Navy nomination of Gary S. Phillips, to be

Navy nomination of Genevieve Buenaflor, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Freddie R. Harmon, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Catherine W. Boehme,

to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nominations beginning with Todd W. Mills and ending with Marvin W. Whiting, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 19, 2013.

Navy nomination of Richard J. Witt, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Oleh Haluszka, to be Captain.

Navy nominations beginning with Stephen S. Cho and ending with James W. Winde, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 11, 2013.

Navy nominations beginning with Timothy R. Anderson and ending with Andrew J. Woolley, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 11, 2013.

By Mr. CARPER for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

\*Sylvia Mathews Burwell, of West Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

By Mrs. MURRAY for the Committee on the Budget

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

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

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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

> By Mr. BENNET (for himself, Mr. BAU-CUS, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

S. 745. A bill to amend the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 to provide for the designation of treatment areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. COWAN:

S. 746. A bill to amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to establish a market-driven inventory system; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. VITTER:

S. 747. A bill to grant exclusive fishery management authority over the red snapper fish in the Gulf of Mexico to certain States; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. BURR, Mr. Tester, Mr. Heller, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mrs. McCaskill):

S. 748. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to consider the resources of individuals applying for pension that were recently disposed of by the individuals for less than fair market value when determining the eligibility of such individuals for such

pension, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mr. COR-NYN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BEGICH, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. HAGAN, Mr. INHOFE, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. RISCH, Mr. VITTER, and Mr. WICKER):

S. 749. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently extend the 15-year recovery period for qualified leasehold improvement property, qualified restaurant property, and qualified retail improvement property; to the Committee on Finance.

### By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 750. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Education to make grants to support fire safety education programs on college campuses: to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

> By Mr. COATS (for himself and Mr. DONNELLY):

S 751. A bill to amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to authorize producers on a farm to produce fruits and vegetables for processing on the base acres of the farm; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND:

S. 752. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to promulgate regulations regarding the authorship, content, format and dissemination of Patient Medication Information to ensure patients receive consistent and high-quality information about their prescription medications and are aware of the potential risks and benefits of prescription medications; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HEINRICH (for himself, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. Cor-NYN):

S. 753. A bill to provide for national security benefits for White Sands Missile Range and Fort Bliss; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND:

S. 754. A bill to amend the Specialty Crops Competitiveness Act of 2004 to include farmed shellfish as specialty crops; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Ms. Collins):

S 755 A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to apply the Medicaid primary care payment rate to additional physician providers of primary care services; to the Committee on Finance.

> By Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself and Mr. Blunt):

S. 756. A bill to allow funds under title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to be used to provide training to school personnel regarding how to recognize child sexual abuse; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HELLER:

757. A bill to provide for the implementation of the multispecies habitat conservation plan for the Virgin River, Nevada, and Lincoln County, Nevada, to extend the authority to purchase certain parcels of public land, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Ms. WARREN (for herself, Mr. COWAN, Mr. REID, Mr. McCONNELL, Mr. Alexander, Ms. Ayotte, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. Begich, Mr. Bennet, BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOOZ-MAN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BURR, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. CASEY, Mr. CHAM-BLISS, Mr. COATS, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COCHRAN, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. COONS, Mr. CORKER, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. Enzi, Mrs. Feinstein, Mrs. Fisch-ER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. FRANKEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GRASS-LEY, Mrs. HAGAN, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HEITKAMP, Mr. Heller, Ms. Hirono, Mr. Hoeven, Mr. Inhofe, Mr. Isakson, Mr. JOHANNS, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Mr. Johnson of South Dakota, Mr. KAINE, Mr. KING, Mr. KIRK, Ms. KLO-BUCHAR, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. LAUTEN-BERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. Manchin, Mr. McCain, Mrs. McCaskill, Mr. Menendez, MERKLEY, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. MORAN, Ms. Murkowski, Mr. Murphy, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. NELSON, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. REED, Mr. RISCH, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. ROCKE-FELLER, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. SHELBY,

CORRECTION

HOUSE, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. WYDEN): S. Res. 101. A resolution condemning the horrific attacks in Boston, Massachusetts, and expressing support, sympathy, and prayers for those impacted by this tragedy; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Ms. CoL-LINS, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. Baucus, Mr. Begich, Mrs. Mur-RAY, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. PRYOR):

Ms. Stabenow, Mr. Tester, Mr.

