

of the Russell Senate Office Building at 10:30 a.m.

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on February 16, 2006 at 2:30 p.m. to hold a closed business meeting.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the subcommittee on National Parks of the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, February 16 at 1:30 p.m.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony on the following bills: S.J. Res. 28, a joint resolution approving the location of the commemorative work in the District of Columbia honoring former President Dwight D. Eisenhower; S. 1870, a bill to clarify the authorities for the use of certain National Park Service properties within Golden Gate National Recreation Area and San Francisco Maritime National Historical Park, and for other purposes; S. 1913, a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to lease a portion of the Dorothy Buell Memorial Visitor Center for use as a visitor center for the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore, and for other purposes; S. 1970, a bill to amend the National Trails System Act to update the feasibility and suitability study originally prepared for the Trail of Tears National Historic Trail and provide for the inclusion of new trail segments, land components, and campgrounds associated with that trail, and for other purposes; H.R. 562, a bill to authorize the Government of Ukraine to establish a memorial on Federal land in the District of Columbia to honor the victims of the manmade famine that occurred in Ukraine in 1932-1933; and H.R. 318, a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating Castle Nugent Farms located on St. Croix, Virgin Islands, as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes.

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

NATIONAL OCEAN POLICY STUDY

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the National Ocean Policy Study be authorized to meet on Thursday, February 16, 2006, at 2:30 p.m., on the NOAA Budget.

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

EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate im-

mediately proceed to executive session to consider the following nominations on today's Executive Calendar: Calendar Nos. 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, and all nominations on the Secretary's desk.

I further ask unanimous consent that the nominations be confirmed en bloc, the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate then return to legislative session.

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

The nominations considered and confirmed en bloc are as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Bernadette Mary Allen, of Maryland, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Niger.

Janice L. Jacobs, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Senegal, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau.

Steven Alan Browning, of Texas, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Uganda.

Patricia Newton Moller, of Arkansas, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Burundi.

Jeanine E. Jackson, of Wyoming, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Burkina Faso.

Kristie A. Kenney, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of the Philippines.

Robert Weisberg, of Maryland, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Congo.

Janet Ann Sanderson, of Arizona, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Haiti.

James D. McGee, of Florida, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Union of Comoros.

Gary A Grappo, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Sultanate of Oman.

Patricia A. Butenis, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class

of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the People's Republic of Bangladesh.

Donald T. Bliss, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America on the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization.

Claudia A. McMurray, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs.

Bradford R. Higgins, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Resource Management).

Bradford R. Higgins, of Connecticut, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of State.

Jackie Wolcott Sanders, of Virginia, to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

Jackie Wolcott Sanders, of Virginia, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations during her tenure of service as Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations.

Michael W. Michalak, of Michigan, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Senior Official to the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation Forum.

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

Ben S. Bernanke, of New Jersey, to be United States Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund for a term of five years.

MORRIS K. UDALL SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY FOUNDATION

Terrence L. Bracy, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2010.

IN THE AIR FORCE

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

*To be lieutenant general*

Maj. Gen. Ronald F. Sams, 5888

The following named officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

*To be major general*

Brigadier General David L. Frostman, 2235  
Brigadier General James W. Graves, 4813  
Brigadier General Linda S. Hemminger, 5711  
Brigadier General John M. Howlett, 8450  
Brigadier General Harold L. Mitchell, 1941  
Brigadier General Hanferd J. Moen, Jr., 4733  
Brigadier General William M. Rajczak, 8761  
Brigadier General David N. Senty, 6128  
Brigadier General Erika C. Steuterman, 3209

*To be brigadier general*

Colonel John M. Allen, 7694  
Colonel Robert E. Bailey, Jr., 4059  
Colonel Eric W. Crabtree, 0505  
Colonel Dean J. Despinoy, 2656  
Colonel Wallace W. Farris, Jr., 0582  
Colonel John C. Fobian, 0618  
Colonel Thomas W. Hartmann, 2331  
Colonel James R. Hogue, 4929  
Colonel Mark A. Kyle, 0227  
Colonel Carol A. Lee, 8418

