

America-United States Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act is amended by inserting after the item relating to section 403 the following:

“Sec. 404. Earned import allowance program.”.

### SEC. 3. AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY ACT.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 112 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3721) is amended—

(1) in subsection (b)(6)(A), by striking “ethnic” in the second sentence and inserting “ethnic”; and

(2) in subsection (c)—

(A) in paragraph (1), by striking “, and subsection (2)”; and

(B) by striking paragraphs (2) and (3);

(C) in paragraph (4)—

(i) by striking “Subsection (b)(3)(C)” and inserting “Subsection (b)(3)(B)”; and

(ii) by redesignating such paragraph (4) as paragraph (2); and

(D) by striking paragraph (5) and inserting the following:

“(3) DEFINITION.—In this subsection, the term ‘lesser developed beneficiary sub-Saharan African country’ means—

“(A) a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country that had a per capita gross national product of less than \$1,500 in 1998, as measured by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development;

“(B) Botswana;

“(C) Namibia; and

“(D) Mauritius.”.

(b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by subsection (a) apply to goods entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

(c) REVIEW AND REPORTS.—

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(A) REVIEW.—The United States International Trade Commission shall conduct a review to identify yarns, fabrics, and other textile and apparel inputs that through new or increased investment or other measures can be produced competitively in beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries.

(B) REPORT.—Not later than 7 months after the date of the enactment of this Act, the United States International Trade Commission shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees and the Comptroller General a report on the results of the review carried out under subparagraph (A).

(2) GAO REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the submission of the report under paragraph (1)(B), the Comptroller General shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report that, based on the results of the report submitted under paragraph (1)(B) and other available information, contains recommendations for changes to United States trade preference programs, including the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3701 et seq.) and the amendments made by that Act, to provide incentives to increase investment and other measures necessary to improve the competitiveness of beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries in the production of yarns, fabrics, and other textile and apparel inputs identified in the report submitted under paragraph (1)(B), including changes to requirements relating to rules of origin under such programs.

(3) DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection—

(A) the term “appropriate congressional committees” means the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Finance of the Senate; and

(B) the term “beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries” has the meaning given the term in section 506A(c) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a(c)).

(d) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—Section 6002(a)(2)(B) of Public Law 109–432 is amended by striking “(B) by striking” and inserting “(B) in paragraph (3), by striking”.

### SEC. 4. GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES.

Section 505 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2465) is amended by striking “December 31, 2008” and inserting “December 31, 2009”.

### SEC. 5. CUSTOMS USER FEES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 13031(j)(3) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(j)(3)) is amended—

(1) in subparagraph (A), by striking “November 14, 2017” and inserting “February 14, 2018”; and

(2) in subparagraph (B)(i), by striking “October 7, 2017” and inserting “January 31, 2018”.

(b) REPEAL.—Section 15201 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–246) is amended by striking subsections (c) and (d).

### SEC. 6. TIME FOR PAYMENT OF CORPORATE ESTIMATED TAXES.

The percentage under subparagraph (C) of section 401(1) of the Tax Increase Prevention and Reconciliation Act of 2005 in effect on the date of the enactment of this Act is increased by 2 percentage points.

### SEC. 7. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.

Section 15402 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–246) is amended—

(1) in subsections (a) and (b), by striking “Caribbean” each place it appears and inserting “Caribbean”; and

(2) in subsection (d), by striking “231A(b)” and inserting “213A(b)”.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION

### EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to executive session to consider Calendar Nos. 695, 758, 759, 762, 763, 764, 767 to and including 770, 776, 777, 778, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790 to and including 812, all nominations on the Secretary's Desk in the Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, and Navy; that the Commerce Committee be discharged of PN2090, Coast Guard promotions; that the HELP Committee be discharged of the following: for membership on the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission: PN1828, Mary Lucille Jordan, and PN1976 Michael Young; for membership on the National Council on Disability: PN1503 Katherine O. McCary; PN1509 Chad Colley; PN1510 Victoria Ray Carlson; PN1511 Tony J. Williams; PN1512 John R. Vaughn; PN1761 Marlyn Andrea Howe; PN1762 Lonnie C. Moore; PN1763 Heather McCallum; for membership on the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation: PN1687 John J. Faso; PN1688 Joe Manchin III; PN1689 Harvey M. Tettlebaum; for membership on the Board of Trustees of the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation: PN1977 Dave Heineman; for membership on the National Science Board, National Science Foundation: PN2023 Esin Gulari; PN2025 Diane Souvaine; for membership on the National Council

on the Arts: PN2102 JoAnn Falletta and PN2103 Lee Greenwood; that the Finance Committee be discharged of PN2017, Edwin Eck, Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board; that the Foreign Relations Committee be discharged of the following: to serve as a U.S. Representative to the U.N. General Assembly: PN2055 Anthony H. Gioia and PN2056 Karen Elliott House; PN1751 James Franklin Jeffrey to be Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service; for various foreign service officers, consular officers and career members of the senior foreign service: PN1991, PN1998, PN1999 and PN2000; that the Judiciary Committee be discharged of PN1703 Dennis Michael Klein; that the Senate proceed to their consideration, en bloc; that the nominations be confirmed, en bloc; the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, en bloc; that no further motions be in order; and that any statements relating to the nominations be printed in the Record; provided further that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action and the Senate return to legislative session.

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

The nominations considered and confirmed en bloc are as follows:

#### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Christine O. Hill, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Congressional Affairs).

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Matthew A. Reynolds, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Legislative Affairs).

Brian H. Hook, of Iowa, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (International Organization Affairs).

C. Steven McGann, of New York, 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 the Fiji Islands, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Nauru, the Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, and the Republic of Kiribati.

Carol Ann Rodley, 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 Kingdom of Cambodia.

Sung Y. Kim, of California, a Foreign Service Officer of Class One, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Special Envoy for the Six Party Talks.

#### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Patrick W. Dunne, of New York, to be Under Secretary for Benefits of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

#### FEDERAL LABOR RELATIONS AUTHORITY

Carol Waller Pope, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term expiring July 1, 2009 (Reappointment), to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

Thomas M. Beck, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 2010.

#### POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

Ruth Y. Goldway, of California, to be a Commissioner of the Postal Regulatory

Commission for the term expiring November 22, 2014. (Reappointment)

#### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Gregory G. Garre, of Maryland, to be Solicitor General of the United States, vice Paul D. Clement, resigned.