THUNE, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. UDALL of

Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico,

Mr. VITTER, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WHITE-

S. Con. Res. 13. A concurrent resolution commending the Boys & Girls Clubs of America for its role in improving outcomes for millions of young people and thousands of communities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

# ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 132

At the request of Mr. CARPER, the names of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN), the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) and the Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 132, a bill to provide for the admission of the State of New Columbia into the Union.

S. 138

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MORAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 138, a bill to prohibit discrimination against the unborn on the basis of sex or gender, and for other purposes.

S. 141

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. Johnson) was added as a cosponsor of S. 141, a bill to make supplemental agricultural disaster assistance available for fiscal years 2012 and 2013, and for other purposes.

S. 146

At the request of Mrs. Boxer, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 146, a bill to enhance the safety of America's schools.

S. 186

At the request of Mr. Shelby, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. Gillibrand) was added as a cosponsor of S. 186, a bill to award postnumously a Congressional Gold Medal to Addie Mae Collins, Denise McNair, Carole Robertson, and Cynthia Wesley, in recognition of the 50th anniversary of the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, where the 4 little Black girls lost their lives, which served as a catalyst for the Civil Rights Movement.

S. 218

At the request of Mr. Levin, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Ms. AYOTTE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 218, a bill to ensure that amounts credited to the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund are used for harbor maintenance.

S. 232

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. Scott) was added as a cosponsor of S. 232, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on medical devices.

S. 264

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. Blumenthal) was added as a cosponsor of S. 264, a bill to expand access to community mental health centers and improve the quality of mental health care for all Americans.

S. 294

At the request of Mr. Nelson, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 294, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the disability compensation evaluation procedure of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for veterans with mental health conditions related to military sexual trauma, and for other purposes.

S. 367

At the request of Mr. CARDIN, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. CASEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 367, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to repeal the Medicare outpatient rehabilitation therapy caps.

S. 375

At the request of Mr. Tester, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. Landrieu) was added as a cosponsor of S. 375, a bill to require Senate candidates to file designations, statements, and reports in electronic form.

S. 381

At the request of Mr. Boozman, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. Moran) was added as a cosponsor of S. 381, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the World War II members of the "Doolittle Tokyo Raiders", for outstanding heroism, valor, skill, and service to the United States in conducting the bombings of Tokyo.

S. 427

At the request of Mr. HOEVEN, the names of the Senator from Idaho (Mr.

CRAPO) and the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) were added as cosponsors of S. 427, a bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to provide flexibility to school food authorities in meeting certain nutritional requirements for the school lunch and breakfast programs, and for other nurroses

S. 457

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 457, a bill to posthumously award a Congressional gold medal to Alice Paul, in recognition of her role in the women's suffrage movement and in advancing equal rights for women.

S. 462

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. ROBERTS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 462, a bill to enhance the strategic partnership between the United States and Israel.

S. 526

At the request of Mr. Baucus, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. Shaheen) was added as a cosponsor of S. 526, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the special rule for contributions of qualified conservation contributions, and for other purposes.

S. 534

At the request of Mr. Tester, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 534, a bill to reform the National Association of Registered Agents and Brokers, and for other purposes.

S. 541

At the request of Ms. Landrieu, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 541, a bill to prevent human health threats posed by the consumption of equines raised in the United States.

S. 579

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the names of the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO), the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. ISAKSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 579, a bill to direct the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to obtain observer status for Taiwan at the triennial International Civil Aviation Organization Assembly, and for other purposes.

