ensure that youth across the country and the world know that all of their hard work is greatly appreciated.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution

be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements relating to this matter be printed in the RECORD.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 338) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. RES. 338

Whereas National Youth Service Day is an annual public awareness and education campaign that highlights the amazing contributions that young people make to their communities throughout the year;

Whereas the goals of National Youth Service Day are to mobilize youths as leaders to identify and address the needs of their communities through service and service-learning, to support youth on a lifelong path of service and civic engagement, and to educate the public, the media, and policymakers about the year-round contributions of young people as community leaders;

Whereas young people in the United States are volunteering more than has any generation in American history;

Whereas the ongoing contributions young people make to their communities throughout the year should be recognized and encouraged;

Whereas young people should be viewed as the hope not only of tomorrow, but of today, and should be valued for the inherent idealism, energy, creativity, and commitment that they employ in addressing the needs of their communities;

Whereas there is a fundamental and absolute correlation between youth service and lifelong adult volunteering and philanthropy;

Whereas a sustained investment by the Federal Government and commitment by corporate partners fuels the positive, long-term cultural change that will make service and service-learning the common expectation and common experience of all youth;

Whereas, through volunteer service and related learning opportunities, young people build character and learn valuable skills, including time management, teamwork, needs-assessment, and leadership, that are sought by employers;

Whereas service-learning, an innovative teaching method combining service to the community with a classroom curriculum, is a proven strategy to increase academic achievement;

Whereas private foundations and corporations support youth service and service-learning because they believe that strong communities begin with strong schools and a community investment in the lives and futures of youth;

Whereas National Youth Service Day is a program of Youth Service America, and is being observed in 2004 for the 16th consecutive year;

Whereas Youth Service America continues to expand National Youth Service Day, now engaging millions of young people nationwide with 50 Lead Agencies in nearly every State to organize activities across the United States;

Whereas Youth Service America has expanded National Youth Service Day to involve over 90 national partners;

Whereas National Youth Service Day has inspired Global Youth Service Day, which occurs concurrently in 127 countries and is now in its fifth year; and

Whereas young people will benefit greatly from expanded opportunities to engage in

meaningful volunteer service: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved,

SECTION 1. RECOGNITION AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF YOUTH COMMUNITY SERVICE.

The Senate recognizes and commends the significant contributions of American youth and encourages the cultivation of a common civic bond among young people dedicated to serving their neighbors, their communities, and the Nation.

SEC. 2. NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE DAY.

(a) SENSE OF THE SENATE.—It is the sense of the Senate that the President should designate April 16, 2004, as "National Youth Service Day".

(b) PROCLAMATION.—The Senate requests that the President issue a proclamation—

(1) designating April 16, 2004, as "National Youth Service Day"; and

(2) calling on the people of the United States to—

(A) observe the day by encouraging and engaging youth to participate in civic and community service projects;

(B) recognize the volunteer efforts of our Nation's young people throughout the year; and

(C) support these efforts as an investment in the future of our Nation.

AUTHORIZING THE MAJORITY LEADER TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that during the adjournment of the Senate, the majority leader be authorized to sign duly enrolled bills or joint resolutions.

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

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO FILE

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding the Senate's adjournment on Thursday, April 15, committees be authorized to file legislative and executive matters from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

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

AUTHORITY TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding the upcoming recess or adjournment of the Senate, the President of the Senate, the President of the Senate pro tempore, and the majority and minority leaders be authorized to make appointments to commissions, committees, boards, conferences, or inter-parliamentary conferences authorized by law, by concurrent action of the two Houses, or by order of the Senate.

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

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, APRIL 19, 2004

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 1 p.m., Monday, April 19. I

further ask that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate begin a period of morning business with Senators limited to speak for up to 10 minutes each.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, on Monday, April 19, the Senate will be in a period of morning business. I have stated it is our intention at this juncture to proceed to the consideration of S. 2290, the asbestos bill. Although we don't have an agreement on proceeding to the bill, we will continue to have discussions with the Democratic leadership in an effort to move forward on this legislation.

A few moments ago we reached an agreement which limits amendments to the FSC/ETI bill or the JOBS legislation. I know the Democratic leader worked in good faith to limit amendments on his side, and he has witnessed firsthand that I have had my hands full throughout the day as well. The attempt was made to limit the number of amendments as much as we possibly could. I feel that is what we have done. But I am personally disappointed we can't get the list smaller, especially on amendments that are totally unrelated. The agreement we entered into is to define the universe of amendments, and I would expect and encourage the managers to continue to work to whittle down that list appropriately. I expect them to do so, and that was the nature of the discussion we had today.

