

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(b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by subsection (a) apply to goods entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.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

(1) ITC REVIEW AND REPORT.—

(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 804, 807 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 Nicholas G. Justice
 Brigadier General Susan A. 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 DUAINE 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. WINTE, 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. Buettnier

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. Hemann
 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. Vanhauer
 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. Tettlebaum, 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 Chitongo 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 Mooty, 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 Elain 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. Adleton, 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. Burkhardt, 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 Herblich, 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
 Loren Giallanella Murad, of Massachusetts
 Daniel R. Myers, of Oregon
 Tracy J. Naber, of South Dakota
 Hart Gabriel Nelson, of Missouri
 Marlene Monfietto Nice, of Florida
 Marlene Eguizabal Olsen, of Florida
 Darby Andrew Parliament, of Colorado
 Christopher Brent Patch, of Utah
 Vanessa M. Paulos, of Texas
 Margaret Hollis Peirce, of Florida
 Michele Louise Petersen, of Virginia
 Ellen Peterson, of New York
 Scott Alan Reese, of Vermont
 Jan Marlys Reilly, of New York
 Ryan J. Roberts, of Texas
 Mark Rosenshield, of Florida
 Alexander D. Schrank, of the District of Columbia

Mahvash Siddiqui, of California
 Alexis Lynn Smith, of Colorado
 Christopher Welby Smith, of Virginia
 Kim M. Steenberg, of Indiana
 William B. Stevens, Jr., of Virginia
 Paul W. Stevenson, of New York
 Karan Elizabeth Swaner, of Virginia
 Dmitri Tarakhovskiy, of Michigan
 Mark August Tervakoski, of Florida
 Celia Claire Thompson, of Texas
 Elizabeth Kennedy Trudeau, of New Hampshire

Helene N. Tuling, of Washington
 Mark Andrew Turner, of Virginia
 Andrew Jonathan Webster-Main, of Washington
 Brigid Reilly Weiller, of New York
 Rhonda L. Wells, of Florida
 Lilieth R. Whyte, of Colorado
 Paula C. Wickle, of Florida
 Ryan David Wirtz, of Florida

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

Christopher Becker, of Illinois
 S. Thomas Bruns, of Florida
 Stacey T. Chow, of Virginia
 Sarah K. Fox-Shin, of Maryland

Lola Z. Gulomova, of the District of Columbia
 John R. Howell, of Virginia
 DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 Nathaniel W. Adams, of the District of Columbia
 Melissa D. Ainley, of Virginia
 Maria M. Arnett, of Virginia
 Heather Marie Borland, of Virginia
 Shawn Michael Boyd, of Virginia
 John S. Brown, of Washington
 Kathleen T. Bryda, of Virginia
 Jessica Arias Bullock, of Virginia
 Robert Alfred Bullock, of Virginia
 Herbert Christian Chen, of Virginia
 Jacob Kyung-Hwoon Choi, of Utah
 Karin J. Churchey, of the District of Columbia
 Karen Lynn Clark, of Texas
 John Ramsey Clarke, of the District of Columbia
 Donald R. Coleman, of California
 Laura Susan Conaway, of Maryland
 Cynthia Lauren Cook, of the District of Columbia
 Marjorie Corlett, of Florida
 Ethan K. Curbow, of Maryland
 Ebony Rose Custis, of Maryland
 Sandya Das, of California
 Christopher Davenport, of Virginia
 Bridget Davis, of New York
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 Matthew Gereon Osborne, of Virginia
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 Judnefera A. Rasayon, of Virginia
 Alissa Meredith Redmond, of North Carolina
 Robert Alexander Romanowski, of Virginia
 Steven Meredith Rugge, of Virginia
 Ryan Ruta, of Texas
 Jennifer L. Sample, of Virginia
 Nicolas Steven Samuelson, of Virginia
 Benjamin Sand, of New York
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 Seth E. Schleicher, of Virginia
 Audrey Louise Schrader, of Virginia
 Kyle E. Schrader, of California
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 Patricia A. Seeker, of Florida
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 John Monroe Koenig, of Washington
 June Heil Kunsman, of Missouri
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 Nancy Lee Manahan, of Florida
 Scot Alan Marciel, of Virginia
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 Derwood Keith Staeben, of Wisconsin
 Grace Caroly Stettenbauer, of Virginia
 Karen Brevard Stewart, of Florida
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 Joseph Yuosang Yun, of Oregon

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 Sung Y. Kim, of California
 Laura Jean Kirkconnell, of Florida
 Philip S. Kosnett, of North Carolina
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 Julieta Valls Noyes, of Florida
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 James Patrick Bacigalupo, of New York
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 Michael B. Bretz, of Florida
 Todd James Brown, of Virginia
 Panakkal David, of New York
 John M. Davis, of Virginia
 Edmund J. Gagliardi, Jr., of Pennsylvania
 Leon G. Galanos, Jr., of New Hampshire
 Timothy G. Haley, of Texas

Daniel Barrett Hogan, of Virginia
 Martin Fortune Kraus, of Maryland
 Daniel R. Muhm, of Washington
 Joseph Michael Pate, of Tennessee
 Steve G. Romero, of Virginia
 David J. Schnorbus, of New York
 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