Seeing Lewis & Clark develop from conception to construction was a labor of love for Red and a mission he fought hard to achieve. He has worked tirelessly on behalf of the project, serving as the vice chairman of the board beginning in 1994, until becoming the board chairman in 2006, a position he still holds. Under Red's leadership, over $470 million in funding was directed to Lewis & Clark, and over 200 miles of pipeline have been laid in the ground that currently deliver much-needed water to 14 member communities and rural water projects, reaching over 300,000 people across South Dakota, Minnesota, and Iowa.

In May 2016, Luverne, MN, was finally able to celebrate its connection to Lewis & Clark, with Red reveling in taking the first swig of water. It was at this ceremony that the meter building in Luverne was dedicated in Red's honor. Red will be the first to acknowledge that this endeavor, benefiting generations to come in the tristate area, was a team effort. There is no question Red's vision for the future, as well as his dedication and strong leadership have been a driving force through the years. That is why he was a recipient in 2012 of the Lewis & Clark Trailblazer Award, which is the organization's highest honor.

I am grateful for his commitment to public service, his hard work on behalf of Lewis & Clark, and, more importantly, I am proud to call him a friend. I commend Red Arndt for his many great contributions to Lewis & Clark, the community of Luverne, and the entire State of Minnesota.

Thank you.●

REMEMBERING BRUCE MACINTYRE

● Mr. TESTER. Mr. President, today I wish to honor the memory of a great Montanan who left his mark on countless lives.

Bruce MacIntyre devoted his life to the betterment of Billings, MT. Bruce's service to his community started at his father's car dealership. After returning from the University of Notre Dame, Bruce took over the family business, successfully running it with integrity and passion.

It didn't take long for Bruce to expand his horizons by serving in community leadership positions. He eventually sold the dealership to devote his time to others. Bruce quickly began consulting for businesses around Billings, helping them evolve and grow, creating jobs and opportunities along the way.

Bruce eventually joined the Billings Chamber of Commerce as director of government affairs, fostering relationships between businesses and local officials to expand the economy and establish lifelong connections. Bruce was well-known in Billings and across the State as a humble, generous mentor who always had time to give advice or lend a hand or even simply to listen to someone who needed it.

His other passion was ensuring students got a quality education. Bruce was instrumental in passing numerous levies to benefit students and teachers, and in 2017, he was elected to serve as a trustee for Billings SD2, where he lent his insight and expertise to creating a better future for all students.

I rise to remember this great man, who selflessly dedicated his life to his community. Montana is a better place because of Bruce.●

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

At 2:16 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Novotny, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. DENHAM) has signed the following enrolled bill:

H.R. 698. An act to require a land conveyance involving the Elkhorn Ranch and the White River National Forest in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes.

The enrolled bill was subsequently signed by the President pro tempore (Mr. HATCH).

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–6537. A communication from the Administrator of the Specialty Crops Program, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Cranberries Grown in States of Massachusetts, et al.; Establishment of 2018–19 Seasonal Volume Regulation'' ((7 CFR Part 929) (Docket No. AMS–SC–18–0012; SC18–929–2 FR)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 20, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC–6538. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Beauveria bassiana strain PPRI 5339; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance'' (FRL No. 9983–67) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC–6539. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, polymer with butyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate, butyl 2-propenoate, N-(1,1-dimethyl-3-oxobutyl)-2-propenamide, ethenylbenzene, 2-ethylhexyl 2-prepenoate and methyl 2-methyl-2-prepenoate; Tolerance Exemption'' (FRL No. 9983–23) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC–6540. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''2-Propenpoic acid, polymer with butyl 2-propenoate, ethenylbenzene and (1-methylethenyl) benzene, ammonium salt; Tolerance Exemption'' (FRL No. 9983–22) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC–6541. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Maltodextrin-vinyl pyrrolidinone copolymer; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance'' (FRL No. 9983–05) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC–6542. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Jack Weinstein, United States Air Force, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–6543. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral John N. Christenson, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–6544. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Kenneth R. Dahl, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–6545. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army (Manpower and Reserve Affairs), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the mobilizations of selected reserve units, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC–6546. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism that was established in Executive Order 13224 on September 23, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC–6547. A communication from the Acting Director, Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Summaries of Rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act (Regulation V)'' (RIN3170–AA82) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC–6548. A communication from the Chief Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Suspension of Community Eligibility'' ((44 CFR Part 64) (Docket No. FEMA–2018–0002)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 19, 2018; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC–6549. A communication from the Program Specialist, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Liquidity Coverage Ratio Rule: Treatment of Certain Municipal Obligations as High-Quality Liquid Assets'' (RIN1557–AE36) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 20, 2018; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC–6550. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant

to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Revisions to the Requirements for Submissions of Exclusion Requests and Objections to Submitted Requests for Steel and Aluminum'' (RIN0694–AH55) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC–6551. A communication from the Acting Deputy Chief, National Forest System, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the final map and perimeter boundary for the Black Butte Wild and Scenic River, in California, added to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC–6552. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Water and Science, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Special Regulations, Areas of the National Park System, Pea Ridge National Military Park; Bicycles'' (RIN1024–AE41) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 19, 2018; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC–6553. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the St. Lucie County, Florida Coastal Storm Risk Management Project; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6554. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Ala Wai Canal Flood Risk Management Study, Oahu, Hawaii; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6555. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; Idaho; Interstate Transport Requirements for the 2012 PM2.5 NAAQS'' (FRL No. 9984–29–Region 10) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6556. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; Missouri; Regional Haze Plan and Prong 4 (Visibility) for the 2012 PM2.5, 2010 NO2, 2010 SO2, and 2008 Ozone NAAQS'' (FRL No. 9984–22–Region 7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6557. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; North Carolina; Inspection and Maintenance Program'' (FRL No. 9984–23–Region 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6558. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; SC and TN; Regional Haze Plans and Prong 4 (Visibility) for the 2012 PM2.5, 2010 NO2, 2010 SO2, and 2008 Ozone NAAQS'' (FRL No. 9984–20–Region 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6559. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; TN: Revisions to New Source Review'' (FRL No. 9984–10–Region 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6560. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Quality State Implementation Plans; Approvals and Promulgations: Infrastructure Monitoring Requirements for the 2008 Pb, 2010 SO2, 2010 NO2 and 2012 PM2.5 National Ambient Air Quality Standards; Utah'' (FRL No. 9983–73–Region 8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6561. 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 Air Quality Implementation Plans; Wyoming; Incorporation by Reference Updates'' (FRL No. 9984–50–Region 8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6562. 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; Arkansas; Interstate Transport Requirements for the 2012 PM2.5 NAAQS and Definition Update'' (FRL No. 9984–35–Region 6) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6563. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Approval of Missouri Air Quality Implementation Plans; Redesignation of the Missouri Portion of the St. Louis-St. Charles-Farmington, MO–IL 2008 Ozone Area to Attainment'' (FRL No. 9983–68–Region 7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6564. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Dorney Road Landfill Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9984–24–Region 3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6565. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Union Chemical Co., Inc. Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9983–87–Region 1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6566. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Whitehouse Oil Pits Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9984–02–Region 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6567. 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 Air Quality Implementation Plans; West Virginia; Regional Haze Plan and Visibility Requirements for the 2010 Sulfur Dioxide and the 2012 Fine Particulate Matter Standards'' (FRL No. 9984–30–Region 3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6568. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Withdrawal of Direct Final Rule; Removal of EPA Mentor Protege Program'' (FRL No. 9984–39–OARM) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6569. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN; Interstate Transport for the 2012 PM2.5 NAAQS'' (FRL No. 9984–36–Region 4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6570. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; New Hampshire; Updates to Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program Regulation'' (FRL No. 9983–99–Region 1) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6571. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Air Plan Approval; Tennessee: Volatile Organic Compounds'' (FRL No. 9984–50–Region 4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6572. 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 Air Quality Implementation Plans; West Virginia; Permits for Construction and Major Modification of Major Stationary Sources for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration of Air Quality'' (FRL No. 9984–48–Region 3) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6573. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Approval of the Clean Air Act Section 112(l), Authority for Hazardous Air Pollutants: Asbestos Management and Control; Clerical Corrections to Incorporation by Reference of Inactive Waste Disposal Rules; State of New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services'' (FRL No. 9979–67–Region 1) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6574. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Davis Timber Company Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9984–45–Region 4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6575. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Eureka Mills Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9984–46–Region 8) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6576. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan; National Priorities List: Deletion of the Reasor Chemical Company Superfund Site'' (FRL No. 9984–44–Region 4) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6577. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Significant New Use Rules on Certain Chemical Substances; Withdrawal'' (FRL No. 9983–72) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC–6578. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled ''2017 Actuarial Report on the Financial Outlook for Medicaid''; to the Committee on Finance.

