

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 300) designating November 7, 2015, as National Bison Day.

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

Mr. McCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 300) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

MEASURE READ THE FIRST TIME—H.R. 597

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I understand there is a bill at the desk, and I ask for its first reading.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will read the bill by title for the first time.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 597) to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and for other purposes.

Mr. McCONNELL. I now ask for a second reading and, in order to place the bill on the calendar under the provisions of rule XIV, I object to my own request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection having been heard, the bill will be read for the second time on the next legislative day.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2015

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 10 a.m., Thursday, October 29; that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; finally, that following leader remarks, the Senate resume consideration of the House message to accompany H.R. 1314.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M. TOMORROW

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

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:41 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, October 29, 2015, at 10 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

IN THE COAST GUARD

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD RESERVE IN THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203(A):

To be rear admiral

FRANCIS S. PELKOWSKI

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 14, U.S.C., SECTION 271(E):

To be captain

LADONN A. ALLEN
AREX B. AVANNI
DONALD E. BADER
RICHARD L. BATES
LANCE C. BELBEN
GARY R. BOWEN
MICHAEL E. BRANDHUBER
STEPHEN BURDIAN
MICHAEL E. CAMPBELL
KEVIN M. CARROLL
CHRISTOPHER M. CHASE
KURT A. CLARKE
DWIGHT E. COLLINS
THOMAS F. COOPER
DARCIE G. CUNNINGHAM
RUSSELL E. DASH
MICHAEL J. DAVANZO
DAVID S. DEUEL
MATTHEW J. FAY
PATRICK M. FLYNN
BRIAN C. GLANDER
DOUGLAS D. GOODWIN
JOHN P. GREGG
JOHN L. HOLLINGSWORTH
SCOTT A. KEISTER
KEVIN M. KING
MARC W. KNOWLTON
BRIAN K. KOSHULSKY
MATTHEW W. LAKE
KRISTI M. LUTTRELL
GREGORY H. MAGEE
RYAN D. MANNING
MICHAEL F. NASITKA
ROBERT A. PHILLIPS
CURTISS C. POTTER
JOHN W. PRUITT
THOMAS C. REMMERS
JOHN G. RIVERS
MONICA L. ROCHESTER
WILLIAM E. SASSER, JR.
PATRICK C. SCHREIBER
JOSEPH H.D. SOLOMON
GLENN D. STOCKS
ERIC J. STORCH
JOSEPH SUNDLAND
JAMES P. SUTTON
JASON P. TAMA
PETER R. VAN NESS
MARK VISLAY, JR.
MARK R. VLAUN
AARON E. WATERS
BLAKE E. WELBORN
ADRIAN L. WEST
STEPHEN R. WHITE
CRAIG J. WIESCHHORSTER
JEFFREY V. YAROSH

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD RESERVE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203(A):

To be captain

SHARIF A. ABDRAHBO
MICHAEL K. ARNOLD
JOHN M. CARABALLO
RONALD J. CATUDAL
MICHAEL J. FERULLO
EVAN J. GALBO
JOHN J. GAROFALO, JR.
JILL I. LUMPKIN
MATTHEW J. MCCANN
DAVID A. MENCHACA
PATRICIA J. QUINN
JENNIFER A. TRAVERS
WILBUR A. VELARDE

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. ARLEN R. ROYALTY

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be admiral

VICE ADM. KURT W. TIDD

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE AIR FORCE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be colonel

ALAN D. MURDOCK

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 624 AND 3064:

To be colonel

OLGA M. ANDERSON
ROSEANNE M. BENNETT
JOHN H. COOK
JOHN A. HAMNER II
TIMOTHY P. HAYES, JR.
MAUREEN A. KOHN
JULIE A. LONG
ROBERT L. MANLEY III
ANDRAS M. MARTON
SEAN T. MCGARRY
OREN H. MCKNELLY
MICHAEL D. MIERAU, JR.
RUSSELL N. PARSON
TRAVIS L. ROGERS
MICHAEL C. WONG
ERIC W. YOUNG

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY AS CHAPLAINS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 624 AND 3064:

To be colonel

JIMMY C. DAVIS, JR.
CHARLES M. FIELDS
MARK A. FREDERICK
DAVID M. LOCKHART
ROBERT NAY
DARIN A. NIELSEN
KEVIN M. PIES
JAMES E. SCHAEFER
OLEN Z. SELLERS
SCOTT R. SHERRETT
DAVID L. SHOFFNER
JERRY C. SIEG
KENNETH R. SORENSON
TIMOTHY D. WALLS
KEVIN B. WESTON
STANLEY E. WHITTEN
ROBERT E. WICHMAN

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be colonel

SPENCER T. PRICE

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE REGULAR NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 531:

To be lieutenant commander

JAMES E. O'NEIL III
KEITH M. ROXO

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

JOSHUA C. ANDRES
CARL W. BARLOW III
LOWELL E. BIRCH
RALPH T. BUCKLES
DEREK A. BURNEY
ARON E. CALLIPO
DANA S. CANBY
KENDRA B. CARTER
DAVID A. DUFFIELD
STEPHEN M. EMERSON
CLINTON D. EMRICH
JACOB M. GERLACH
DANIEL W. GOODWIN
CHRISTOPHER A. GRILLO
RYAN M. GRUNDT
SAMUEL F. HARTLEY
JOHN J. HARTSOCK
KYLE T. HAUBOLD
COLLIN R. HEDGES
DARRELL R. HEIDE
RICHARD S. HEIDEL
BRENT J. HOLLOWAY
ROBERT A. JOHNSON
CHARLES P. JONES
ALFRED L. KELLER, JR.
JEREMY D. LEAZER
WILLIAM C. LIVINGSTON
BENJAMIN B. LONG
FRANCISCO D. MARTINEZ
JOSHUA A. MEEK
THOMAS E. MILLER
JEFFREY A. MILOTA
JUSTIN A. MURTY
SHAUN A. POSEY
PETER J. REMILLARD
ALEX RINALDI
COSMAS SAMARITIS
JOSEPH W. A. SAMMUR
DANIEL C. SHEA
THOMAS J. SIMMONS
MATTHEW D. SPAKOWSKI
ERIK B. SUNDAY
STEPHEN D. SZACHTA, JR.
CHAD T. TELLA
MARK TEMPLAR
NATHANIEL B. VANDEVENTER

ROBERT W. VINSON
MARK F. WAITE
BRIAN D. WILSON
JOHN E. WOODSON
ALAN W. YOUNG
BETHANY R. ZMITROVICH

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT
TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY
RESERVE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12263:

To be captain

CALVIN M. FOSTER

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT
IN THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE REGULAR NAVY
UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 531:

To be lieutenant commander

TARA A. FEHER

CONFIRMATION

Executive nomination confirmed by
the Senate October 28, 2015:

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SARAH ELIZABETH FEINBERG, OF WEST VIRGINIA, TO
BE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMIN-
ISTRATION.

WITHDRAWAL

Executive Message transmitted by
the President to the Senate on October
28, 2015 withdrawing from further Sen-
ate consideration the following nomi-
nation:

AIR FORCE NOMINATION OF ENRIQUE J. GWIN, TO BE
COLONEL, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JUNE 16,
2015.