

on the ground in Lockerbie, Scotland, were killed by a terrorist's bomb;

Whereas 189 people of the United States and nationals from 20 other countries were victims of this heinous attack;

Whereas the families and friends of the victims of this tragedy have suffered immeasurable losses;

Whereas people around the world actively have worked to diminish the possibility of future terrorist attacks;

Whereas, in 2003, Libya accepted responsibility for Libyan officials' involvement in the bombing of Pan Am flight 103, denounced terrorism, and vowed to abandon its weapons program;

Whereas, on October 31, 2008, almost 20 years after the terrorist attack, Libya completed delivery of long-awaited compensation to the families of the victims of the bombing of Pan Am flight 103; and

Whereas nothing can replace the loved ones lost in the attack, and the United States must never forget the victims of this crime: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Senate—

(1) designates December 21, 2008, as "Twentieth Anniversary of Remembrance for the Victims of the Bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 Day"; and

(2) conveys the most sincere condolences to the families, friends, and communities of the victims of the attack on Flight 103.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION

### EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to executive session to consider Calendar No. 815; that the nomination be confirmed and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table; that no further motions be in order; and any statements relating to the nomination be printed in the RECORD; that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action; and the Senate then return to legislative session.

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

The nomination considered and confirmed is as follows:

#### IN THE AIR FORCE

The following named Air National Guard of the United States officer for appointment as the Director, Air National Guard and for appointment to the grade indicated in the Reserve of the Air Force under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 10506:

*To be lieutenant general*

Maj. Gen. Harry M. Wyatt, III

### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will now return to legislative session.

### ORDERS FOR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2008

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand adjourned until 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, December 10; that following the prayer and pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the

morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and that there then be a period for the transaction of morning business for up to 1 hour, with Senators permitted to speak for up to 10 minutes each, and that the Senate then resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 3297.

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

### ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. REID. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it stand adjourned until 10:30 a.m. tomorrow under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:30 p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, December 10, 2008, at 10:30 a.m.

## NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

#### 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:

#### AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

LASZLO F. SAGI, OF VIRGINIA  
DAVID A. THOMANEK, 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:

#### AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

STEVEN BRADLEY BENNETT, JR., OF VIRGINIA  
ANDY D. NGUYEN, OF VIRGINIA  
FATMA A. ROSE, OF ARIZONA

#### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

JOHN F. CORONADO, OF CALIFORNIA  
JAMES S. CRAMER, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
ROBERT W. DUNN, OF VIRGINIA  
BRENT E. OMDAHL, OF TEXAS

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ALFREDO DAVID BARELA, OF TEXAS  
JEHAN SADIA JONES, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
CATHERINE HENDERSON SCHWEITZER, OF VIRGINIA

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 COMMERCE

GREGORY HARRIS, OF WASHINGTON  
AARON M. HELD, OF CALIFORNIA  
FRANKLIN D. JOSEPH, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
DAO M. LE, OF CALIFORNIA  
DINAH M. MCDUGALL, OF TEXAS  
MARK C. O'GRADY, OF MARYLAND  
JANEE PIERRE-LOUIS, OF FLORIDA  
ELIZABETH M. SHIEH, OF NEW YORK  
WILLIAM P. THORN, JR., OF PENNSYLVANIA

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

AMY MARIE MOSER, OF MISSOURI  
SADIE MARIE OKOKO, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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

BRIAN W. CARR, OF VIRGINIA  
LAWRENCE D. CORNMAN, OF MARYLAND

#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

KATHRINE L. ALDERMAN, OF VIRGINIA  
BOOYEON LEE ALLEN, OF CALIFORNIA  
CLAY C. ALLEN, OF MASSACHUSETTS  
SHANE MICHEL ANDERSEN, OF VIRGINIA  
BEATA ANGELICA, OF VIRGINIA  
LA JUNE L. BARNES, OF NEW YORK  
NICHOLAS G. BARNETT, OF NEW YORK

CHRISTINA I.M. BISHOP, OF VIRGINIA  
JOSEPH E. BURZYNSKI  
DANIEL J. CARL, OF COLORADO  
ALBERT RAY CEA HENRIQUEZ, OF TEXAS  
FREDERICK CHARLES, OF VIRGINIA  
JOHN PAUL CHARLES, OF WASHINGTON  
DONALD K. CODDING, OF OKLAHOMA  
SYDNEY A. CODDING, OF OKLAHOMA  
ROBERT PATRICK CONTRERAS, OF MISSOURI  
CRAIGORY D. CRANK, OF MARYLAND  
ERIC T. CUYLER, OF NEBRASKA  
PHILLIP NELSON DE ASSIS, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

BROOKE HEILNER DEAN, OF MARYLAND  
ANTHONY J. DIAZ, OF KENTUCKY  
RYAN T. DRISCOLL, OF VIRGINIA  
EDMUND FLEETWOOD DUNSTAN III, OF MARYLAND  
KARYN MALIA CHOQUETTE ELIOT, OF VIRGINIA  
ANDREW L. ELLIS, OF VIRGINIA  
TIMOTHY F. FARRELL, OF VIRGINIA  
MARISA FERGUSON, OF VIRGINIA  
JOSE M. GARZA, JR., OF VIRGINIA  
NOAH J. GEESAMAN, OF VIRGINIA  
JENNIFER H. GIBBS, OF VIRGINIA  
KIMBERLY K. GIUSTI, OF OREGON  
PALOMA H. GONZALEZ, OF CALIFORNIA  
JACOB DANIEL GRANNELL, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

