

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.

(U) Implementation of this proposed sale will require the assignment of two (2) additional U.S. Government and two (2) contractor representatives to Singapore, as required, for a duration of ten (10) days to provide engineering and technical support services as well as program and technical reviews.

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

TRANSMITTAL NO. 26-24

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. (U) The M30A2 guided multiple launch rocket system-alternative warhead (GMLRS-AW) is a program of record for the U.S. Department of War. The M30A2 GMLRS-AW shares a greater than 90% commonality with the M31A1 guided multiple launch rocket system-unitary (GMLRS-U). The primary difference between the GMLRS-U and GMLRS-AW is the replacement of the GMLRS-U's high explosive warhead with a 200-pound fragmentation warhead of preformed tungsten penetrators, which is optimized for effectiveness against large area and imprecisely located targets. The munitions otherwise share a common motor, global positioning system and precise positioning service (GPS/PPS)-aided inertial guidance provided by selective availability anti-spoofing module or M-Code, control system, fusing mechanism, multi-option height of burst capability, and an effective range between 15 and 70 kilometers.

2. (U) The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

3. (U) 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.

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

5. (U) All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been authorized for release and export to the Government of Singapore.

VOTE EXPLANATION

Mr. BENNET. Mr. President, I was necessarily absent for rollcall vote No. 75, motion to invoke cloture on Executive Calendar No. 672, John Thomas Shepherd to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas. Had I been present for the vote, I would have voted nay.

I was necessarily absent for rollcall vote No. 76, confirmation of Executive Calendar No. 672, John Thomas Shepherd to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Arkansas. Had I been present for the vote, I would have voted nay.

I was necessarily absent for rollcall vote No. 77, motion to invoke cloture on Executive Calendar No. 674, Christopher R. Wolfe, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas. Had I been present for the vote, I would have voted nay.

HONORING MAJOR ALEX KLINNER

Mr. TUBERVILLE. Mr. President, on March 12, 2026, Alabama lost a hero: Air Force Maj. Alex Klinner, 33. Alex was killed during a refueling mission in support of Operation Epic Fury in the Middle East. He was a part of the historic 99th Air Refueling Squadron based at Sumpter Smith Joint National Guard Base in Birmingham, AL. His death is a tragic reminder that freedom isn't free, and we all have our brave servicemen and -women to thank for the freedom that makes our country so special.

Alex was an Auburn native and a 2016 graduate of Auburn University. He entered the Air Force through Air Force Reserve Officer Training from Auburn University in 2017. He deployed four times from 2019–2026, flying 362 combat hours and 181 combat support hours in theater.

Alex leaves behind a legacy of fierce loyalty both to our country and to his family. Those around him knew him as a “servant leader” and a “helper,” who went to great lengths to care for his loved ones. As impressive as his pilot skills were, he shined brightest when surrounded by his family: his wife Libby and their three young children. His deep faith kept him rooted and focused on what really matters in this life. He truly embodied the Christian call to “walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.”

Alabama has rallied behind the Klinner family in the wake of this unimaginable loss. Suzanne and I will continue praying for them during this difficult time.

I was honored to attend the dignified transfer for Alex and the other servicemembers who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom. Alex's legacy will endure. He made Alabama proud, and we will always remember his service and sacrifice.

REMEMBERING REGENA TRIPLETT JONES

Mr. PAUL. Mr. President, I rise today to honor the life and memory of Regena Triplett Jones, a devoted public servant, a proud Kentuckian, and a woman whose kindness left a lasting impression on all who knew her.

Regena was born on May 6, 1964, and raised in the small community of Warfield, KY, a place that shaped her values and remained close to her heart throughout her life. She was the beloved daughter of John R. Triplett and Bonnie Triplett, a role she carried with deep pride and gratitude.

She later made her home in Pikeville, KY, where she built a life centered on faith, family, and service. A graduate of Northern Kentucky University's Salmon P. Chase College of Law, Regena brought both knowledge and heart to the work she would go on to do.