S. 610

At the request of Mr. Johanns, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. Flake) was added as a cosponsor of S. 610, a bill to amend the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to repeal certain limitations on health care benefits.

S. 642

At the request of Mr. Harkin, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. Johnson) was added as a cosponsor of S. 642, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act and title

XVIII of the Social Security Act to make the provision of technical services for medical imaging examinations and radiation therapy treatments safer, more accurate, and less costly.

S. 689

At the request of Mr. Harkin, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 689, a bill to reauthorize and improve programs related to mental health and substance use disorders.

S. 695

At the request of Mr. Boozman, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. Nelson) was added as a cosponsor of S. 695, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to pay a monthly assistance allowance to disabled veterans training or competing for the Paralympic Team and the authorization of appropriations for the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide assistance to United States Paralympics, Inc., and for other purposes.

S. 707

At the request of Mr. REED, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DUR-BIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 707, a bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to extend the reduced interest rate for Federal Direct Stafford Loans.

S. 734

At the request of Mr. Nelson, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. Franken) was added as a cosponsor of S. 734, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to repeal the requirement for reduction of survivor annuities under the Survivor Benefit Plan by veterans' dependency and indemnity compensation.

S. 741

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 741, a bill to extend the authorization of appropriations to carry out approved wetlands conservation projects under the North American Wetlands Conservation Act through fiscal year 2017.

S. 744

At the request of Mr. McCAIN, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744, a bill to provide for comprehensive immigration reform and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. Durbin, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744, supra.

At the request of Mr. Graham, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744, supra.

At the request of Mr. Menendez, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744, supra.

At the request of Mr. Rubio, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744,

At the request of Mr. Bennet, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744. supra.

At the request of Mr. Flake, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 744, supra.

S. RES. 65

At the request of Mr. Graham, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. Murphy), the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. Corker) and the Senator from Colorado (Mr. Udall) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 65, a resolution strongly supporting the full implementation of United States and international sanctions on Iran and urging the President to continue to strengthen enforcement of sanctions legislation.

### AMENDMENT NO. 713

At the request of Mr. Leahy, the names of the Senator from New York (Mrs. Gillibrand), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. Blumenthal), the Senator from Illinois (Mr. Durbin) and the Senator from Illinois (Mr. Kirk) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 713 proposed to S. 649, a bill to ensure that all individuals who should be prohibited from buying a firearm are listed in the national instant criminal background check system and require a background check for every firearm sale, and for other purposes.

#### AMENDMENT NO. 717

At the request of Mr. Barrasso, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Enzi) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 717 proposed to S. 649, a bill to ensure that all individuals who should be prohibited from buying a firearm are listed in the national instant criminal background check system and require a background check for every firearm sale, and for other purposes.

# AMENDMENT NO. 718

At the request of Mr. COBURN, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. McCAIN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 718 intended to be proposed to S. 649, a bill to ensure that all individuals who should be prohibited from buying a firearm are listed in the national instant criminal background check system and require a background check for every firearm sale, and for other purposes.

## AMENDMENT NO. 719

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the names of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. Thune), the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER), the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. Boozman) and the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Enzi) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 719 proposed to S. 649, a bill to ensure that all individuals who should be prohibited from buying a firearm are listed in the national instant criminal background check system and require a background check for every firearm sale, and for other purposes.

# AMENDMENT NO. 724

At the request of Mr. LAUTENBERG, the names of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) and the Senator from Maine (Mr. KING) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 724 in-

tended to be proposed to S. 649, a bill to ensure that all individuals who should be prohibited from buying a firearm are listed in the national instant criminal background check system and require a background check for every firearm sale, and for other purposes.

#### SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 101—CONDEMNING THE HORRIFIC ATTACKS IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, AND EXPRESSING SUPPORT, SYMPATHY, AND PRAYERS FOR THOSE IMPACTED BY THIS TRAGEDY

Ms. WARREN (for herself, Mr. COWAN, Mr. REID of Nevada, Mr. McConnell, Mr. ALEXANDER, Ms. AYOTTE, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. BENNET, Mr. Blumenthal, Mr. Blunt, Mr. Booz-MAN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BURR, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. CASEY, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. Coats, Mr. Coburn, Mr. Cochran, Ms. Collins, Mr. Coons, Mr. Corker, Mr. Cornyn, Mr. Crapo, Mr. Cruz, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. ENZI, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. Franken, Mrs. Gillibrand, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mrs. HAGAN, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. Heitkamp, Mr. Heller, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. JOHANNS, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Mr. Johnson of South Dakota, Mr. Kaine, Mr. King, Mr. Kirk, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MANCHIN, Mr. McCain, Mrs. McCaskill, Mr. Menendez, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. MORAN, Ms. Murkowski, Mr. Murphy, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Paul, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. REED of Rhode Island, Mr. RISCH, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Rubio, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. Scott, Mr. Sessions, Mrs. Sha-HEEN, Mr. SHELBY, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. THUNE, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. VITTER, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. WYDEN) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

### S. RES. 101

Whereas the two bombings that occurred on Patriots' Day, April 15, 2013, during the running of the 117th Boston Marathon, represent a terrible tragedy and horrific act of terrorism against the United States;

Whereas the people of the United States mourn those who lost their lives or were wounded:

Whereas police officers, firefighters, members of the National Guard, emergency medical personnel, and other first responders acted heroically in responding to the attacks, preventing additional loss of life;

Whereas the full resources of the Federal Government and State and local governments are being brought to bear to investigate this attack and bring the perpetrator or perpetrators to justice;

Whereas the residents of Massachusetts are a resilient people and will recover from this tragedy; and

Whereas the people of the United States will always remember the victims of the previous acts of terrorism that have occurred in the United States and will always stand together as one people: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate-

- (1) condemns the senseless attack in Boston, Massachusetts, on Monday, April 15, 2013:
- (2) offers sympathy and condolences to the victims' families;
- (3) sends thoughts and prayers for those who are recovering from injuries;
- (4) honors the heroic efforts of the medical personnel who are tirelessly providing care for the victims of this horrific act of violence;
- (5) admires the courage of the first responders and the many citizen heroes who aided the injured and tended to the community:
- (6) commits to providing all necessary resources to law enforcement officials who are investigating the terrorist attacks;
- (7) remains committed to working together as united Americans to bring those responsible for this attack to justice; and
- (8) recognizes that the city of Boston, the people of Massachusetts, and all Americans will rise up from this tragedy and stand together as patriots.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 13—COMMENDING THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF AMERICA FOR ITS ROLE IN IMPROVING OUTCOMES FOR MILLIONS OF YOUNG PEOPLE AND THOUSANDS OF COMMUNITIES

Mr. CASEY (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BEGICH, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. PRYOR) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

## S. CON. RES. 13

Whereas, in 1956, the Boys' Clubs of America celebrated its 50th anniversary and became a federally chartered incorporation;

Whereas, in 1991, the Federal charter of the Boys' Clubs of America was amended to reflect the change of the name of the organization to the Boys & Girls Clubs of America:

Whereas the Boys & Girls Clubs of America has significantly improved the quality of life for many young people and has helped to transform them into leaders and responsible citizens of the United States;

Whereas the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, through its efforts in communities throughout the United States, has a significant impact on the ability of young people to meet various challenges, including by helping them graduate from high school, gain proficiency in science, technology, engineering, and math, and develop skills for the 21st century:

Whereas evaluations of specific programs conducted by, and of the overall experience of participating in, the Boys & Girls Clubs of America demonstrate several positive outcomes linked to participation in the organization, including reduction in delinquent behaviors, increased academic achievement, increased access to and safe use of technology, broadened career goals, and improved attitudes toward school;