

PROGRAM

Mr. SALAZAR. Mr. President, the Senate has voted on two amendments relating to earmarks that were approved unanimously by a vote of 98 to 0. Plus, the Senate voted to invoke cloture on the Reid amendment regarding travel and corporate jets. I understand there are several second-degree amendments that were filed, and we hope to address any germane second-degree amendments prior to disposing of the travel amendment. Once we dispose of the travel amendment, then we will have a cloture vote on the substitute amendment.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M.
TOMORROW

Mr. SALAZAR. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate today, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:11 p.m., adjourned until 10 a.m., Wednesday, January 17, 2007.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate January 16, 2007:

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT AS THE CHIEF OF STAFF, UNITED STATES ARMY, AND APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10 U.S.C., SECTIONS 3033 AND 601:

To be general

GEN. GEORGE W. CASEY, JR.

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 general

LT. GEN. DAVID H. PETRAEUS

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 M. DUBIK

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. KARL W. EIKENBERRY

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 admiral

ADM. WILLIAM J. FALLON

THE JUDICIARY

NORMAN RANDY SMITH, OF IDAHO, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, VICE THOMAS G. NELSON, RETIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

ROSA EMILIA RODRIGUEZ-VELEZ, OF PUERTO RICO, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE HUMBERTO S. GARCIA, RESIGNED.

JOHN WOOD, OF MISSOURI, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE TODD PETERSON GRAVES, RESIGNED.

MICHAEL DAVID CREDO, OF LOUISIANA, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE THEOPHILE ALCESTE DURONCELET, RESIGNED.

ROBERT GIDEON HOWARD, JR., OF ARKANSAS, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE RAY ELMER CARNAHAN, RESIGNED.

IN THE ARMY

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. GEORGE J. SMITH

IN THE MARINE CORPS

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

To be brigadier general

COLONEL DAVID H. BERGER
COLONEL WILLIAM D. BEYDLER
COLONEL MARK A. BRILAKIS
COLONEL MARK A. CLARK
COLONEL DAVID C. GARZA
COLONEL CHARLES L. HUDSON
COLONEL RONALD J. JOHNSON
COLONEL THOMAS M. MURRAY
COLONEL LAWRENCE D. NICHOLSON
COLONEL ANDREW W. O'DONNELL, JR.
COLONEL ROBERT R. RUARK

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

To be colonel

JAMES D. BARICH
IVAN GLASCO
WILLIAM J. HARKIN II
SEAN M. HEERY
LISA J. HYNES
JOSEPH T. KRUMM
MARCUS J. MESSINA
GORDON B. OVERY, JR.

WITHDRAWAL

Executive message transmitted by the President to the Senate on January 16, 2007, withdrawing from further Senate consideration the following nomination:

NORMAN RANDY SMITH, OF IDAHO, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, VICE STEPHEN S. TROTT, RETIRED, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JANUARY 9, 2007.