

levels. She led Deloitte's efforts to comply with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, and her collaboration with the strategy groups of other Big Four firms helped meet key legislative and regulatory agency objectives.

Cindy has been a role model to other female professionals throughout her career. She was a mentor to my current chief of staff when she was first starting her congressional career. Later at Deloitte, she highlighted the achievements and talents of younger female employees to her peers in other firms. She has also been instrumental in efforts to elect women to Congress.

Cindy's own story of success as one of the highest ranking female principals at Deloitte continues to inspire young women. She remains active in organizations she supports, serving on the Mississippi State Foundation Board of Directors, National Capital Multiple Sclerosis Society Board, and the U.S. Chamber Public Affairs Committee.

I wish Cindy well in her retirement. I know she will continue to use her talents and experience to benefit her community.●

#### MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Ms. Cuccia, one of his secretaries.

#### EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

In executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The messages received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-4939. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Forest Services Directives" (RIN0596-AC65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4940. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Bacillus subtilis strain FMCH002; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 9971-55) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4941. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule en-

titled "Bacillus licheniformis strain FMCH001; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 9971-54) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4942. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Chloromequat Chloride; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9974-42) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-4943. A communication from the General Counsel, Government Accountability Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of violations of the Antideficiency Act by the Department of Justice's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosions (ATF) between fiscal years 2000 and 2016; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-4944. A communication from the Senior Official performing the duties of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department of Defense's Evaluation of the TRICARE Program for fiscal year 2017; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4945. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral Paul A. Grosklags, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4946. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Gary H. Cheek, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4947. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Admiral Scott H. Swift, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4948. A communication from the Alternate Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Employment of Military Resources in the Event of Civil Disturbances" (RIN0790-AK07) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4949. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "State of North Dakota Underground Injection Control Program; Class VI Primacy" (FRL No. 9976-92-OW) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4950. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "New York: Incorporation by Reference of State Hazardous Waste Management Program" (FRL No. 9974-06-Region 2) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4951. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule en-

titled "Approval of State Plans for Designated Facilities and Pollutants; Missouri; Hospital, Medical, and Infection Waste Incineration (HMIWI) Units" (FRL No. 9977-10-Region 7) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4952. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Texas; Control of Air Pollution from Visible Emissions and Particulate Matter" (FRL No. 9976-92) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4953. A communication from the Chief of the Branch of Domestic Listing, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Threatened Species Status for Yellow Lance (RIN1018-BB45) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4954. A communication from the Program Coordinator, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Federal Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (Duck Stamp) Contest Regulations" (RIN1018-BB23) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4955. A communication from the Chief of the Branch of Listing Policy and Support, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Removing Textual Descriptions of Critical Habitat Boundaries for Mammals, Birds, Amphibians, Fishes, Clams, Snails, Arachnids, Crustaceans, and Insects" (RIN1018-BA81) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4956. A communication from the Chief of the Branch of Delisting, Downlisting, and Foreign Species, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Removing the Black-Capped Vireo From the Federal List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife" (RIN1018-BB79) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4957. A communication from the Chief of the Branch of Domestic Listing, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Threatened Species Status for Louisiana Pinesnake" (RIN1018-BB46) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 20, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4958. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of Certain 2018 Cost-of-Living Adjustments" (Rev. Proc. 2018-22) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-4959. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fringe Benefits Aircraft Valuation Formula" (Rev. Proc. 2018-10) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-4960. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Belgium, Norway and the United Kingdom to support the maintenance, repair and overhaul of F-100 aircraft engines in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-089); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4961. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to France and Japan to support development and modification of maritime patrol aircraft for use by the government of Japan in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-117); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4962. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) and (d) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Japan to support the manufacture of Mk 46 Torpedo assemblies and components in Japan in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-133); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4963. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to the United Kingdom for the assembly of GPS Aided Inertial Navigation Systems (GAINS) and manufacture of the electronic and mechanical components and parts for GAINS for use in Paveway Weapon Systems in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-136); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4964. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to the United Kingdom for the manufacture of control section units and associated electronics modules for the AIM-120 Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile for end use by the United States Government in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-137); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4965. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Australia to support the integration and operation, engineering support, training, testing, maintenance,