KERRY J. GROOME, OF MARYLAND  
RYAN N. GUHLINGER, OF VIRGINIA  
PRISCILLA GUZMAN, OF TEXAS  
CHANNONETTE HALL, OF PENNSYLVANIA  
GARTH HALL, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
LAURA J. HAMMOND, OF MINNESOTA  
SEAN M. HANIFEN, OF VIRGINIA  
NICHOLAS HARRIS, OF VIRGINIA  
VIRGINIA HARRIS, OF NEW YORK  
APRIL M. HAYNE, OF OHIO  
CHERYL A. HIPPE, OF CALIFORNIA  
RYNA HOK, OF VIRGINIA

KERRY F.A. HYRE, OF NEW YORK  
TIFFANY L. JACKSON, OF FLORIDA  
CHRISTOPHER C. JENSEN, OF VIRGINIA  
VISHAL JINDAL, OF VIRGINIA  
KENNETH J. KANN, OF MARYLAND  
SONIA JUNG KIM, OF GEORGIA  
RICHARD CHARLES KOLKER, OF VIRGINIA  
STEPHAN G. LANGLEY, OF WASHINGTON  
JOHN B. LAVIN, OF MARYLAND  
MICHAEL E. LEE, OF VIRGINIA  
THOMAS J. LEIBY, OF PENNSYLVANIA  
WENDY ANN LIGON, OF VIRGINIA  
BRIDGET MARY LINES, OF TEXAS  
LOREN C. LOCKE, OF GEORGIA  
RYAN J. LONG, OF WASHINGTON  
JAMES MICHAEL LOWELL, OF TENNESSEE  
MUNIR DAWAN MADYUN, OF GEORGIA  
SARA V. MARTI, OF FLORIDA  
ANNA ARAMBULO MARTZ, OF TEXAS  
JOEL SUNIL MATHEW, OF VIRGINIA  
WESLEY S. MATHEWS, OF TEXAS  
TRISHITA MAULA, OF NEW YORK  
JAMES PATRICK MCCORMICK, OF OREGON  
CHRISTOPHER H. MCHONE, OF TEXAS  
ROLAND DAVID MCKAY, OF MICHIGAN  
MARY KATHLEEN MCKNIGHT, OF TENNESSEE  
DOERING S. MEYER, OF MINNESOTA  
MORGAN DANIEL MILES, OF WASHINGTON  
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KATHRINE M. MORTENSEN, OF NEW YORK  
STEVEN MARK MOUTON, OF VIRGINIA  
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NAROLINE CASEY NOHR, OF CALIFORNIA  
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ILENA C. PATTI, OF VIRGINIA

KARLEE MARIE PAYNE, OF VIRGINIA  
CHRIS F. PIERSON, OF CONNECTICUT  
SUSAN QUINTANA, OF TEXAS  
ERIN ALEXIS RATTAZZI, OF CALIFORNIA  
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STEPHANIE LAUREN REED, OF VIRGINIA  
MARK V. REEDY, OF GEORGIA  
NICHOLAS B. REID, OF FLORIDA  
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THOMAS S. ROOKER, OF VIRGINIA  
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KEISHA N. TOMS, OF NEW YORK  
WILLIAM RANDALL TORRANCE, OF TEXAS  
CATHERINE TRUONG, OF ILLINOIS  
JUSTIN W. TULL, OF CALIFORNIA  
PENNY L. VASQUEZ, OF VIRGINIA  
YAYOI VICKOVIC, OF VIRGINIA  
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BRIANNE A. WATTS, OF VIRGINIA  
OTTO HAAVERSEN WESTHASSEL, OF NEVADA  
ERIC S. WEXLER, OF VIRGINIA

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THE FOLLOWING-NAMED CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR PROMOTION WITHIN AND INTO THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE TO THE CLASS INDICATED:

CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, CLASS OF MINISTER COUNSELOR:

DANIEL E. HARRIS, OF MARYLAND

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUALS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE REGULAR AIR FORCE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 531(A):

*To be lieutenant colonel*

GEORGE B. GOSTING

*To be major*

JOSEPH S. PARK

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED ARMY NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 12203 AND 12211:

*To be colonel*

GARY D. GILMORE

CHRISTINE GLOVER  
HAROLD B. JONES, JR.  
LEE D. SCHNELL

IN THE NAVY

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

*To be captain*

MIGUEL GONZALEZ

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

*To be commander*

DAVID M. DROMSKY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 5721:

*To be lieutenant commander*

CHARLES C. ADKISON  
ROBERT J. BARRETT  
ALICIA L. BELCHER  
SHAN A. BOGART  
KENNETH A. BOURASSA  
MARK C. BURKE  
KEVIN R. CASAGRANDE  
THOMAS J. COOPER  
JANET H. DAYS  
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ERIC E. ERHARD

ANDREW D. FLEISHER  
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RAYMOND J. GAMICCHIA  
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CHRISTOPHER J. SEVERS  
ERIC W. SISCO  
TRICIA L. TEAS

CONFIRMATION

Executive nomination confirmed by the Senate, Tuesday, December 9, 2008:

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED AIR NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT AS THE DIRECTOR, AIR NATIONAL GUARD AND FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE AIR FORCE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 601 AND 10506:

*To be lieutenant general*

MAJ. GEN. HARRY M. WYATT III