George W. Venables, of California, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of California for the term of four years.

A. Brian Albritton, of Florida, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida for the term of four years.

#### ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

Gracia M. Hillman, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2009. (Reappointment)

Donetta Davidson, of Colorado, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2011. (Reappointment)

Rosemary E. Rodriguez, of Colorado, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2011. (Reappointment)

Gineen Bresso Beach, of New York, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for the remainder of the term expiring December 12, 2009, vice Caroline C. Hunter, resigned.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Michael Bruce Donley, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Air Force, vice Michael W. Wynne, resigned.

#### NATIONAL SECURITY EDUCATION BOARD

David H. McIntyre, of Texas, to be a Member of the National Security Education Board for a term of four years, vice Mark Falcoff, term expiring.

Mark J. Gerencser, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the National Security Education Board for a term of four years, vice Robert N. Shamansky, term expired.

#### IN THE NAVY

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Navy to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

#### *To be rear admiral*

Rear Adm. (1h) Timothy V. Flynn, III

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Navy Reserve to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

#### *To be rear admiral (lower half)*

Capt. George W. Ballance

#### 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*

Brig. Gen. Patrick J. O'Reilly

#### IN THE AIR FORCE

The following named officer for appointment as Vice Chief of Staff, United States Air Force, and appointment to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., sections 8034 and 601:

#### *To be general*

Lt. Gen. William M. Fraser, III

The following named officer for appointment as the Chief of the National Guard Bureau and for appointment to the grade indicated in the Reserve of the Air Force under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 10502:

#### *To be general*

Lt. Gen. Craig R. McKinley

#### 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 general*

Gen. David D. McKiernan

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. William G. Webster, Jr.

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

#### *To be major general*

Brigadier General Daniel B. Allyn  
Brigadier General Rodney O. Anderson  
Brigadier General James O. Barclay, III  
Brigadier General Arthur M. Bartell  
Brigadier General John R. Bartley  
Brigadier General John M. Bednarek  
Brigadier General Donald M. Campbell, Jr.  
Brigadier General John F. Campbell  
Brigadier General Charles T. Cleveland  
Brigadier General Jeffrey J. Dorko  
Brigadier General Kenneth S. Dowd  
Brigadier General Michael Ferriter  
Brigadier General Michael T. Flynn  
Brigadier General William B. Garrett, III  
Brigadier General James L. Hodge  
Brigadier General James L. Huggins, Jr.  
Brigadier General John D. Johnson  
Brigadier General Nickolas G. Justice  
Brigadier General Susan S. Lawrence  
Brigadier General Kevin A. Leonard  
Brigadier General Gregg F. Martin  
Brigadier General James M. Milano  
Brigadier General John W. Peabody  
Brigadier General David G. Perkins  
Brigadier General James L. Terry  
Brigadier General Michael S. Tucker  
Brigadier General Joseph L. Votel  
Brigadier General Francis J. Wiercinski  
Brigadier General Terry A. Wolff

The following Army National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army in 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. H. Steven Blum

#### IN THE AIR FORCE

The following Air National Guard of the United States officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grades indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 12203 and 12212:

#### *To be major general*

Brigadier General Garry C. Dean  
Brigadier General Steven R. Doohen  
Brigadier General Donald E. Fick  
Brigadier General Kathleen E. Fick  
Brigadier General Linda K. McTague  
Brigadier General Alan W. Palmer  
Brigadier General Charles E. Tucker, Jr.  
Brigadier General Jannette Young

#### *To be brigadier general*

Colonel John D. Bledsoe, Jr.  
Colonel Brewster S. Butters  
Colonel Charles E. Foster, Jr.  
Colonel Mark R. Kraus  
Colonel Catherine S. Lutz  
Colonel Joseph K. Martin, Jr.  
Colonel Jay M. Pearsall  
Colonel James W. Schroeder

#### 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*

Rear Adm. Alan S. Thompson

#### 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 brigadier general*

Col. Karlynn P. O'Shaughnessy

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. Carroll F. Pollett

David H. Pryor, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014. (Reappointment)

Bruce M. Ramer, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2012, vice Warren Bell.

Elizabeth Sembler, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014, vice Claudia Puig, term expired.

Loretta Cheryl Sutliff, of Nevada, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2012, vice Frank Henry Cruz, term expired.

#### IN THE COAST GUARD

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Coast Guard to the grade indicated under Section 271, Title 14, U.S. Code:

#### *To be rear admiral*

Rear Adm. (1h) Christopher C. Colvin  
Rear Adm. (1h) David T. Glenn  
Rear Adm. (1h) Mary E. Landry  
Rear Adm. (1h) Ronald J. Rabago  
Rear Adm. (1h) Paul F. Zukunft

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Coast Guard to the grade indicated under section 271, title 14, U.S. Code:

#### *To be rear admiral*

Rear Adm. (1h) Thomas F. Atkin  
Rear Adm. (1h) Kevin S. Cook  
Rear Adm. (1h) Daniel A. Neptun  
Rear Adm. (1h) Thomas P. Ostebo  
Rear Adm. (1h) Steven H. Ratti  
Rear Adm. (1h) James A. Watson

#### NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK

#### IN THE AIR FORCE

PN1933 AIR FORCE nomination of Sarah C. L. Scullion, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1934 AIR FORCE nomination of Richard E. Cutts, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1935 AIR FORCE nomination of Karl L. Brown, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1936 AIR FORCE nominations (2) beginning ANDREW T. HARKREADER, and ending TARIS S. HAWKINS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1995 AIR FORCE nominations (2) beginning Darrell I. Morgan, and ending ROGER E. JONES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 9, 2008.