All of us know the calendar is working against us and we absolutely must, with the sanctions having an impact today and increasing every month, find a way to get this bill done. I don't believe it should be necessary—I hope my colleagues agree—to consider four pages of amendments. Again, I encourage the managers to work with all of our colleagues to limit the number of amendments we ultimately consider.

As I previously announced, we will not be having rollcall votes on April 19. A number of colleagues will want to talk on the issues, including asbestos, and they will be able to do that on Monday.

Having said that, I wish all of our colleagues a safe and happy recess.

Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, APRIL, 19, 2004, AT 1 P.M.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the provisions of H. Con. Res. 404.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:52 p.m., adjourned until Monday, April 19, 2004, at 1 p.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the senate April 8, 2004:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BENJAMIN H. WU, OF MARYLAND, TO BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR TECHNOLOGY POLICY, VICE BRUCE P. MEHLMAN, RESIGNED.

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

JON D. LEIBOWITZ, OF MARYLAND, TO BE A FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSIONER FOR A TERM OF SEVEN YEARS FROM SEPTEMBER 26, 2003, VICE MOZELLE WILLMONT THOMPSON, TERM EXPIRED.

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

SUEDEEN G. KELLY, OF NEW MEXICO, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2009. (REAPPOINTMENT)

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

STUART LEVEY, OF MARYLAND, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY FOR ENFORCEMENT, VICE JIMMY GURULE, RESIGNED.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

PATRICK P. O'CARROLL, JR., OF MARYLAND, TO BE INSPECTOR GENERAL, SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, VICE JAMES G. HUSE, JR., RETIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

JEFFREY D. FELTMAN, OF OHIO, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF COUNSELOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF LEBANON.

PATRICIA M. HASLACH, OF OREGON, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF COUNSELOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC.

RICHARD LEBARON, OF VIRGINIA, 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 STATE OF KUWAIT.

VICTOR HENDERSON ASHE, OF TENNESSEE, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF POLAND.

JAMES B. CUNNINGHAM, OF PENNSYLVANIA, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF CAREER MINISTER, TO BE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE VIENNA OFFICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS, WITH THE RANK OF AMBASSADOR.

JAMES B. CUNNINGHAM, OF PENNSYLVANIA, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF CAREER MINISTER, TO BE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY, WITH THE RANK OF AMBASSADOR.

MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD

BARBARA J. SAPIN, OF MARYLAND, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD FOR THE TERM OF SEVEN YEARS EXPIRING MARCH 1, 2007, VICE BENJAMIN LEADER ERDREICH, RESIGNED.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

ALLEN WEINSTEIN, OF MARYLAND, TO BE ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES, VICE JOHN W. CARLIN.

BARRY GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION FOUNDATION

RAQUEL EGUSQUIZA, OF MICHIGAN, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE BARRY GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION FOUNDATION FOR A TERM EXPIRING OCTOBER 13, 2005, VICE LYNDIA HARE SCRIBANTE, TERM EXPIRED.

JULIA L. WU, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE BARRY GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION FOUNDATION FOR A TERM EXPIRING FEBRUARY 4, 2008, VICE JAMES ROGER ANGEL, TERM EXPIRED.

FOREIGN SERVICE

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED PERSONS OF THE AGENCIES INDICATED FOR APPOINTMENT AS FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS OF THE CLASS STATED, AND ALSO FOR THE OTHER APPOINTMENTS INDICATED HEREWITH:

FOR APPOINTMENT AS FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS OF CLASS FOUR, CONSULAR OFFICER AND SECRETARY IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ELIZA FERGUSON AL-LAHAM, OF MARYLAND
AMY E. ARCHIBALD, OF CALIFORNIA
JOSHUA C. ARCHIBALD, OF CALIFORNIA
STACY MARIE BARRIOS, OF LOUISIANA
KIMBERLY S. BARR, OF TEXAS
JOHN P. BARRY JR., OF NEW YORK
CHAD J. BERBERT, OF UTAH
RICHARD LEE BUANGAN, OF CALIFORNIA
AMY A. CARNIE, OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DAVID L. CITRON, OF FLORIDA
JOHN DAVID COCKRELL, OF OHIO
THOMAS MCKINNEY COLEMAN, OF MISSISSIPPI
ROBERT A. COLLINS, OF TEXAS
CAROL ANNE COX, OF WASHINGTON
MICHAEL PATRICK CRAGUN, OF OREGON
JASON RICHARD CUBAS, OF FLORIDA
AIMEE CUTRONA, OF CALIFORNIA
CHARLES W. DAVIS JR., OF TEXAS
MARK DARYL ERICKSON, OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
AARON DAVID FISHMAN, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
JAMES H. FLOWERS, OF TEXAS
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GREGORY N. CARDNER, OF CALIFORNIA
GREGORY LAWRENCE GARLAND, OF FLORIDA
BRIAN JOSEPH GEORGE, OF MICHIGAN
ETHAN GLICK, OF MARYLAND
RICARDO N. GRAY, OF CALIFORNIA
SIMON R. HANKINSON, OF FLORIDA
LANCE KYLE HEGERLE, OF CALIFORNIA
JUSTIN HIGGINS, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CHRISTOPHER W. HODGES, OF GEORGIA
ROBERT MORRIS W. HOLLISTER JR., OF TENNESSEE
CHING-HSIU SHERRY HONG, OF FLORIDA
AARON WAYNE JENSEN, OF OREGON
AMANDA CELESTE MORROW JENSEN, OF TEXAS
BRIAN D. JENSEN, OF CALIFORNIA
MICHELLE LYNN JONES, OF OHIO
GABRIEL M. KAYPAIGHAN, OF CALIFORNIA
JATHAN BENNETT KORACH, OF VIRGINIA
WILLIAM HENRY LAITINEN, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DAVID MICHAEL LAMONTAGNE, OF NORTH CAROLINA
MICHAEL E. LATHAM, OF VIRGINIA
SARAH MICHELLE MATHAI, OF CONNECTICUT
KRISTOPHER WILLIAM MCCAHON, OF VIRGINIA
DANIEL F. MCCULLOUGH, OF VIRGINIA
JOHN ROSS MCGUIRE, OF VIRGINIA
GREGORY R. C. MORRISON, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

MARK EDWARD MOTLEY, OF NEW YORK
HERRO K. MUSTAFA, OF VIRGINIA
CONSTANTINOS C. NICOLAIDIS, OF WASHINGTON
HUGHES P. OGIER, OF HAWAII
MORGAN ANDREW PARKER, OF MISSOURI
LIZA PETUSH, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CHARRAZEE SIOUD, OF MARYLAND
MICHAEL J. SOLBERG, OF FLORIDA
MICHELLE A. SOLINSKY, OF VIRGINIA
DOUGLAS EUGENE SONNEK, OF CALIFORNIA
SHAYNA R. STEINGER, OF IOWA
TODD R. STONE, OF CALIFORNIA
BARBARA M. THOMAS, OF MINNESOTA
DU D. TRAN, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
VALDA MAIJA VIKMANIS, OF MINNESOTA
PAUL S. WATZLAVICK, OF TEXAS
JONATHAN K. WEBSTER, OF MARYLAND
JONATHAN CRAIG WEYER, OF NEW JERSEY
STEPHANIE A. WICKES, OF VIRGINIA
HENRY T. WOOSTER, OF VIRGINIA
HUGO YUE-HO YON, OF CALIFORNIA

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES FOR PERSONNEL ACTION IN THE REGULAR COMPONENT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE SUBJECT TO QUALIFICATIONS THEREFORE AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND REGULATIONS:

To be medical director

TERENCE L. CHORBA
LAURA J. FEHRS
JAMES M. GALLOWAY
ALAN E. GREENBERG
EVAN C. HADLEY
THOMAS R. HALES
PETER M. HOUCK
MARGARET T. LEE
JOHN R. LIVENGODD
NEIL J. MURPHY
BERNARD L. NAHLEN
PATRICK W. OCARROLL
LYLE R. PETERSEN
MARK H. SCHIFFMAN
JOSEPH E. SNIEZEK
KEVIN S. YESKEY

To be senior surgeon

MARY M. AGOCS
JAMES P. ALEXANDER JR.
M. MILES BRAUN
MARTIN S. CETRON
THERESA DIAZ VARGAS
HAMID S. JAFARI
ERIC D. MINTZ
DIANE A. MITCHELL
CAROL A. PERTOWSKI
MICHAEL PRATT
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