and repair of AN/PRC-158 software defined tactical radio systems and the Network Planning and Management System for command and control/command, control, communications, computers, intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance mission applications in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 17-138); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4966. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Case-Zablocki Act, 1 U.S.C. 112b, as amended, the report of the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties (List 2018-0036—2018-0039); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4967. A communication from the Director of the Division of Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation, Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act: Maximum and Minimum Compensation Rates" (RIN1240-AA06) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 19, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4968. A communication from the Acting Director, Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency for the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Agency's fiscal year 2017 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4969. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Agency's fiscal year 2016 Federal Activities Inventory Reform (FAIR) Act submission of its commercial and inherently governmental activities; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4970. A communication from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's Fiscal Year 2017 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4971. A communication from the Acting Director, Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency for the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Agency's fiscal year 2017 annual report relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4972. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-300, "Injured Metropolitan Police Office Relief Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4973. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-301, "Child Neglect and Sex Trafficking Temporary Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4974. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-302, "Pools Without Penalties Temporary Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4975. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report

on D.C. Act 22-303, "Deferred Compensation Program Enrollment Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4976. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-304, "Office-to-Affordable-Housing Task Force Establishment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4977. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-305, "Community Residential Facilities Third-Party Notice of Utility Disconnection Requirement of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4978. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-306, "Great Streets Technical Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4979. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-307, "Medical Assistance Program Modernization Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4980. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-308, "Dupont Circle Business Improvement District Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4981. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-312, "Senior Dental Services Program Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4982. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-313, "Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Enactment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4983. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-314, "Nurse Staffing Agency Amendment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4984. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 22-315, "Maternal Mortality Review Committee Establishment Act of 2018"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4985. A communication from the Senior Official performing the duties of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's fiscal years 2016 and 2017 annual reports relative to the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act); to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-4986. A communication from the Secretary of the Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Hart-Scott-Rodino Annual Report: Fiscal Year 2017"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4987. A communication from the Regulation Policy Development Coordinator, Office of Regulation Policy and Management,

EC-5012. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal

Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Airworthiness Directives; Embraer S.A. Airplanes” ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-1119)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5013. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Services B.V. Airplanes” ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0268)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5014. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (20); Amdt. No. 3792” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5015. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (125); Amdt. No. 3791” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5016. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (17); Amdt. No. 3794” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5017. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (74); Amdt. No. 3793” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5018. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (75); Amdt. No. 3789” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5019. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Take-off Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (34); Amdt. No. 3790” ((RIN2120-AA65) received in

the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5020. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class D and E Airspace for the following Missouri Towns; Cape Girardeau, MO; St. Louis, MO; and Macon, MO” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2016-9559)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5021. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class E Airspace; Messana, NY” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0953)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5022. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class B Airspace Description; St. Louis, MO” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0178)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5023. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class E Airspace; Selinsgrove, PA” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2014-0839)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5024. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment, Revocation, and Establishment of Class D and E Airspace; Enid Vance AFB, OK; Enid Woodring Municipal Airport, OK; Enid, OK; and Vance AFB, OK” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2016-9378)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5025. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class E Airspace; Massena, NY” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0953)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5026. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class D and E Airspace; Lewiston, ID” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0986)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5027. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class D and E Airspace; Twin Falls, ID” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0969)) received in the Office of the President