PN2001 AIR FORCE nominations (8) beginning THOMAS R. REED, and ending

VIJAYALAKSHMI SRIPATHY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2002 AIR FORCE nomination of Daniel Uribe, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2003 AIR FORCE nomination of Mark A. Lambertsen, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2004 AIR FORCE nomination of Randy L. Manella, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2005 AIR FORCE nomination of Timothy W. Ricks, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2006 AIR FORCE nominations (7) beginning MARCO V. GALVEZ, and ending JOHN T. SYMONDS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2031 AIR FORCE nominations (527) beginning JOHN J. ABBATIELLO, and ending TIMOTHY A. ZOERLEIN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2032 AIR FORCE nominations (56) beginning MICHELLE T. AARON, and ending JULIE F. ZWIES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2033 AIR FORCE nominations (109) beginning ELAINE M. ALEXA, and ending DENNIS C. WOOTEN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2034 AIR FORCE nominations (56) beginning NICOLA S. ADAMS, and ending TAMBRA L. YATES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2035 AIR FORCE nominations (110) beginning JADE A. ALOTA, and ending MICHELLE L. WRIGHT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2036 AIR FORCE nominations (4) beginning ROBERT L. CLARK, and ending JOHN K. BINI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2037 AIR FORCE nomination of Theodore A. Mickle Jr., which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2052 AIR FORCE nominations (18) beginning MICHAEL G. BUTEL, and ending TIMOTHY S. WOODRUFF, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

#### IN THE ARMY

PN1235-2 ARMY nomination of ALLEN D. FERRY, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 23, 2008.

PN1937 ARMY nomination of Stephen E. Huskey, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1938 ARMY nominations (2) beginning JENNIFER A. HISGEN, and ending VIVIAN C. SHAFER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1939 ARMY nominations (31) beginning KORD H. BASNIGHT, and ending FRANK D. WHITNEY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1940 ARMY nominations (55) beginning BRADLEY AEBI, and ending JONATHAN YUN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1941 ARMY nominations (277) beginning JULIE A. AKE, and ending SCOTT E. YOUNG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1996 ARMY nomination of Mark V. Flasch, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 9, 2008.

PN2007 ARMY nomination of Steven B. Horton, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2008 ARMY nomination of Mary F. Braun, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2009 ARMY nomination of James C. Bayley, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2010 ARMY nomination of Jose R. Rafols, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2011 ARMY nomination of Matthew Myles, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2012 ARMY nomination of Jayanthi Kondamini, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2013 ARMY nominations (3) beginning KATHERINE G. ARTERBURN, and ending JESSE C. WHITE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2014 ARMY nominations (3) beginning LEEANN M. CAPACE, and ending DUANE J. KACZINSKI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2015 ARMY nominations (2) beginning JOB ANDUJAR, and ending RALPH LAYMAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 12, 2008.

PN2038 ARMY nomination of Chris D. Fritz, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2039 ARMY nominations (4) beginning SHANNON B. BROWN, and ending ARNOLD K. IAEA, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2040 ARMY nominations (7) beginning HOWARD DAVIS, and ending JAMES WILKINSON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2041 ARMY nomination of Katherine L. Froehling, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2060 ARMY nomination of Jonathan E. Kraft, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2061 ARMY nomination of D060712, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2062 ARMY nominations (6) beginning PHILIP W. GAY, and ending TIMOTHY N. THOMBLESON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2063 ARMY nomination of D060652, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2064 ARMY nomination of Tyrone P. Crabb, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2065 ARMY nominations (3) beginning MICHAEL M. KING, and ending BRADLEY C. WARE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2066 ARMY nominations (4) beginning D060674, and ending D060715, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2067 ARMY nomination of D060834, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2068 ARMY nominations (2) beginning D060478, and ending D060552, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2069 ARMY nominations (20) beginning D060513, and ending D070008, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2070 ARMY nominations (472) beginning JONATHAN S. ACKISS, and ending D070159, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2071 ARMY nominations (501) beginning STEPHEN L. ADAMSON, and ending X0005, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2072 ARMY nominations (849) beginning MATTHEW T. ADAMCZYK, and ending D060798, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

PN2074 ARMY nomination of Nathan V. Sweetser, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 18, 2008.

PN2079 ARMY nominations (4) beginning DAVID E. GRAETZ, and ending STEPHEN E. VAUGHN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 22, 2008.

PN2080 ARMY nominations (15) beginning ORMAN W. BOYD, and ending D060774, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 22, 2008.

PN2081 ARMY nominations (20) beginning CHRISTOPHER C. CARLSON, and ending JAMES G. WINTZ, JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 22, 2008.

#### IN THE COAST GUARD

PN2026 COAST GUARD nominations (2) beginning KURT A. SEBASTIAN, and ending GLENN M. SULMASY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2027 COAST GUARD nominations (89) beginning John J. Arenstam, and ending John D. Wood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2028 COAST GUARD nominations (241) beginning Lara A. Anderson, and ending Christopher H. Zorman, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2059 COAST GUARD nominations (18) beginning Robert P. Branc, and ending Hekmat D. Tamimie, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 16, 2008.

## IN THE NAVY

PN1942 NAVY nominations (12) beginning ANTHONY M. GRIFFAY, and ending ANDREW G. LIGGETT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1943 NAVY nomination of Patrick J. Fullerton, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1944 NAVY nominations (2) beginning JOSHUA D. CROUSE, and ending DAVE S. EVANS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1945 NAVY nominations (4) beginning MATTHEW E. DUBROW, and ending ROBERT S. THOMAS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1946 NAVY nominations (9) beginning ZACHARY A. BEEHNER, and ending DAVID R. WILCOX, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1947 NAVY nominations (9) beginning DENVER L. APPLEHANS, and ending CHRISTOPHER S. SERVELLO, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1948 NAVY nominations (21) beginning LYLE P. AINSWORTH, and ending JUAN C. VARELA, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1949 NAVY nominations (21) beginning RODNEY O. ADAMS, and ending STEVEN T. WISNOSKI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1950 NAVY nominations (22) beginning TIMOTHY R. CAMPO, and ending JOHN E. WOODS III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1951 NAVY nominations (33) beginning MICHAEL M. ANDREWS, and ending JOSEPH ZULIANI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1952 NAVY nominations (37) beginning LASUMAR R. ARAGON, and ending SARAH E. ZARRO, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1953 NAVY nominations (44) beginning AUDREY G. ADAMS, and ending JAMES B. VERNON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1954 NAVY nominations (83) beginning ADAM L. ALBARADO, and ending DENNIS M. ZOGG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1955 NAVY nominations (123) beginning EMMANUEL C. ARCELONA, and ending BERNERD C. ZWAHLEN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN1956 NAVY nominations (1086) beginning CAL R. ABEL, and ending CHARLES B. ZUHOSKI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2008.