For 10 years, Regena served as my Eastern Kentucky Field Representative. In that role, she worked to connect Kentuckians with Federal resources and to serve the people of the Commonwealth with sincerity and care. She approached her work with a spirit of humility and a genuine desire to help others, leaving a quiet but meaningful mark across the region she served.

Beyond her professional life, Regena's greatest joy was found in her family. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother who treasured every moment spent with her children and grandchildren. Whether cheering them on at ballgames or simply being present in their lives, she made them the center of her world.

Her faith was also an important part of her life. As a member of Connection Church in Pikeville and a participant in the women's prayer group, she found strength in her beliefs and fellowship in her community.

Regena will be remembered for her bright personality, her gentle spirit, and her sincere kindness. She had a way of making others feel seen and valued, and her presence brought warmth to those around her.

While her passing on December 11, 2025, leaves a void in the lives of those who loved her, her legacy lives on in the family she cherished and the many lives she touched through her kindness and service.

I ask my colleagues to join me in honoring the life of Regena Triplett Jones and in extending our deepest condolences to her family, friends, and all who mourn her passing.

TRIBUTE TO MARIO D'ANGELO

Mr. MURPHY. Mr. President, in a building filled with history, Mario D'Angelo is an institution of the Senate in his own right. Born in Orsogna, Italy, in 1947, Mario traveled to the United States with his mother and sister at the age of 13.

Mario's father was a barber, and when Mario was growing up, he urged his son not to follow in his footsteps. Mario had other ideas. Though he briefly found work in the House of Representatives distributing packages of mail, his true calling was in the U.S. Senate.

In 1976, Mario was hired by the Senate Sergeant at Arms to manage the Capitol and Senate barber shop. He oversaw the remodeling of the Senate barber shop and cut the hair of countless Senate denizens, from summer interns to sitting Senators. For the last five decades, when Americans saw their Senators on television, it was often

Mario's handiwork on display. Giants of the Senate, including the late Senator John McCain, not only trusted Mario with their hair, they considered him a personal confidante and friend. Generations of Senators and staffers have relied on Mario's steady hand and extraordinary willingness to stay after hours to accommodate last-minute appointments. And in a place increasingly divided by tense partisan politics, Mario's genuine warmth and care provides a bridge of human connection for all who visit his chair. We honor and thank Mario for his 50 years of service and care.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

REMEMBERING MARILYN McGUIRE

• Ms. DUCKWORTH. Mr. President, late last year, I had the pleasure of meeting with family caregivers from Illinois. These heroes selflessly take care of their loved ones when they are in a time of need, even at the expense of their own goals or plans. I heard the story of Brittany Hogan, one of the 2.2 million family caregivers in Illinois, on the anniversary of her mother's passing. Brittany had been her mother's caregiver and kindly shared more about her mother's life. It is on Brittany's behalf that I am speaking today.

Marilyn McGuire spent 35 years as a public servant, working as a timekeeper for the Chicago Police Department. Marilyn brought generosity and a sense of humor to everything she did, and her coworkers loved Marilyn, treating her with great affection and even nicknaming her "Beautiful." Marilyn was spirited and thoughtful, even with the complex health challenges she faced.

As Marilyn battled scleroderma, lung disease, and many infections, Brittany became her full-time caregiver and advocate. Throughout these challenges, Marilyn was a fighter, never giving up or letting her spirit grow weak. Her passion for bringing people together and notoriety as the longtime host of family holiday events shone through, even from a hospital room, where she often played music and made guests comfortable as they came to comfort her.

Even after her passing, Marilyn continued to give to others, requesting her body be donated to science in the hopes that her struggles could help someone else down the road. Marilyn was a generous and compassionate Illinoisan, and her legacy lives on in her daughter Brittany and her advocacy work for family caregivers.●

RECOGNIZING PORT NEAL WELDING COMPANY

• Ms. ERNST. Mr. President, as chair of the Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, each week I recognize an outstanding Iowa small business that exemplifies the

American entrepreneurial spirit. This week, it is my privilege to honor Port Neal Welding Company of Woodbury County, IA, as the Senate Small Business of the Week.