Colonel Jon R. Shasteen, 5384  
Colonel Robert O. Tarter, 9864  
Colonel Howard N. Thompson, 2169  
Colonel Christine M. Turner, 3200  
Colonel Paul M. Van Sickle, 8889

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be major general*

Brig. Gen. Glenn F. Spears, 2012

The following Air National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

*To be major general*

Brig. Gen. Dennis G. Lucas, 9054

The following named officer for appointment in the Regular Air Force of the United States to the position and grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 8037:

*To be judge advocate general of the United States Air Force*

Maj. Gen. Jack L. Rives, 0540

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. Steven J. Lepper, 1477

IN THE ARMY

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be brigadier general*

Col. Malinda E. Dunn, 7123

Col. Clyde J. Tate III, 1356

The following Army National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

*To be major general*

Brig. Gen. Richard G. Maxon, 0268

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be major general*

Brigadier General Michael D. Barbero, 1169  
Brigadier General Salvatore F. Cambria, 8655  
Brigadier General John M. Custer III, 4336  
Brigadier General Richard P. Formica, 7015  
Brigadier General David P. Fridovich, 6568  
Brigadier General Kathleen M. Gainey, 4227  
Brigadier General William T. Grisoli, 3836  
Brigadier General Carter F. Ham, 0921  
Brigadier General Jeffery W. Hammond, 0841  
Brigadier General Frank G. Helmick, 8189  
Brigadier General Paul S. Izzo, 1942  
Brigadier General Francis H. Kearney, III, 5356  
Brigadier General Stephen R. Layfield, 7666  
Brigadier General Robert P. Lennox, 8104  
Brigadier General William H. McCoy, Jr., 5356

Brigadier General Timothy P. McHale, 0796  
Brigadier General John W. Morgan, III, 7279  
Brigadier General Michael L. Oates, 3680  
Brigadier General Robert M. Radin, 0402  
Brigadier General Curtis M. Scaparrotti, 8351

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the rank indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

*To be lieutenant general*

Lt. Gen. Thomas F. Metz, 5686

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

*To be lieutenant general*

Maj. Gen. David P. Valcourt, 6455

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

*To be lieutenant general*

Lt. Gen. Raymond T. Odierno, 8425

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

*To be lieutenant general*

Maj. Gen. Stanley A. McChrystal, 3565

IN THE MARINE CORPS

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Marine Corps to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

*To be brigadier general*

Colonel Ronald L. Bailey, 2330  
Colonel Michael M. Brogan, 2241  
Colonel Jon M. Davis, 8884  
Colonel Timothy C. Hanifen, 3096  
Colonel James A. Kessler, 4042  
Colonel James B. Laster, 4280  
Colonel Angela Salinas, 8578  
Colonel Peter J. Talleri, 9793  
Colonel John A. Toolan, Jr, 4023  
Colonel Robert S. Walsh, 8100

IN THE NAVY

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

*To be vice admiral*

Rear Adm. Robert T. Conway, Jr., 2950

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK

IN THE AIR FORCE

PN995 AIR FORCE nominations (74) beginning JAMES C. AULT, and ending MARYANNE C. YIP, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 17, 2005.

PN1201 AIR FORCE nomination of Barbara A. Hilgenberg, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1202 AIR FORCE nomination of Evelyn S. Gemperle, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1203 AIR FORCE nominations (4) beginning JOHN W. AYRES JR., and ending ALAN E. JOHNSON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1204 AIR FORCE nominations (6) beginning DAVID HARRISON BURDETTE, and ending DOMINIC O. UBAMADU, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1205 AIR FORCE nominations (6) beginning KAREN MARIE BACHMANN, and ending MARY V. LUSSIER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1206 AIR FORCE nominations (6) beginning RAYMOND L. HAGAN JR., and ending WILLIAM H. WILLIS SR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1207 AIR FORCE nominations (5) beginning RUSSELL G. BOESTER, and ending RICHARD T. SHELTON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1209 AIR FORCE nominations (12) beginning DIANA ATWELL, and ending ANNE C.