PN2042 NAVY nominations (38) beginning STEVIC B. ABAD, and ending NATHAN J. WONDER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2043 NAVY nominations (243) beginning DANA E. ADKINS, and ending VINCENT A. I. ZIZAK, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2044 NAVY nominations (110) beginning CHRISTOPHER W. ABBOTT, and ending

TOM A. ZURAKOWSKI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2045 NAVY nominations (38) beginning CATHERINE K. K. CHIAPPETTA, and ending SYLVAINE W. WONG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2046 NAVY nominations (94) beginning PAUL G. ALBERS, and ending JOHN P. ZALAR, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2047 NAVY nominations (114) beginning JOSEPH K. AHN, and ending DAVID M. WRIGHT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2048 NAVY nominations (36) beginning CASSIE L. ALLEN, and ending DAVID S. YANG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2049 NAVY nominations (54) beginning FERDINAND D. ABRIL, and ending YUE K. ZHANG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2050 NAVY nominations (10) beginning PALMO S. BARRERA, and ending HORACIO G. TAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

PN2051 NAVY nomination of Jefferey R. Jernigan, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 15, 2008.

## UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

The following named officers for appointment to the grade indicated in the United States Coast Guard under Title 14, U.S.C. Section 271:

*To be lieutenant commander*

Micah N. Acree  
Michel K. Adams  
Erin N. Adler  
Edward W. Ahlstrand  
Eric C. Allen  
Nahshon I. Almandmoss  
Jamie T. Amon  
Jeremy J. Anderson  
Richard A. Angelet  
John D. Annonen  
Kyle S. Armstrong  
Douglas G. Atkins  
Stephen D. Axley  
Patrick T. Bacher  
James J. Bailey  
Jordan M. Baldueza  
Robert J. Baronas  
Heinz G. Bartnick  
David M. Bartram  
Tab A. Beach  
Clayton R. Beal  
Derek C. Beatty  
Paul R. Beavis  
Brian J. Behler  
David S. Bennett  
Brent R. Bergan  
James R. Bigbie  
James A. Binniker  
Stephen R. Bird  
Jeffrey A. Bixler  
Todd X. Bloch  
Jose M. Bolanos  
Matthew T. Bourassa  
Matt A. Bournonville  
Ralph J. Boyes  
Jeffrey R. Bray  
Curtis G. Brown  
Scott D. Buettner  
Channing D. Burgess  
Patrick C. Burkett  
Derrek W. Burrus  
Conrado R. Cabantac

Thelma Cabantac  
Michael R. Cain  
Gregory A. Callaghan  
Timothy F. Callister  
James C. Campbell  
Eric M. Carrero  
Robert W. Carroll  
Jonathan A. Carter  
Justin M. Carter  
Drew M. Casey  
Thomas M. Casey  
Sean R. Cashell  
John D. Cashman  
Anthony B. Caudle  
Deborah D. Cawthorn  
Steven E. Cerveney  
Sherri L. Chamberlin  
Robert B. Chambers  
John V. Chang  
Randall T. Chong  
Michael A. Cilenti  
Joseph A. Comar  
Bradley C. Cook  
Jeffrey K. Coon  
Daniel H. Cost  
Thomas G. Cowell  
Lauren E. Cox  
Michael A. Crider  
Edgardo Cruz  
Megan L. Cull  
Patrick A. Culver  
Christopher H. Dailey  
Asa S. Daniels  
Douglas K. Daniels  
Stephen Daponte  
John G. Daughtry  
Elaina Davis  
Jay E. Davis  
Javier A. Delgado  
Matthew J. Denning  
Daniel T. Deutermann  
Shana R. Donaldson  
Jason J. Dorval  
Rebecca W. Dorval  
Jeffrey B. Dorwart  
John F. Druelle  
Daniel D. Dumas  
Brian J. Eckley  
Rachel M. Eldridge  
Robin A. Ellerbe  
Ryan S. Engel  
Anthony Ennamorato  
Thomas C. Evans  
Chad A. Fait  
Jessica A. Fant  
Peter E. Fant  
Michael P. Fisher  
Lee A. Fleming  
Amy E. Florentino  
Charles K. Fluke  
Mark C. Focken  
James T. Fogle  
Steven P. Foran  
Jamie C. Frederick  
Matthew S. Furlong  
Marianne M. Gelakoska  
Shawn T. Geraghty  
Shannon B. Giammanco  
Thomas A. Gill  
Matthew S. Gingrich  
Mark P. Glancy  
Shields R. Gore  
Andrew C. Gorman  
Jeffrey R. Graham  
Sean W. Green  
Robert P. Griffiths  
Douglas C. Hall  
Alan D. Hansen  
James J. Harkins  
Wendy L. Hart  
John M. Hartlove  
Anthony H. Hawes  
Suzanne E. Hermann  
Jeff S. Henderson  
John G. Henighan  
John Henry  
Thomas G. Hickey  
David S. Hill

Gary A. Hillman  
 Dean A. Hines  
 James E. Hollinger  
 Chad B. Holm  
 Michael T. Holmes  
 Terry D. Holom  
 Ashley R. Holt  
 Anna K. Hopkins  
 Thomas J. Hopkins  
 Walter R. Hoppe  
 Michael J. Hosey  
 Christopher M. Howard  
 Jeffery S. Howard  
 Thomas A. Howell  
 Brian P. Huff  
 Timothy A. Hunter  
 Edward V. Jackson  
 Michael S. Jackson  
 James L. Jarnac  
 Darwin A. Jensen  
 Jay J. Jerome  
 Jason J. Jessup  
 Andrew S. Joca  
 Geoffrey W. Johannesen  
 Bradley K. Johnson  
 Dean E. Jordan  
 Meridena D. Kauffman  
 Daniel P. Keane  
 Whitney S. Keith  
 Brad W. Kelly  
 Johnny J. Kidwell  
 Shanell M. King  
 Robert R. Kistner  
 James A. Klein  
 Breanna L. Knutson  
 Zachary A. Koehler  
 Henry M. Konczynski  
 Brian M. Kostecki  
 Frank A. Kratochvil  
 Jerry J. Krywanczyk  
 Julie P. Kuck  
 Mark I. Kuperman  
 Heather P. Kuta  
 Michael R. Lachowicz  
 Gregory S. Lambrecht  
 Kenneth R. Langford  
 Kevin Lape  
 Matthew H. Laughlin  
 Sonya L. Leibowitz  
 Donna D. Leoce  
 Deborah S. Lindquist  
 Manuel P. Lomba  
 Daniel W. Long  
 Oscar B. Lorenzo  
 Troy T. Luna  
 Evelyn L. Lynn  
 Anthony J. Maffia  
 Neil C. Marcelino  
 Matthew I. Marlow  
 Heather R. Mattern  
 Romulus P. Matthews  
 Eric J. Matthies  
 Lonnie L. Mattoon  
 William L. McGoey  
 Eugene D. McGuinness  
 Steven J. McKechnie  
 Brian J. McLaughlin  
 Louvenia McMillan  
 Brian J. McSorley  
 Ann M. McSpadden  
 William L. Mees  
 David L. Melton  
 Andrew J. Meyers  
 Stacy L. Miller  
 David W. Mitchell  
 Chad A. Moore  
 Matthew J. Moorlag  
 Jason W. Morgan  
 Kevin T. Morgan  
 Paul I. Morgan  
 Guy A. Morrow  
 Andrew J. Motter  
 Edward X. Munoz  
 Andre C. Murphy  
 Maurice D. Murphy  
 Scott A. Murphy  
 Dawn W. Murray  
 William A. Nabach

