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S. RES. 116

To provide for expedited Senate consideration of certain nominations subject to advice and consent.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. REID, Mr. McCONNELL, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. JOHANNES, Mr. REED, Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, Mr. CARPER, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. KYL) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. PROCEDURE FOR CONSIDERATION.**

3 (a) PRIVILEGED NOMINATIONS; INFORMATION RE-
4 QUESTED.—Upon receipt by the Senate of a nomination
5 described in section 2, the nomination shall—

6 (1) be placed on the Executive Calendar under
7 the heading “Privileged Nominations—Information
8 Requested”; and

1 (2) remain on the Executive Calendar under
 2 such heading until the Executive Clerk receives a
 3 written certification from the Chairman of the com-
 4 mittee of jurisdiction under subsection (b).

5 (b) QUESTIONNAIRES.—The Chairman of the com-
 6 mittee of jurisdiction shall notify the Executive Clerk in
 7 writing when the appropriate biographical and financial
 8 questionnaires have been received from an individual nom-
 9 inated for a position described in section 2.

10 (c) PRIVILEGED NOMINATIONS; INFORMATION RE-
 11 CEIVED.—Upon receipt of the certification under sub-
 12 section (b), the nomination shall—

13 (1) be placed on the Executive Calendar under
 14 the heading “Privileged Nomination—Information
 15 Received” and remain on the Executive Calendar
 16 under such heading for 10 session days; and

17 (2) after the expiration of the period referred to
 18 in paragraph (1), be placed on the “Nominations”
 19 section of the Executive Calendar.

20 (d) REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE OF JURISDICTION.—
 21 During the period when a nomination described in sub-
 22 section (a) is listed under the “Privileged Nomination—
 23 Information Requested” section of the Executive Calendar
 24 described in section (a)(1) or the “Privileged Nomina-

1 tion—Information Received” section of the Executive Cal-
 2endar described in section (c)(1)—

3 (1) any Senator may request on his or her own
 4 behalf, or on the behalf of any identified Senator
 5 that the nomination be referred to the appropriate
 6 committee of jurisdiction; and

7 (2) if a Senator makes a request described in
 8 paragraph (1), the nomination shall be referred to
 9 the appropriate committee of jurisdiction.

10 **SEC. 2. NOMINATIONS COVERED.**

11 The following nominations for the positions described
 12 (including total number of individuals to be appointed for
 13 the position) shall be considered under the provisions of
 14 this resolution:

15 (1) The Chairman and the Members of the Ad-
 16 visory Board for Cuba Broadcasting (9 Members in-
 17 cluding Chairman).

18 (2) The Chairman and the Members of the Cor-
 19 poration for National and Community Service (15
 20 Members including Chairman).

21 (3) The Chairman and the Members of the
 22 Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Boards (5
 23 Members including Chairman).

24 (4) The Members of the Internal Revenue Serv-
 25 ice Oversight Board (7 Members).

1 (5) The Members of the Board of the Millen-
2 nium Challenge Corporation (4 Members).

3 (6) The Members of the National Council on
4 the Arts (18 Members).

5 (7) The Members of the National Council for
6 the Humanities (26 Members).

7 (8) The Members of the Board of Directors of
8 the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (8
9 Members).

10 (9) The Members of the Peace Corps National
11 Advisory Council (15 Members).

12 (10) The Chairman, Vice Chairman, and the
13 Members of the Board of Directors for the United
14 States Institute of Peace (12 Members including
15 Chairman and Vice Chairman).

16 (11) The Members of the Board of Directors of
17 the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation (5
18 Members).

19 (12) The Members of the Board of Directors of
20 the National Consumer Cooperative Bank (3 Mem-
21 bers).

22 (13) The Members of the Board of Directors of
23 the National Institute of Building Sciences (15 to 21
24 Members).

1 (14) The Members of the Board of Directors of
2 the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (5
3 Members).

4 (15) The Members of the Board of Directors of
5 the Metropolitan Washington Airport Authority (3
6 Members).

7 (16) The Members of the Saint Lawrence Sea-
8 way Development Corporation Advisory Board (5
9 Members).

10 (17) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
11 the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in
12 National Environmental Policy Foundation (9 Mem-
13 bers).

14 (18) The Members the Board of Trustees of the
15 Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund (2 Mem-
16 bers).

17 (19) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
18 the Federal Old Age and Survivors Trust Fund and
19 Disability Insurance Trust Fund (2 Members).

20 (20) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
21 the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust
22 Fund (2 Members).

23 (21) The Members of the Social Security Advi-
24 sory Board (3 Members).

1 (22) The Members of the Board of Directors of
2 the African Development Foundation (7 Members).

3 (23) The Members of the Board of Directors of
4 the Inter American Foundation (9 Members).

5 (24) The Commissioners of the United States
6 Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy (7 Mem-
7 bers).

8 (25) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
9 the Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in
10 Education Foundation (8 Members).

11 (26) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
12 the Harry Truman Scholarship Foundation (8 Mem-
13 bers).

14 (27) The Members of the Board of Trustees of
15 the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Founda-
16 tion (6 Members).

17 (28) The Members of the Board of Directors of
18 the Legal Services Corporation (11 Members).

19 (29) The Members of the Foreign Claims Set-
20 tlement Commission (2 Members).

21 (30) The Members of the Board of Directors of
22 the State Justice Institute (11 Members).

1 **SEC. 3. EXECUTIVE CALENDAR.**

2 The Secretary of the Senate shall create the appro-
3 priate sections on the Executive Calendar to reflect and
4 effectuate the requirements of this resolution.

5 **SEC. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

6 This resolution shall take effect 60 days after the
7 date of adoption of this resolution.

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