

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. David Architzel, 0741, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. John D. Stufflebeem, 4012, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (Selectee) Adam M. Robinson, Jr., 9660, to be Vice Admiral.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

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

Air Force nominations beginning with Maria M. Alsina and ending with Le Thi Zimmerman, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 19, 2007.

Air Force nomination of Jonathan L. Hugins, 8049, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Nelson L. Reynolds, 6465, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Bryan M. Boyles, 7840, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Michael S. Agabegi, 3057, to be Major.

Air Force nomination of Freddie M. Goldwire, 9686, to be Major.

Air Force nominations beginning with Val C. Hagans and ending with Rujing Han, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Air Force nominations beginning with Kent S. Thompson and ending with Javier Santiago, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Air Force nominations beginning with Thomas S. Butler and ending with Adam W. Schnicker, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with James E. Caraway, Jr. and ending with William S. Weichl, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 4, 2007.

Army nomination of Stephen T. Sauter, 3267, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Terry D. Bonner, 7657, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Mark Trawinski, 3185, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Francisco C. Dominici, 5062, to be Major.

Army nomination of Joseph E. Jones, 2493, to be Major.

Army nomination of Colin S. McKenzie, 0759, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Lozay Foots and ending with Joseph L. Karhan, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with Louis R. Kubala and ending with Thomas K. Spears, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with William A. McNaughton and ending with Michael B. Vitt, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with James E. Cole and ending with Michael F. Traver, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with Daniel L. Duecker and ending with Douglas L. Weeks, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with Joseph A. Bernierrodriguez and ending with Edward M. Wise, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Army nominations beginning with Mazen Abbas and ending with Tamatha F. Zemzars, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 17, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Nicholas J. Alaga, Jr. and ending with Mark H. Zuhone, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 15, 2007.

Navy nomination of Peter J. Oldmixon, 3125, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nominations beginning with Dan L. Ammons and ending with Robert D. Woods, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Gilbert Ayan and ending with Colin D. Xander, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Simonia R. Blassingame and ending with Jason L. Webb, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Jeffrey A. Bayless and ending with Warren Yu, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Chris D. Agar and ending with Tyrone L. Ward, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Paul B. Anderson and ending with Darren S. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Christina S. Hagen and ending with Ron A. Steiner, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Christopher J. Arends and ending with Keith E. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Sarah A. Dachos and ending with Clay G. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Benito E. Baylosis and ending with Jon E. Withee, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Douglas S. Belvin and ending with Kyle T. Turco, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Fitzgerald Britton and ending with John F. Zrembski, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with William L. Abbott and ending with Allen W. Wooten, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Kevin T. Aanestad and ending with William A. Zie-

gler, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 28, 2007.

Navy nomination of Bruce S. Lavin, 5081, to be Captain.

Navy nominations beginning with Christopher R. Davis and ending with Alan J. Ferguson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Robert D. Clery and ending with Garfield M. Sicard, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Michael J. Allanson and ending with Janine Y. Wood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 12, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Maria L. Aguayo and ending with Steven T. Zimmerman, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 17, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Antony Berchmanz and ending with Glen Wood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 17, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Eric J. Bach and ending with William B. Zabicki, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 17, 2007.

Navy nominations beginning with Elizabeth M. Adriano and ending with Scot A. Youngblood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 17, 2007.

By Mrs. BOXER for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

*R. Lyle Laverty, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife.

*Robert Boldrey, of Michigan, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring May 26, 2013.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. REED (for himself, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Ms. KLOBUCHAR):

S. 1903. A bill to extend the temporary protected status designation of Liberia under section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act so that Liberians can continue to be eligible for such status through September 30, 2008; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SALAZAR (for himself and Mr. NELSON of Nebraska):

S. 1904. A bill to amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to ensure that only producers receive commodity program payments; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. 1905. A bill to provide for a rotating schedule for regional selection of delegates to a national Presidential nominating convention, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. BAUCUS (for himself and Mr. COLEMAN):

S. 1906. A bill to understand and comprehensively address the oral health problems associated with methamphetamine use; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BAUCUS (for himself and Mr. COLEMAN):

S. 1907. A bill to amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to understand and comprehensively address the inmate oral health problems associated with methamphetamine use, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. VITTER:

S. 1908. A bill to amend the procedures regarding military recruiter access to secondary school student recruiting information; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. ISAKSON:

S. 1909. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage, as supplies associated with the injection of insulin, of home needle removal, decontamination, and disposal devices and the disposal of needles and syringes through a sharps-by-mail or similar program under part D of the Medicare program; to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. SPECTER, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. DODD, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. HATCH):

S. Res. 285. A resolution designating September 9, 2007, as "National Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Awareness Day"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. KYL, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. CRAIG, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. TESTER, and Mr. REID):

S. Res. 286. A resolution recognizing the heroic efforts of firefighters to contain numerous wildfires throughout the Western United States; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. Res. 287. A resolution honoring and expressing gratitude to the 1st Battalion of the 133rd Infantry ("Ironman Battalion") of the Iowa National Guard; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 59

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 59, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to improve access to advanced practice nurses and physician assistants under the Medicaid Program.

S. 60

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr.

DURBIN) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 60, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide a means for continued improvement in emergency medical services for children.

S. 65

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the names of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 65, a bill to modify the age-60 standard for certain pilots, and for other purposes.

S. 459

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 459, a bill to require that health plans provide coverage for a minimum hospital stay for mastectomies, lumpectomies, and lymph node dissection for the treatment of breast cancer and coverage for secondary consultations.

S. 548

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) was added as a cosponsor of S. 548, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that a deduction equal to fair market value shall be allowed for charitable contributions of literary, musical, artistic, or scholarly compositions created by the donor.

S. 558

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 558, a bill to provide parity between health insurance coverage of mental health benefits and benefits for medical and surgical services.

S. 582

At the request of Mr. SMITH, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 582, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to classify automatic fire sprinkler systems as 5-year property for purposes of depreciation.

S. 588

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 588, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to increase the Medicare caps on graduate medical education positions for States with a shortage of residents.

S. 626

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 626, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for arthritis research and public health, and for other purposes.

S. 651

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cospon-

sor of S. 651, a bill to help promote the national recommendation of physical activity to kids, families, and communities across the United States.

S. 656

At the request of Mr. REED, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 656, a bill to provide for the adjustment of status of certain nationals of Liberia to that of lawful permanent residence.

S. 771

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cosponsor of S. 771, a bill to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to improve the nutrition and health of schoolchildren by updating the definition of "food of minimal nutritional value" to conform to current nutrition science and to protect the Federal investment in the national school lunch and breakfast programs.

S. 819

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. SALAZAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 819, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand tax-free distributions from individual retirement accounts for charitable purposes.

S. 961

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, the names of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) and the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN) were added as cosponsors of S. 961, a bill to amend title 46, United States Code, to provide benefits to certain individuals who served in the United States merchant marine (including the Army Transport Service and the Naval Transport Service) during World War II, and for other purposes.

S. 1010

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1010, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage guaranteed lifetime income payments from annuities and similar payments of life insurance proceeds at dates later than death by excluding from income a portion of such payments.

S. 1070

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1070, a bill to amend the Social Security Act to enhance the social security of the Nation by ensuring adequate public-private infrastructure and to resolve to prevent, detect, treat, intervene in, and prosecute elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, and for other purposes.

S. 1143

At the request of Mr. MARTINEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1143, a bill to designate the Jupiter Inlet Lighthouse and the surrounding Federal land in the State of Florida as