Robert A. Nakama  
 Monty Nijjar  
 Joseph B. Notch  
 Loan T. O'Brien  
 Michael G. Odom  
 Craig T. Olesnevich  
 Christopher A. O'Neal  
 Michael P. O'Neil  
 Thomas A. Ottenwaelder  
 Anthony R. Owens  
 Philbert C. Pabellon  
 John D. Pack  
 Mark S. Palmer  
 Bryan C. Pape  
 Eric G. Para  
 Gregory L. Parsons  
 Eric W. Pearson  
 Latasha E. Pennant  
 Joshua D. Pennington  
 Benjamin L. Perkins  
 Craig R. Petersen  
 Eben H. Phillips  
 Kenneth G. Phillips  
 Nathan R. Phillips  
 William E. Pickering  
 Robert M. Pirone  
 Christopher M. Pisares  
 Willie E. Pittman  
 Kevin L. Plylar  
 Juan M. Posada  
 Robert H. Potter  
 David J. Potyok  
 William W. Preston  
 Harold Price  
 Scott A. Rae  
 Michael J. Rasch  
 Felicia K. Raybon  
 Michael C. Reed  
 David J. Reinhard  
 Ryan S. Rhodes  
 Ronald E. Richards  
 Felix S. Rivera  
 Brian W. Robinson  
 Helena H. Robinson  
 Len M. Robinson  
 Paul A. Rodriguez  
 Rex E. Roebuck  
 Stephanie S. Ronchetto  
 Blanca Rosas  
 Robert A. Rosenow  
 Rhett R. Rothberg  
 Paul F. Rudick  
 Gregory K. Sabra  
 Scott M. Sanborn  
 Mark C. Sawyer  
 Norbert M. Schwainsberg  
 William A. Scott  
 Fred W. Seaton  
 Marc R. Sennick  
 Donald E. Shaffer  
 Michael D. Sharp  
 Gregory A. Shouse  
 Ryan T. Siewert  
 Chad S. Skillman  
 James S. Small  
 Keith L. Smith  
 Gregory M. Somers  
 Edward P. Soriano  
 Warren P. Sproul  
 James B. Stellflug  
 Framar L. Stenson  
 Hilary Stickle  
 Glenn J. StPierre  
 Heather J. StPierre  
 William E. Strickland  
 James B. Suffern  
 Maryann C. Swendsen  
 Daniel A. Tallman  
 Christopher J. Tantillo  
 Gregory M. Tarpey  
 Dale T. Taylor  
 Travis G. Taylor  
 Ronald S. Teague  
 Brian S. Thomas  
 Brett J. Thompson  
 Gregory P. Torgersen  
 Keith A. Trepanier  
 Todd C. Troup

Prudencio M. Tubalado  
 Marc E. Tunstall  
 Shawn Tutt  
 Daniel R. Ursino  
 Jeffrey M. Vajda  
 Kurt M. Vanhauwer  
 Christopher D. Vargo  
 Omar Vazquez  
 Guillermo Vega  
 Greg E. Versaw  
 Jowcol I. Vina  
 Richard E. Vincent  
 Randy S. Waddington  
 Matthew J. Waldron  
 Thomas W. Wallin  
 Robert B. Walls  
 Richard B. Walsh  
 Jon T. Warner  
 Donis W. Waters  
 Charles E. Webb  
 Kimberly S. Wheatley  
 Christopher J. Williammee  
 Jerred C. Williams  
 Scott R. Williams  
 Timothy C. Williamson  
 Norman C. Witt  
 William C. Woityra  
 Phillip D. Wolf  
 Lance M. Wood  
 Michael J. Woodrum  
 Robert S. Workman  
 Douglas E. Wyatt  
 Robert D. Wyman  
 Matthew D. York  
 James T. Zawrotny  
 Michael J. Zeruto

#### FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

Mary Lucille Jordan, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission for a term of six years expiring August 30, 2014. (Reappointment)

Michael Young, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission for a term of six years expiring August 30, 2014. (Reappointment)

#### NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY

Katherine O. McCary, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2009, vice Milton Aponte, term expired.

Chad Colley, of Florida, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2010. (Reappointment)

Victoria Ray Carlson, of Iowa, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2010. (Reappointment)

Tony J. Williams, of Washington, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2009, vice Young Woo Kang, term expired.

John R. Vaughn, of Florida, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2010. (Reappointment)

Marylyn Andrea Howe, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2011. (Reappointment)

Lonnie C. Moore, of Kansas, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2011. (Reappointment)

Heather McCallum, of Georgia, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2011, vice Cynthia Allen Wainscott, term expiring.

#### JAMES MADISON MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP FOUNDATION

John J. Faso, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a

term expiring May 29, 2013, vice David Wesley Fleming, term expired.

Joe Manchin III, of West Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring November 5, 2012, vice George Perdue, term expired.

Harvey M. Tettlbaum, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring October 3, 2012, vice Marc R. Pacheco, term expired.

#### HARRY S TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Dave Heinemann, of Nebraska, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2011, vice Mel Carnahan.

#### NATIONAL SCIENCE BOARD, NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Esin Gulari, of South Carolina, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, for a term expiring May 10, 2014, vice Daniel E. Hastings, term expired.

Diane L. Souvaine, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, for a term expiring May 10, 2014, vice Kenneth M. Ford, term expired.

#### NATIONAL COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

JoAnn Falletta, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for the remainder of the term expiring September 3, 2012, vice Foreststorn Hamilton.