EC–6579. 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 ''REIT Foreign Income Inclusions'' (Rev. Proc. 2018–48) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 19, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC–6580. 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 ''Safe Harbor Explanations - Eligible Rollover Distributions'' (Notice 2018–74) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 19, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC–6581. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Medicaid Program; Final FY 2016 and Preliminary FY 2018 Disproportionate Share Hospital Allotments, and Final FY 2016 and Preliminary FY 2018 Institutions for Mental Diseases Disproportionate Share Hospital Limits'' ((RIN0938–ZB48) (CMS–2414-N)) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 21, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC–6582. A communication from the Chief of the Trade and Commercial Regulations Branch, Bureau of Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Extension of Import Restrictions Imposed on Archaeological Material from Cambodia'' (RIN1515–AE40) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC–6583. 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 firearms abroad controlled under Category I of the U.S. Munitions List of 9mm semi-automatic pistols to the Philippines in the amount of $1,000,000 or more (Transmittal No. DDTC 18–019); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC–6584. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled ''Nurse Corps Loan Repayment and Scholarship Programs Report to Congress for Fiscal Year 2017''; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC–6585. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled ''National Health Service Corps Report to Congress for the Year 2017''; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC–6586. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Mergers and Transfers Between Multiemployer Plans'' (RIN1212–AB31) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 20, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC–6587. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits'' (29 CFR Parts 4022 and 4044) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 20, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC–6588. A communication from the Deputy Director of Regulations and Policy Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Current Good Manufacturing Practice, Hazard Analysis, and Risk-Based Preventive Controls for Human Food'' ((21 CFR Part 110) (Docket No. FDA–2011–N–0920) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC–6589. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting proposed legislation entitled ''National Priorities Security Grant Program Act''; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC–6590. A communication from the Chief, Administrative Law Division, Central Intelligence Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Inspector General, Central Intelligence Agency, received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 19, 2018; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

EC–6591. 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 ''Defense Logistics Agency Freedom of Information Act Program'' (RIN0790–AJ71) received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 20, 2018; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC–6592. A communication from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting proposed legislation; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC–6593. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Safety Zone; Swim Around Charleston; Charleston, SC'' ((RIN1625–AA00) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0598)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6594. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Safety Zone; Boston Harbor's Improvement Dredging Project, Boston, MA'' ((RIN1625–AA00) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0575)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6595. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Safety Zone; Neches River, Beaumont, TX'' ((RIN1625–AA00) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0376)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6596. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Safety Zone; Upper Mississippi River Mile Markers 824 to 832, St. Paul, MN'' ((RIN1625–AA00) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0813)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6597. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Safety Zone; Fireworks Display, Indian River Bay, Long Neck, DE'' ((RIN1625–AA00) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0737)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6598. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''Special Local Regulation; Upper Mississippi River, St. Paul, MN'' ((RIN1625–AA08) (Docket No. USCG–2018–0821)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6599. A communication from the Director of the Policy, training , and Pricing Division, Office of Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''NASA Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Removal of Reference to the Shared Savings Policy and Associated Clause'' (RIN2700–AE44) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6600. A communication from the Director of the Policy, Training, and Pricing Division, Office of Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''NASA Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Removal of Reference to the Supplemental Rights in Data Special Works Policy and Associated Clause'' (RIN2700–AE45) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC–6601. A communication from the Director of the Policy, Training, and Pricing Division, Office of Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled ''NASA Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement: Removal of Definitions'' (RIN2700–AE46) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 18, 2018; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. INHOFE for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Casey Wardynski, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

