

NATO Ally that is a force for political and economic stability in Europe.

The proposed sale will improve Poland's capability to meet current and future threats by providing air-to-air defense to protect Polish and allied forces in transition or combat and significantly improve the Polish contribution to NATO requirements. Poland already has AMRAAM in its inventory and will have no difficulty absorbing these articles into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

The principal contractor will be RTX Corporation, located in Tucson, AZ. At this time, the U.S. Government is not aware of any offset agreement proposed in connection with this potential sale. Any offset agreement will be defined in negotiations between the purchaser and the contractor.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Poland.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

TRANSMITTAL NO. 25-15

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

Annex Item No. vii

(vii) Sensitivity of Technology:

1. The AIM-120D-series Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile (AMRAAM) is a supersonic, air-launched, aerial intercept guided missile featuring digital technology and micro-miniature, solid-state electronics. AMRAAM capabilities include look-down/shoot-down, multiple launches against multiple targets, resistance to electronic countermeasures, and interception of high and low-flying and maneuvering targets. The AIM-120D features a quadrangle target detection device and an electronics unit within the guidance section that performs all radar signal processing, mid-course and terminal guidance, flight control, target detection, and warhead detonation.

2. The Common Munitions Built-In-Test Reprogramming Equipment (CMBRE) is support equipment used to interface with weapon systems to initiate and report BIT results and upload and download flight software. CMBRE supports multiple munitions platforms with a range of applications that perform preflight checks, periodic maintenance checks, loading of Operational Flight Program data, loading of munitions mission planning data, loading of Global Positioning System (GPS) cryptographic keys, and declassification of munitions memory.

3. The ADU-891 adapter group test set provides the physical and electrical interface between the CMBRE and the missile.

4. The KGV-135A is a high-speed, general purpose encryptor and decryptor module used for wideband data encryption.

5. The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

6. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

7. A determination has been made that Poland can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

8. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been authorized for release and export to the Government of Poland.

TRIBUTE TO MAJOR COLLEEN RANDOLPH

Mr. SCOTT of Florida. Mr. President, I rise to recognize Maj. Colleen Randolph, U.S. Marine Corps, for her distinguished and exemplary service, on the occasion of her transfer from the U.S. Marine Corps Office of Legislative Affairs to the Nation's best service academy, the U.S. Naval Academy. I, and many other Members of the Senate, have had the privilege of working with Major Randolph over the past 3 years as a military escort for congressional travel, continuing the excellent relationship between the Marine Corps and the U.S. Senate.

In her role, Major Randolph enabled the successful execution of over 30 international congressional delegations. Major Randolph distinguished herself through exceptional service to her country and in direct support of every Member of the Senate.

Major Randolph expertly handled congressional inquiries and requests for information from nearly every one of the 100 Senate offices, including my own. My team and I have traveled with Major Randolph on multiple international trips, most recently to the U.S. Indo-Pacific Command, a region critical to our national security. She has proven to be an incredible asset, consistently demonstrated exceptional problem-solving capability both prior to and during execution of congressional travel, excellent communications skills, and a wealth of knowledge.

Major Randolph also exemplified the candor and knowledge that we have come to expect from the Marine Corps. She is responsive and understands the need to quickly provide accurate information to Members and their teams as we work to serve the American people. Major Randolph is dedicated to the Marine Corps, her country, and always puts the needs of our Nation ahead of herself.

Major Randolph's service in the Senate Liaison Office has left the Marine Corps well positioned to continue the Corps' contributions to the national security of our Nation. In every endeavor during her time with the Office of Legislative Affairs, Major Randolph proved to be an officer of the highest caliber. My colleagues and I bid a fond farewell to Maj. Colleen Randolph, her husband Matt; and we thank her parents Mike and Kathleen; twin sister Kaileigh; and brothers Kane and Cole for all the support they have given her as she serves her Nation. We wish Maj. Colleen Randolph continued success in her next assignment with the U.S. Naval Academy.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

TRIBUTE TO DR. SAM POLLES

• Mr. WICKER. Mr. President, on behalf of the people of Mississippi, I commend Dr. Sam Polles, a public servant who has worked tirelessly to benefit the State.

A native of the delta, Dr. Polles is a lifelong learner. He graduated from Clarksdale High School and continued his education at Delta State College, as it was known then, earning a degree in premed and predoctoral studies. He received both a masters and a doctorate at Mississippi State University. After graduating, Dr. Polles took roles in several organizations focused on agriculture and the outdoors. In 1992, his life's vocational calling came into focus. Dr. Polles began working at the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks, and he went on to serve as the agency's executive director for 29 years.

In his position, Dr. Polles touched the lives of almost every citizen across the Magnolia State. He made sure the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks fulfilled its primary mission: to provide quality outdoor recreational opportunities for residents and out-of-state visitors. On a practical level, he implemented point-of-sale systems for purchasing licenses, boat registrations, and reservations at park facilities.