Lee Greenwood, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2014, Vice Makoto Fujimura, term expired.

#### INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE OVERSIGHT BOARD

Edwin Eck, of Montana, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term expiring September 14, 2013. (Reappointment)

#### GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Anthony H. Gioia, of New York, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Sixty-third Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Karen Elliott House, of New Jersey, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sixty-third Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

#### CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE

James Franklin Jeffrey, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Career Minister, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Turkey.

#### FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS, CONSULAR OFFICERS AND CAREER MEMBERS OF SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE

The following-named persons of the agencies indicated for appointment as Foreign Service Officers of the classes stated.

For appointment as Foreign Service Officer of Class Two, Consular Officer and Secretary in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Oma T. Blum, of Virginia

For appointment as Foreign Service Officer of Class Three, Consular Officer and Secretary in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America, effective January 9, 2008:

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Min Chang, of California

For appointment as Foreign Service Officer of Class Four, Consular Officer and Sec-

retary in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Alyce Abdalla, of California

Michael A. Aguilera, of Washington

Jean Elizabeth Akers, of the District of Columbia

David Christopher Allen, of Virginia

Marcia Sofia Anglarill, of Maryland

Claudia L. Baker, of California

Peter R. Barte, of Virginia

Arthur J. Bell, of California

Carla Ann Benini, of Washington

Michael L. Benton, of Maryland

Katharine E. Bernsohn, of the District of Columbia

Wendy S. Brafman, of South Carolina

Brett Plitt Bruen, of New York

Malgorzata Bula-Duane, of New York

Deborah Lynn Campbell, of Florida

Kelly Hapka Carrillo, of Texas

Mark A. Caudill, of Virginia

Hunter B. Chen, of California

Cecilia S. Choi, of California

Charlotte Ann Crouch, of Arizona

Jennifer D. Crow, of California

Brian Sean DaRin, of New York

Hilary Chisato Watanabe Dauer, of Virginia

Learned H. Dees, of the District of Columbia

Gary Lee Dewey, of Arizona

Daniela A. DiPierro, of Massachusetts

Timothy Patrick Dougherty, of California

James A. Dragon, of Virginia

John Holmes Dunne, of Alaska

Arthur Thompson Evans IV, of Ohio

Christiana Marie Foreman, of California

Eric M. Frater, of California

Warren Mitchell Gray, of Florida

Phaedra Marie Gwyn, of Texas

Jennifer Diana Harris, of Florida

John Charles Hartman, of Texas

Chris Dharman Hensman, of Rhode Island

Andrew Jay, of New York

Defies Jobin Welch, of Virginia

Peter James Kaufman, of California

Barbara S. Keary, of the District of Columbia

Juliana Junghwa Kim, of Illinois

Lawrence John Kimmel, of Washington

Joey E. Klinger, of Pennsylvania

Wendy A. Kolls, of California

Maria V. Lane, of Colorado

John S. LaRochelle, of Florida

Alica Emin Lejlic, of Illinois

Deborah Berns Lingwood, of Florida

Sara L. Litke, of Washington

Inga Litvinsky, of Massachusetts

Donald E. Locke, of Texas

Stephen E. Lynagh, of New York

Joslyn Mack-Wilson, of Virginia

Hong-Geok T. Maerke, of California

Ryan D. Matheny, of California

Brian J. McGrath, of New York

Alexander J. McLaren, of Virginia

Robert R. Mearke, of Minnesota

Christine Elizabeth Meyer, of Texas

Lia N. Miler, of New York

Sumreen K. Mrza, of California

Gladys Angel Moreau, of California

Bindi Kirit Patel, of California

Sarah Catherine Peck, of Massachusetts

Andrew Posner, of California

Idris Rahimi, of Virginia

Rona Rathod, of California

Gary L. Rex, of Florida

Michelle Lee Riebeling, of Missouri

Bradly J. Roberson, of California

Kristin Lynn Rockwood, of Florida

Michael R.J. Roth, of New Mexico

Jason D. Seymour, of California

Jason W. Sheets, of California

Franc Xavier Shelton, of Texas

Carrie Anna Shirtz, of Wisconsin

Noah Siegel, of Oregon

Russell Singer, of New York

Andrew Lewis Sisk, of Virginia

Lindsey Diane Snow, of Washington

G. Michael Snyder, of Virginia

Wheel G. Spring, of Illinois

Raymond W. Stephens III, of New York

Roy Therrien, of California

Carolyn L. Turpin, of Florida

Bernard Chitongco Uadan, of Florida

Paul M. Valdez, of Texas

Naomi Joyce Walcott, of Connecticut

Charlene Wang, of California

Ruddy Kerfun Wang, of California

Elijah J. Waterman, of Pennsylvania

Samuel Werberg, of New York

John William Whiteley, of Illinois

Ningchuan Zhu, of Texas

The following-named Members of the Foreign Service to be Consular Officers and Secretaries in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Linda L. Caruso, of Wisconsin

Jennifer Gothard, of the District of Columbia

Gregory Harris, of Washington

Iiona Shtrom, of the District of Columbia

Aliza L. Totayo, of Maryland

Mark Wildman, of Maryland

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Kathryn E. Abate, of New Jersey