SPROUL, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1210 AIR FORCE nominations (16) beginning GERALD Q. BROWN, and ending LISA L. TURNER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1211 AIR FORCE nominations (34) beginning MARK J. BATCHO, and ending DAVID J. ZEMKOSKY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1212 AIR FORCE nominations (405) beginning TAREK C. ABOUSHI, and ending JOHN J. ZIEGLER III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1213 AIR FORCE nomination of Jeffrey J. Love, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1214 AIR FORCE nomination of Fritzjose E. Chandler, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1215 AIR FORCE nomination of Jose F. Eduardo, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1216 AIR FORCE nominations (64) beginning DARWIN L. ALBERTO, and ending AMY S. WOOSLEY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1231 AIR FORCE nomination of Julie K. Stanley, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1232 AIR FORCE nominations (10) beginning JOHN JULIAN ALDRIDGE III, and ending SUSAN L. SIEGMUND, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1233 AIR FORCE nominations (16) beginning ISIDRO ACOSTA CARDENO, and ending LARRY A. WOODS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1234 AIR FORCE nominations (19) beginning EVELYN L. BYARS, and ending SHERALYN A. WRIGHT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1235 AIR FORCE nominations (24) beginning RONALD A. ABBOTT, and ending JOSE VILLALOBOS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1236 AIR FORCE nominations (43) beginning DALE R. AGNER, and ending DAVID A. WILLIAMS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1237 AIR FORCE nominations (213) beginning MARK ROBERT ACKERMANN, and ending SHEILA ZUEHLKE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1238 AIR FORCE nominations (34) beginning JAVIER A. ABREU, and ending KYLE S. WENDFELDT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1239 AIR FORCE nominations (139) beginning ERIC J. ASHMAN, and ending KENNETH C. Y. YU, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1254 AIR FORCE nominations (28) beginning BRUCE S. ABE, and ending ANN E. ZIONIC, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1255 AIR FORCE nominations (280) beginning STEVEN J. ACEVEDO, and ending

STEVEN R. ZIEBER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

THE ARMY

PN1106 ARMY nominations (33) beginning ROBERTO C. ANDUJAR, and ending KENNETH A. YOUNG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 13, 2005.

PN1107 ARMY nominations (69) beginning CRAIG J. AGENA, and ending JOHN S. WRIGHT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 13, 2005.

PN1108 ARMY nominations (56) beginning DANIEL G. AARON, and ending MARILYN D. WILLS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 13, 2005.

PN1109 ARMY nominations (419) beginning WILLIAM G. ADAMSON, and ending x2451, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 13, 2005.

PN1148 ARMY nomination of Michael J. Osburn, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 20, 2005.

PN1149 ARMY nominations (2) beginning MARGARETT E. BARNES, and ending DAVID E. UPCHURCH, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 20, 2005.

PN1217 ARMY nominations (13) beginning JOHN W. ALEXANDER JR., and ending DONALD L. WILSON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1218 ARMY nominations (35) beginning SUSAN K. ARNOLD, and ending EVERETT F. YATES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1219 ARMY nominations (26) beginning JAMES A. \* AMYX JR., and ending SCOTT \* WILLENS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1220 ARMY nominations (62) beginning JOHN E. \* ADRIAN, and ending DAVID A. \* YOUNG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1221 ARMY nominations (151) beginning TIMOTHY S. \* ADAMS, and ending PJ \* ZAMORA, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1222 ARMY nominations (160) beginning JUDE M. \* ABADIE, and ending JOHN D. \* YEAW, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1240 ARMY nominations (3) beginning LISA R. LEONARD, and ending BRET A. SLATER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1256 ARMY nominations (20) beginning MITCHELL S. ACKERSON, and ending GLENN R. WOODSON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1293 ARMY nomination of Andrew H. N. Kim, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 6, 2006.