of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5028. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Class D Airspace; Clanton, AL” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-0802)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5029. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Modification and Revocation of multiple Air Traffic Services (ATS) Routes; Northcentral United States” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2016-9555)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5030. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Establishment of Class E Airspace; Yuma, CO” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2017-1064)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5031. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Restricted Areas R-2907C; Lake George, FL, R-2910B, R-2910C, and R-2910E; Pinecastle, FL” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0103)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5032. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Restricted Areas R-2907C, R-2910B, R-2910C, and R-2910E; Pinecastle, FL” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0103)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5033. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Amendment of Restricted Areas R-2501E, R-2501N, R-2501W, and R-2501S; Bullion Mountains, CA” ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0102)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5034. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “System Safety Program” ((RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 6)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5035. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “System Safety Program” ((RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 5)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5036. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "System Safety Program" ((RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 6)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5037. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Training, Qualification, and Oversight for Safety-Related Railroad Employees" ((RIN2130-AC68) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5038. A communication from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "System Safety Program" ((RIN2130-AC31) (Docket No. FRA-2011-0060, Notice No. 4)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5039. A communication from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of the Cape May Peninsula Viticultural Area" ((RIN1513-AC26) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5040. A communication from the Chief Counsel, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rights to Federally Funded Inventions and Licensing of Government Owned Inventions" ((RIN0693-AB63) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5041. A communication from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.624(g) of the Commission's Rules Regarding Submission of FCC Form 2100, Schedule G, Used to Report TV Stations' Ancillary or Supplementary Services; Modernization of Media Regulation Initiative" ((MB Docket No. 17-264 and MB Docket No. 17-105) (FCC 18-41)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5042. A communication from the Deputy Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Auction of FM Translator Construction Permits Scheduled for June 21, 2018; Notice and Filing Requirements, Minimum Opening Bids, Upfront Payments, and Other Procedures for Auction 83" ((AU Docket No. 17-351) (DA 18-257)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5043. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Pacific Aerospace Limited Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2018-0210)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on April 23, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5044. A communication from the Administrator, Transportation Security Ad-

ministration, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "2018 Biennial National Strategy for Transportation Security"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

#### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. INHOFE for Mr. McCAIN for the Committee on Armed Services.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Dorothy A. Hogg, to be Lieutenant General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. Richard P. Snyder, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. John C. Aquilino, to be Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Charles A. Richard, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Capt. Gregory N. Todd, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. John S. Lemmon, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Ronald C. Copley and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Kathleen M. Creighton, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Brian K. Corey and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Johnny R. Wolfe, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Darse E. Crandall, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Kristen B. Fabry and ending with Capt. Joseph D. Noble, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Heidi K. Berg and ending with Capt. William E. Chase III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nomination of Capt. John J. Adametz, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Thomas J. Anderson, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. James A. Aiken and ending with Capt. George M. Wikoff, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Air Force nomination of Gen. Terrence J. O'Shaughnessy, to be General.

Air Force nomination of Col. Michael T. Gerock, to be Brigadier General.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. Stephen G. Fogarty, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Brig. Gen. Raymond S. Dingle, to be Major General.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. Francis M. Beaudette, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Eugene J. LeBoeuf and ending with Col. Robert E. Suter, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Navy nomination of Adm. Philip S. Davidson, to be Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. David M. Kriete, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Michelle C. Skubic, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Eugene H. Black III and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) Kenneth R. Whitesell, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Brent W. Scott, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Darin K. Via, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Marine Corps nomination of Lt. Gen. Michael G. Dana, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nomination of Lt. Gen. David H. Berger, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Col. Stephen E. Liszewski and ending with Col. Calvert L. Worth, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Charles G. Chiarotti, to be Lieutenant General.

Mr. INHOFE for Mr. McCAIN. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

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

Air Force nominations beginning with Richard G. Anderson and ending with Joel K. Warren, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Ronnelle Armstrong and ending with John Marion Von Almen, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Alison Lee Beach and ending with Cortney Lynn Zuercher, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 8, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael J. Abbott and ending with David Russell Wright, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Army nomination of Tia W. Caphart, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Napoleon A. Campos, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Kevin R. Embry, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Andrew J. Furjanic, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Daniel L. Lee, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of John M. Williams, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Roberto Soriano Olivares, to be Major.

Army nomination of Jason Palatas, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Jose R. Reveles, Jr. and ending with Kenneth J. Strauss, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Army nomination of D012279, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Russell B. Gilliland, to be Major.

Army nomination of Erik M. Bauer, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Lawrence W. Henry, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Kenneth A. Willeford, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of D012941, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Roxanne T. Sickles, to be Major.

Army nomination of James F. Huggins II, to be Colonel.