Mark J. Abreu, of Virginia

Janice Anderson, of California

Ramona Aponte, of Maryland

Jason M. Arvey, of Virginia

Deborah H. Aschenbach, of Illinois

Shelley J. Asher, of Virginia

Eric Transfeidt Atkins, of Washington

Mark Madison Atkisson, of Maryland

Kara L. Ayotte, of New Mexico

Rolanda N. Beckwith, of Virginia

Barry M. Belknap, of Minnesota

James M. Black, of Maryland

Billy Brian Blackwell, of California

Daniel J. Blank, of Virginia

Elizabeth J. Blumenthal, of the District of Columbia

Daniel C. Bolsinger, of New Mexico

Amy Boyd, of Virginia

Meghan Eileen Bradley, of Virginia

Eric Christopher Brians, of Virginia

Ronald A. Briggs, of Maryland

Peter Broadbent, of Texas

Loretta A. Bushnell, of Virginia

Harry T. Call, of Virginia

Leanne R. Cannon, of Virginia

George Edward Carr, of the District of Columbia

Heather K. Carson, of Virginia

Tyler J. Carson, of Virginia

Amanda J. Cauldwell, of Virginia

Sung W. Choi, of New York

Karen E. Cox, of Virginia

Filomena C. Crawford, of Virginia

Jeffrey D. Dahlby, of Virginia

Rebecca M. Danis, of Missouri

Erick M. Danzer, of Wisconsin

Amanda R. deKieffer, of Virginia

James Butler Dewey, of Idaho

Christopher D. Doehle, of Virginia

Juan Domenech Clar, of Puerto Rico

Nicole Marie Dutra, of Virginia

Katherine E. Eisenlohr, of Michigan

James E. Erdman III, of Michigan

Bradley J. Fernandez, of Virginia

Ronald A. Ferry, of Kentucky

Mary Frangakis, of New York

Kimberly R. Furnish, of Florida

Petra Selvaggia Gardner, of Virginia

Neil S. Gipson, of Nebraska

Gudrun Erika Gomez, of Maryland

Carissa Eileen Gonzalez, of Virginia

Katy A. Gore, of Virginia

Karen Graham, of Virginia

Sara D. Greengrass, of Florida

Derrick J. Gwyn, of Virginia

Craig Acton Halbmaier, of New Hampshire

Courtney A. Hammond, of Virginia

Benjamin C. Harvey, of Virginia

John C. Heinbeck, of Michigan  
 James Henderson, of Virginia  
 Daniel J. Horning, of Michigan  
 Sharon A. Howe, of Texas  
 Tracy E. Huff, of Virginia  
 Frank A. Inhoff, of Virginia  
 Katherine N. Isgar, of New York  
 Marcus R. Jackson, of Florida  
 Matthew Jaroszewski, of Virginia  
 David Johnson, of Virginia  
 Louise A. Johnson, of New Hampshire  
 Kristen-Marie DiLeo Kaczynski, of Massachusetts  
 Steven Collat Kameny, of California  
 Angela P. Katcheves, of Texas  
 Gary B. Keeley, of Virginia  
 Brooke G. Kidd, of Virginia  
 Mary Martha Kobus, of Virginia  
 Robert M. Kokta, of Virginia  
 Christina B. Krouse, of Virginia  
 Peter J. Kunkel, of Virginia  
 Dana Last, of Virginia  
 Angela Leigh Lewis, of Virginia  
 Bruce William Liberi, of Virginia  
 Matthew R. Lohr, of Virginia  
 Lavonne Lee Loveday, of Virginia  
 Jennifer L. Luers, of Nebraska  
 Aaron P. Lukas, of Virginia  
 Joan E. Marshall, of Virginia  
 Valerie J. Martin, of Connecticut  
 Martha C. Mashav, of the District of Columbia  
 Kurosh Massoud Ansari, of Virginia  
 Beverly E. Mather-Marcus, of Maryland  
 Theresa Jean Matthews, of Minnesota  
 Shannon K. McCombie, of Virginia  
 Derek Mercer, of Virginia  
 Jamie L. Mignon, of Virginia  
 Mark Ian Mishkin, of California  
 Lisa Ann Moity, of Georgia  
 Neal Shaun Murata, of California  
 Ben Murphy, of Virginia  
 Kenneth Lee Myers, of Virginia  
 Margot L. Nadel, of Virginia  
 Andrew Nelson, of California  
 Selena Nelson-Salcedo, of Minnesota  
 Brent S. O'Connell, of Virginia  
 Aamod Omprakash, of New York  
 Jeffrey M. O'Neal, of Texas  
 Michael Ose, of Iowa  
 Maysa M. Osman, of Virginia  
 Abram Wil Paley, of Texas  
 Matthew J. Paschke, of the District of Columbia  
 Michael D. Pearlstein, of the District of Columbia  
 Donald G. Petkovich, of Virginia  
 Sarah Moore Pratt, of the District of Columbia  
 Raul Enrique Pulido, of Colorado  
 Delia Day Quick, of Texas  
 Michael Quigley, of Virginia  
 Scott D. Quinlan, of Virginia  
 Micah Rapoport, of the District of Columbia  
 Marquex Dominique Rey, of Tennessee  
 Marissa K.E. Rollens, of Texas  
 Kristin Joy Runzel, of Virginia  
 Tamanna S. Salikuddin, of Virginia  
 J.M. Saxton-Ruiz, of Virginia  
 Dorothy I. Scanlan, of Virginia  
 Joshua Shen, of Virginia  
 Jeffrey J. Sillman, of Virginia  
 Karl Alexander Snyder III, of Virginia  
 Rebecca Ann Snyder, of Virginia  
 Sara Veldhuizen Stealy, of Virginia  
 Anthony J. Stromeyer, Jr., of Virginia  
 Timothy W. Swett, of Illinois  
 Jessup L. Taylor, of North Carolina  
 Gregory James Thompson, of Virginia  
 Tedde H. Thompson, of Virginia  
 Daniel A. Thorley, of Maryland  
 Anna E. Tiedeck, of the District of Columbia  
 Jon Thomas Tollefson, of Minnesota  
 Patricia Elaine Triplett, of Virginia  
 Joseph Gregg Tripoli, of Virginia  
 Neal W. Turner, of Georgia  
 Amy Unander, of Illinois  
 Stanley J. Underdal, Jr., of Virginia

Wilbur A. Velarde, of Connecticut  
 John L. Venable II, of Virginia  
 Anne Wan, of California  
 Brian W. Warden, of Maryland  
 Matthew Daniel Warin, of Virginia  
 David W. Warner, of Virginia  
 Mark Thomas Whitehead, of Virginia  
 Caroline G. Widegren, of Virginia  
 Eric Cody Williams, of Virginia  
 Ben Yates, of Texas  
 Rachael Zaspel, of Texas  
 Thomas S. Zia, of the District of Columbia  
 Consular Officer in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:  
 Stephen G. Fakan, of Ohio

The following-named Career Members of the Senior Foreign Service of the Department of State for promotion into the Senior Foreign Service to the classes indicated:

Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service of the United States of America, Class of Counselor, effective November 27, 2005:

Edwin Richard Nolan, of Virginia

Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service of the United States of America, Class of Counselor, effective January 6, 2008:

Alice G. Wells, of Virginia

The following-named Career Members of the Senior Foreign Service of the Agency for International Development for promotion within and into the Senior Foreign Service to the classes indicated: Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Career Minister:

Jonathan S. Addleton, of Georgia

Lilian Ayalde, of Maryland

Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister Counselor:

Susan K. Brems, of North Carolina

Margot Biegelson Ellis, of New York

Patrick C. Fleuret, of Virginia

Karen L. Freeman, of Virginia

Jon Daniel Lindborg, of Indiana

Carl Abdou Rahmaan, of Maryland

Susan G. Reichle, of Virginia

Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor:

David Jon Barth, of Virginia

E. Jed Barton, of Nevada

Robbin E. Burkhart, of Texas

Susan French Fine, of Virginia

James Alan Franckiewicz, of Maryland

R. David Harden, of Maryland

Peter R. Hubbard, of the District of Columbia

Barbara Jeanne Krell, of Virginia

Lawrence A. Meserve, of Virginia

Thomas Christopher Milligan, of the District of Columbia

Beth A. Salamanca, of Virginia

Maureen A. Shauket, of the District of Columbia

Herbert B. Smith, of Delaware

Thomas H. Staal, of Maryland

Richard Winslow Whelden, of Virginia

The following-named persons of the agencies indicated for appointment as Foreign Service Officers of the classes stated.

For appointment as Foreign Service Officer of Class Four, Consular Officer and Secretary in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Jonathan Trevor Austin, of Minnesota

Jennifer A. Bah, of Alabama

Gaurav Bansai, of New York

Anne M. Bennett, of Texas

Mark Mellas Bliss, of Georgia

Matthew Harold Blong, of Maryland

Ryan Eugene Bowles, of Minnesota

Nathan J. Boyack, of Washington

Robin Sophia Brooks, of Colorado

Christopher J. Brown, of Virginia

Todd Alan Campbell, of Illinois

Alice Ruth Chu, of Minnesota  
 Gordon Scott Church, of Tennessee  
 Jeanne L. Clark, of New York  
 Frances Juanita Crespo, of Texas  
 Gretchen McKeever Cureton, of Texas  
 Sarah J. Debbink, of the District of Columbia

Amy Wuebbels Diaz, of Texas  
 Rebecca Eve Dodds, of Oregon  
 Erin L. Eddy, of South Dakota  
 Sita M Farrell, of Virginia  
 Molly Pledge Flores, of Kansas  
 Mary Ann Freeman, of California  
 Chris W. Grantham, of Washington  
 Beth Bowden Herbolich, of Arizona  
 Saul Antonio Hernandez, of Georgia  
 Sabin Menzel Hinton, of Utah  
 Michelle Lynn Hoyt, of Virginia  
 Sarah Elizabeth Hutchison, of Virginia  
 David Jeffrey, of Washington  
 Eric N. Johnson, of Colorado  
 Hyun S. Kim, of Illinois  
 Kevin Matthew Kreutner, of the District of Columbia

Susanne Kuester, of Florida  
 Rebecca Lynn Landis, of California  
 Daniel B. Langenkamp, of the District of Columbia

Coby Dawne Lastuka, of Washington  
 Jean Bowman Leedy, of Texas  
 Lisa Shih-Yun Liao, of New York  
 Bruce Alexander Lipscomb III, of Virginia  
 Jeffrey Michael Loree, of New York  
 Ronita Michelle Macklin, of Ohio  
 Daniel Stewart Mattern, of New York  
 Suzanne Shelton McGuire, of Virginia  
 Russell C. Menyhart, of Indiana  
 Samuel S. Mikelson, of Virginia  
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 Leon G. Galanos, Jr., of New Hampshire  
 Timothy G. Haley, of Texas

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 Martin Fortune Kraus, of Maryland  
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 Christian J. Schurman, of Virginia  
 Charles J. Slater, of Florida  
 Walter D. Storm, of Washington  
 Xavier Vazquez, of New York

UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE EASTERN  
 DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

Dennis Michael Klein, of Kentucky, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Kentucky for the term of four years, vice John Schickel, resigned.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

UNANIMOUS CONSENT  
 AGREEMENT—S. 3001

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that if the Senate receives from the House a correcting resolution to correct the enrollment of S. 3001 that is identical to the matter which is currently at the desk, then it be considered to have been agreed to and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table; that if the House concurrent resolution is not identical, then this order be vitiated.

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

CONVENING OF THE 111th  
 CONGRESS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of H.J. Res. 100, convening of the 111th Congress.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The joint resolution will be stated by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A joint resolution (H.J. Res. 100) appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the One Hundred Eleventh Congress and establishing the date for the counting of the electoral votes for President and Vice President cast by the electors in December 2008.

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

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the joint resolution be read three times, passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, with no intervening action or debate.

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

The joint resolution (H.J. Res. 100) was ordered to a third reading, was read the third time, and passed.

Mr. REID. 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. LEVIN. I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

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

EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to executive session to consider Executive Calendar No. 756, that the nomination be confirmed and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, that no further motions be in order, that any statements relating to the nomination be printed in the RECORD, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate resume legislative session.

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

The nomination considered and confirmed is as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Jeffrey Leigh Sedgwick, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Mr. LEAHY. Mr. President, today, the Senate confirmed five more executive nominations that were reported by the Judiciary Committee, including the nomination of Greg Garre to be Solicitor General of the United States, one of the highest and most prestigious positions at the Department of Justice.

The nominations considered today also include Jeffrey Leigh Sedgwick to run the Department's Office of Justice Programs, George W. Venables to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of California, Brian Albritton to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, and another that I have agreed to discharge from Committee: Dennis Michael Klein to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Kentucky. I thank Senator KENNEDY for his expedited consideration of Mr. KLEIN's nomination. He has long been focused on maintaining the qualifications of those appointed to be U.S. Marshals.

We tried as well to move forward with the President's nominations to the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board and the Sentencing Commission, but Republican holds prevented us from making progress and confirming President Bush's nominees to those important posts.

After today's confirmations, we have confirmed 40 executive nominations this Congress, including the confirmations of 13 U.S. attorneys, 9 U.S. marshals, a member of the U.S. Sentencing Commission, another Attorney General, Deputy Attorney General, Associate Attorney General, and Solicitor General. Eighteen of those nominations will have been confirmed this year alone, despite this being a Presidential election year.

Of course, we have considered these executive nominations while simultaneously moving forward with the confirmation of dozens of President Bush's judicial nominations. I have spoken many times about the partisan actions of the Republican-led Senate that created a judicial vacancies crisis by not considering circuit court nominees in 1996, 1997 and 1998. Those years included