PN1294 ARMY nominations (10) beginning RENDELL G. CHILTON, and ending DAVID J. OSINSKI, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 6, 2006.

IN THE FOREIGN SERVICE

PN1112 FOREIGN SERVICE nominations (149) beginning Anne Elizabeth Linnee, and ending Kathleen Anne Yu, which nominations

were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 13, 2005.

PN1118 FOREIGN SERVICE nominations (300) beginning Lisa M. Anderson, and ending Gregory C. Yemm, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 14, 2005.

IN THE MARINE CORPS

PN1224 MARINE CORPS nomination of Brian R. Lewis, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1225 MARINE CORPS nomination of William A. Kelly Jr., which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 27, 2006.

PN1245 MARINE CORPS nomination of Phillip R. Wahle, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1246 MARINE CORPS nomination of James A. Croffie, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1247-1 MARINE CORPS nominations (337) beginning JAMES H. ADAMS III, and ending RICHARD D. ZYLA, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1248 MARINE CORPS nominations (6) beginning DAVID T. CLARK, and ending NIEVES G. VILLASENOR, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 31, 2006.

PN1258 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning RALPH P. HARRIS III, and ending CHARLES L. THRIFT, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1260 MARINE CORPS nominations (3) beginning STEPHEN J. DUBOIS, and ending JOHN D. PAULIN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1261 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning JAY A. ROGERS, and ending STANLEY M. WEEKS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1262 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning SEAN P. HOSTER, and ending TIMOTHY D. WHEELER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1263 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning NEIL G. ANDERSON, and ending EDWARD M. MOEN JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1264 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning CARL BAILEY JR., and ending JAMES A. JONES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1265 MARINE CORPS nominations (2) beginning GREGORY M. GOODRICH, and ending MARK W. WASCOM, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1267 MARINE CORPS nominations (3) beginning JACK G. ABATE, and ending JAMES KOLB, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1269 MARINE CORPS nominations (4) beginning PETER G. BAILIFF, and ending TIMOTHY D. SECHREST, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1270 MARINE CORPS nominations (5) beginning ISRAEL GARCIA, and ending JAMES I. SAYLOR, which nominations were

received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1271 MARINE CORPS nominations (5) beginning BEN A. CACIOPPO JR., and ending WALTER D. ROMINE JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1272 MARINE CORPS nominations (5) beginning PETER M. BARACK JR., and ending JOHN D. SOMICH, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

PN1273-1 MARINE CORPS nominations (593) beginning BENJAMIN J. ABBOTT, and ending RUTH A. ZOLOCK, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 1, 2006.

IN THE NAVY

PN1157 NAVY nominations (19) beginning CHRISTOPHER P. BOBB, and ending VINCENT J. WOOD, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of December 21, 2005.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will now return to legislative session.

SENATE LEGAL COUNSEL  
AUTHORIZATION

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the en bloc consideration of three Senate resolutions which were submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please report the resolutions by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 374) to authorize testimony, document production, and legal representation in *United States of America v. David Hossein Safavian*.

A resolution (S. Res. 375) to authorize testimony and legal representation in *State of New Hampshire v. William Thomas, Keta C. Jones, John Francis Bopp, Michael S. Franklin, David Van Strein, Guy Chichester, Jamilla El-Shafei, and Ann Isenberg*.

A resolution (S. Res. 376) to authorize representation by the Senate Legal Counsel in the case of *Keyter v. McCain, et al.*

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolutions en bloc.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolutions be agreed to, the preambles be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, en bloc.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 374) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. RES. 374

Whereas, in the case of *United States of America v. David Hossein Safavian, Crim. No. 05-370*, pending in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, testimony and documents have been requested from Bryan D. Parker, an employee on the staff of the Committee on Indian Affairs;

Whereas, pursuant to sections 703(a) and 704(a)(2) of the Ethics in Government Act of