In 1994, Dan Lee created a welding business out of his home, specializing in industrial fabrication of stairs, catwalks, and agricultural products. As Port Neal Welding undertook more regional projects, Lee moved the business into a new facility in 2011. The team also began to create custom artwork and sculptures using their steel products. With a team of 17 employees, including four of Dan's sons, the company takes pride in their high-quality craftsmanship and ability to fix any issue, whether something is bent, broken, or cracked.

Dan Lee and Port Neal Welding are active in various community initiatives. Lee currently serves on the Westwood Community School District Board, as well as his church board. The business is a member of the Siouland Chamber of Commerce and played a key part in constructing a replica of the Korean War Memorial at Siouland Freedom Park. In their charitable endeavors, they support the Woodbury County Sheriff's Office and local fire departments and schools. The business is also involved in charity auctions where they offer fabricated items. Their role as a central figure in the community was reflected in 2023, when multiple candidates for the Republican Presidential nomination visited the business. Their work on various fronts highlights the role of small businesses in American towns, both economically and socially.

It is my honor to recognize Dan Lee and the whole team at Port Neal Welding Company for their outstanding contributions and presence in their community. I look forward to their continued success and wish them the very best in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO ABBEY ALLEN

• Mr. ROUNDS. Mr. President, today I recognize Abbey Allen, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all the hard work she has done on behalf of my office and the State of South Dakota. Ms. Allen is a graduate of Madison High School in Madison, SD. She is currently attending Augustana University, where she studies government/international affairs and international studies. Ms. Allen is a dedicated and diligent individual who has been devoted to getting the most out of her internship experience. She has been a true asset to my office. I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Ms. Allen for all of the work she has done and wish her continued success in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO BELLA BAKER

• Mr. SCHMITT. Mr. President, I rise today to honor Bella Baker of Atlanta, MO. Her commitment to academic and

personal excellence is nothing short of remarkable, as she has balanced roles as State president of Missouri FCCLA, served as a State officer with Missouri 4-H and as an area officer of Missouri FFA, while maintaining a remarkable 3.7 GPA.

Over the last 9 months, she has served as a member of the inaugural class of my youth council, a program developed to connect promising Missouri high schoolers with unique opportunities to gain hands-on experience with government, work on engaging civics projects, and meet with various local and State leaders across Missouri. Recently, each member of the council was asked to prepare an essay exploring the foundations of American law and government and detail a current issue on the national stage. While each councilor's work showed an understanding of our Constitution, Ms. Baker's essay demonstrated a clear passion and keen insight into American law as she analyzed disability programs under the lens of the Equal Protection Clause. I have no doubt that she has a bright future ahead of her and shows great promise of being among the next generation of the Show-Me State's leaders.

Ms. Bella Baker has been an outstanding member of my office's youth council, and I am proud to call her a fellow Missourian. I wish her all the best in her future endeavors.●

TRIBUTE TO SPIRO GEORGES

• Mr. SCHMITT. Mr. President, I rise today to recognize Spiro Georges of Chesterfield, MO. While only a junior in high school, Mr. Georges has already proven to be an exceptional community servant and student-leader, having volunteered with various youth camps, mentoring younger students and helping them learn to make responsible choices, and serving with his school's student government.

For the last 9 months, Spiro has served with 11 other Missouri high schoolers as part of the inaugural class of my office's youth council, a program launched to connect promising Missouri high schoolers with unique opportunities to gain hands-on experience with government, work on engaging civics projects, and foster a deeper interest in the Show-Me State's history. Each member of the council was asked to create an essay exploring our Constitution and representative government in the context of a modern-day issue. While each essay showed insight, Mr. Georges' work demonstrated that he had a clear passion for the project and had done careful research, outlining how social media algorithms have influenced democracy and voter education. With his clear passion for civics and service, it is already clear that he has a bright future ahead of him and has the potential to shine as one of the next generation of Missouri leaders.

I am proud to call Mr. Spiro Georges a fellow Missourian and represent him