*Veronica Daigle, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Alex A. Beehler, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

*Robert H. McMahon, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Alan Ray Shaffer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment.

Air Force nomination of Col. Jeffrey H. Hurlbert, to be Brigadier General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. Michael J. Dumont, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Capt. Robert D. Katz, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Michael T. Plehn, to be Lieutenant General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. Timothy G. Szymanski, to be Vice Admiral.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. James E. Rainey, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Thomas J. Sharpy, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Col. David P. Garfield, to be Brigadier General.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Timothy G. Fay, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. George W. Smith, Jr., to be Lieutenant General.

Mr. INHOFE. 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 nomination of Ryan J. Garlow, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Thomas T. Swaim, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Dann S. Carlson and ending with Jose I. Ruiz Quinones, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 17, 2018.

Army nomination of Mac B. Carter, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Michael T. Anders and ending with D014641, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 20, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Michael J. Adamski and ending with G010241, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 20, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Courtney L. Abraham and ending with D014311, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 20, 2018.

Army nomination of Timothy D. Vincent, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Mark J. Stanalajczo, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Eric D. Barger, to be major.

Army nominations beginning with Joseph V. Dermenjian and ending with Michael J. Trofinoff, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nomination of Christopher G. Hossfeld, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Dejuan E. Giblert, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with John H. Barkemeyer and ending with D014328, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nomination of John T. Winkler, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Pedro O. Agapay III and ending with Mark A. White, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nomination of Jaime D. Birmingham, to be lieutenant Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Jeff A. Blackard and ending with Matthew J. Songe, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Brian J. Burton and ending with Christopher S. Wooten, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Hugo I. Ehuan and ending with Michael K. Flury, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Army nomination of Kurt J. Cyr, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Brian D. McManus, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Edward J. Maloney, to be Major.

Army nomination of Craig S. Gatzemeyer, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Michael A. Collins, to be Major.

Army nomination of Robert J. Bernard, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Dexter M. Berry and ending with Agnita M. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 17, 2018.

Marine Corps nomination of Shawn A. Rickrode, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Navy nominations beginning with James K. Short and ending with Nicholas A. Midzak, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on July 31, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Andrew P. Bessette and ending with Stanley R. Worthington, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Mark A. A. Abadilla and ending with John S. Yohannan, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Adam C. Aliano and ending with Sharlena Y. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with William A. Agbo and ending with Gregory A. Wolfley, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Benjamin P. Archer and ending with Michael K. Yang, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Jacob A. Adams and ending with Kenneth E. Zitnik, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Albetro Alshabazz and ending with Brian M. Wood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Nicholas L. Alander and ending with Patrick D. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Mark Adjei and ending with Darian J. Wilder, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on August 27, 2018.

Navy nomination of Julio L. Mattos, Jr., to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nominations beginning with Darin M. Andrews and ending with Ryan D. Zachar, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Francis G. Coyle and ending with Christopher J. Wright, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Richard E. Arthur II and ending with Barry J. Wutzke, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Claudia I. Alday and ending with Toshi L. Williams, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Kyle J. Abner and ending with Thomas W. Zimmerman, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Scott B. Aaron and ending with Shannon M. Zoch, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Jessica L. Alexander and ending with Seng F. Yee, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Michael K. Beall and ending with William N. Zinicolalapin, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.

Navy nominations beginning with Rachel M. Althouse and ending with Jason P. Tabanan, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on September 6, 2018.