Dr. Polles is a family man. He spent over half a century married to the late Mary Margaret Humber Polles, and he is the father of three sons and the grandfather of seven grandsons. In his retirement, Dr. Polles has continued spending time outdoors with his sons and grandsons, enjoying his favorite outdoor activities, duck and turkey hunting. I join my fellow Mississippians in thanking Dr. Sam Polles for his service and for sharing his love of the outdoors with us all.●

MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bill was read the first time:

S. 1582. A bill to provide for the regulation of payment stablecoins, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. WICKER for the Committee on Armed Services.

*Brandon Williams, of New York, to be Under Secretary for Nuclear Security.

*Bradley Hansell, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence and Security.

*Dale Marks, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Earl Matthews, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense.

Mr. WICKER. 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 Teresa A. Bonzani and ending with Onier Villarreal Alejandro, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Laurel M. Chiaramonte and ending with Patricia A. Wilkinson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Isreal Bennett, Jr. and ending with Christopher L. Suhr, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jameson C. Durham and ending with Julia K. Wriglesworth, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with James N. Bond and ending with Robert D. Rose, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Bruce A. Abbott and ending with Christine Lauren Zmuda, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Danielle D. Acacio and ending with Sidney E. Zven, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Caroline G. Ferris and ending with Suzanne Pristau, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Dominic S. Angiollo and ending with Hanna Yang, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jeffrey A. Ballou and ending with Brandon E. Stephens, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Steven D. Alaniz and ending with Patrick M. Ralph, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nomination of Vincent T. Chiappone, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with David A. Fishman and ending with Jason M. Selleck, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Ross E. Agee and ending with Joseph C. Wilson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Melinda C. Albiston and ending with Jamie M. Szmodis, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Scott W. Bohn and ending with Eugene C. Richter, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Ronald S. Adams and ending with Matthew G. Zellner, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nomination of John K. Lee, to be Major.

Air Force nominations beginning with Adam J. Polozola and ending with Navdeep Singh, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jenara L. Allen and ending with Brent J. Winward, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Hattie Dawn Alexander and ending with Joe X. Zhang, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nomination of Cody W. Clark, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael Bartels and ending with Zachary N. Zischang, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nominations beginning with Steven A. Brown and ending with Jessica H. Schafer, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Air Force nomination of Angela C. Lipovsky, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Daniel J. Arneson and ending with Chip R. Yde, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nomination of Matthew J. Ryan, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Brenton D. Groeneveld and ending with Shawn L. Tabankin, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nominations beginning with Robert R. Andersen III and ending with Janel R. Wiese, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nominations beginning with Joseph M. Byrd and ending with Scott A. Wells, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nominations beginning with Andrew S. Brennan and ending with Scott E. Thompson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nomination of Virginia A. Emery, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Raymond L. Ayers and ending with Steven W. Timm, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Army nomination of Stephanie M. Waddell, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nomination of Matthew I. Fine, to be Major.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Michael J. Dilling and ending with Melaine D. Weaver, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 14, 2025.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Ryan S. Dean and ending with Daniel B. Krake, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 14, 2025.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Phillip S. Noack and ending with Jennifer M. Raymond, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Marine Corps nomination of Freddie F. Martinez, to be Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Jeremy C. Hawkins, to be Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Justin R. McCann, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Marine Corps nomination of Joel C. Nienaber, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Navy nominations beginning with Gieorag M. Andrews and ending with Daniel S. Yassuda, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 1, 2025.

Navy nomination of James W. Gorman, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Ian G. Aucoin, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Christopher H. Elliott, to be Commander.

Navy nomination of Karlie M. Blake, to be Captain.

Navy nomination of Jeffrey J. Kim, to be Lieutenant Commander.

By Mr. GRASSLEY for the Committee on the Judiciary.

John Andrew Eisenberg, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Brett Shumate, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

*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. TILLIS (for himself and Mr. COONS):

S. 1546. A bill to amend title 35, United States Code, to address matters relating to patent subject matter eligibility, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DAINES (for himself, Mr. KING, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. WARNER, Mr. SHEEHY, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. MURKOWSKI, and Mr. HICKENLOOPER):

S. 1547. A bill to amend title 54, United States Code, to reauthorize the National Parks and Public Land Legacy Restoration Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. WICKER (for himself and Mr. MERKLEY):

S. 1548. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude certain Nurse Corps payments from gross income; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GALLEG0 (for himself and Mr. COTTON):

S. 1549. A bill to amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to provide grants under the Drinking Water Infrastructure Risk and Resilience Program for training programs relating to protecting public water systems from and responding to cyberattacks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. OSSOFF (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida):

S. 1550. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to include training regarding financial protections under the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act in certain financial literacy training programs for