

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code section 601:

To be admiral

Vice Adm. Archie R. Clemens, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601:

To be vice admiral

Rear Adm. (selectee) Robert J. Natter, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601:

To be vice admiral

Rear Adm. James B. Perkins III, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601:

To be vice admiral

Rear Adm. Herbert A. Browne II, 000-00-0000

The following-named officers for promotion in the U.S. Navy Reserve to the grade indicated under title 10 United States Code, section 5912:

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. John Nicholas Costas, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

Capt. Joseph Coleman Hare, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

Capt. Daniel Lawrence Kloeppel, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

Capt. Henry Francis White, Jr., 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. John Francis Brunelli, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601, and title 42 United States Code section 7158:

To be admiral

Vice Adm. Frank L. Bowman, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for reappointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code section 601:

To be vice admiral

Vice Adm. Arthur K. Cebrowski, 000-00-0000

The following-named officers for promotion in the U.S. Naval Reserve to the grade indicated under title 10, United States Code, section 5912:

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. Vernon Paul Harrison, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. Clifford Joseph Sturek, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. Steven Robert Morgan, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

To be rear admiral (lower half)

Capt. Robert Charles Marlay, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

To be admiral

Vice Adm. J. Paul Reason, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the United States Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601:

To be vice admiral

Rear Adm. (selectee) Patricia A. Tracey, 000-00-0000

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10 United States Code, section 601:

To be vice admiral

Rear Adm. (selectee) James O. Ellis, Jr., 000-00-0000

By Mr. ROTH, from the Committee on Finance:

Raymond W. Kelly, of New York, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement.

Marcia E. Miller, of Indiana, to be a member of the U.S. International Trade Commission for the term expiring December 16, 2003.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed, subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. MCCAIN (for himself, Mrs. KASSEBAUM, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mr. STEVENS, and Mr. SIMON):

S. 1869. A bill to make certain technical corrections in the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. MOYNIHAN:

S. 1870. A bill to establish a medical education trust fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CHAFEE:

S. 1871. A bill to expand the Pettaquamscutt Cove National Wildlife Refuge, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. SIMON:

S. 1872. A bill to amend section 922(x)(5) of title 18, United States Code, relating to the prohibition of possession of a handgun by a minor, to change the definition of minor from under 18 years of age to under 21 years of age; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. INHOFE (for himself, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. FAIRCLOTH, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. REID, and Mr. LUGAR):

S. 1873. A bill to amend the National Environmental Education Act to extend the programs under the act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. JOHNSTON:

S. 1874. A bill to amend sections of the Department of Energy Organization Act that are obsolete or inconsistent with other statutes and to repeal a related section of the Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. HATFIELD (for himself and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 1875. A bill to designate the United States Courthouse in Medford, Oregon, as the "James A. Redden Federal Courthouse"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mr. BAUCUS):

S. 1876. A bill to amend chapter 89 of title 5, United States Code, to end health insurance portability for Members of Congress and eliminate continued coverage for departing Members of Congress until health insurance portability for other United States citizens is enacted into law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI (for himself and Mr. STEVENS):

S. 1877. A bill to ensure the proper stewardship of publicly owned assets in the Tongass National Forest in the State of Alaska, a fair return to the United States for public timber in the Tongass, and a proper balance among multiple use interests in the Tongass to enhance forest health, sustainable harvest, and the general economic health and growth in southeast Alaska and the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. AKAKA:

S. 1878. A bill to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 to prohibit the licensing of a permanent or interim nuclear waste storage facility outside the 50 States or the District of Columbia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mrs. BOXER (for herself and Mr. GREGG):

S. Res. 262. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that sanctions should be imposed on the People's Republic of China until the United States Trade Representative certifies that the People's Republic of China is complying with its agreement with the United States regarding the protection of intellectual property rights; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN (for herself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. PELL, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mr. INHOFE):

S. Res. 263. A resolution relating to church burning; ordered held at the desk.

By Mr. MACK (for himself, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. CRAIG, and Mr. JEFFORDS):

S. Res. 264. A resolution to designate May 14, 1997, and May 14, 1998, as "National Speak No Evil Day", and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. INOUE (for himself and Mr. AKAKA):

S. Con. Res. 64. A concurrent resolution to recognize and honor the Filipino World War II veterans for their defense of democratic ideals and their important contribution to the outcome of World War II; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PRESSLER (for himself and Mr. LEAHY):

S. Con. Res. 65. A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that Members should understand and use the Internet to improve the democratic process and to communicate with the Internet community;