SUBCOMMITTEE ON AIRLAND

Mr. BLUNT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Airland of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on March 19, 2015, at 2:30 p.m.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AFRICA AND GLOBAL HEALTH POLICY

Mr. BLUNT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health Policy be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on March 19, 2015, at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing entitled ''The U.S.-Africa Leader's Summit Seven Months Later: Progress and Setbacks.''

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT, AGENCY ACTION, FEDERAL RIGHTS, AND FEDERAL COURTS

Mr. BLUNT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Oversight, Agency Action, Federal Rights, and Federal Courts, be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate, on March 19, 2015, at 3:30 p.m., in room SD–226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building, to conduct a hearing entitled ''Reining in Amnesty: Texas v. United States and Its Implications.''

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON REGULATORY AFFAIRS AND FEDERAL MANAGEMENT

Mr. BLUNT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs and Federal Management of the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on March 19, 2015, at 10 a.m., to conduct a hearing entitled ''Examining Federal Rulemaking Challenges and Areas of Improvement Within the Existing Regulatory Process.''

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

NATIONAL REHABILITATION COUNSELORS APPRECIATION DAY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 106, which was submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 106) designating March 22, 2015, as ''National Rehabilitation Counselors Appreciation Day.''

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 106) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under ''Submitted Resolutions.'')

REPORTING AUTHORITY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding the adjournment of the Senate, on Friday, March 20, between 12 noon and 2 p.m., it be in order for the Budget Committee to report out a concurrent resolution and that it be in order for the Senate to proceed to that resolution on Monday, March 23.

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

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, MARCH 23, 2015

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 12 noon, Monday, March 23; that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; that following leader remarks, the Senate be in a period of morning business, with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, on Monday at 12 noon, the Senate will proceed to consider the budget resolution. Senators should expect at least one vote on an amendment to the budget at 5:30 p.m. on Monday night.

For the information of all Senators, the budget resolution is privileged and therefore will not displace the pending trafficking legislation. Once the budget resolution has been adopted, the trafficking bill will be the pending business before the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, MARCH 23, 2015

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 5:50 p.m., adjourned until Monday, March 23, 2015, at 12 noon.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

FRANCINE BERMAN, OF NEW YORK, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON THE HUMANITIES FOR A TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 26, 2020, VICE GARY D. GLENN, TERM EXPIRED.

CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

RICHARD CHRISTMAN, OF KENTUCKY, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE FOR A TERM EXPIRING OCTOBER 6, 2017. (REAPPOINTMENT)

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

SHELLY COLLEEN LOWE, OF ARIZONA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON THE HUMANITIES FOR A TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 26, 2018, VICE JANE M. DOGGETT, TERM EXPIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

JUAN M. GARCIA III, OF TEXAS, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, VICE JESSICA LYNN WRIGHT, RESIGNED.

STEPHEN P. WELBY, OF MARYLAND, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, VICE ZACHARY J. LEMNIOS, RESIGNED.

MARINE MAMMAL COMMISSION

ANDREW J. READ, OF NORTH CAROLINA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MARINE MAMMAL COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING MAY 13, 2016, VICE DARYL J. BONESS, TERM EXPIRED.

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

DOUGLAS J. KRAMER, OF KANSAS, TO BE DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR OF THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, VICE MARIE COLLINS JOHNS, RESIGNED.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

LAVERNE HORTON COUNCIL, OF NEW JERSEY, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY), VICE ROGER W. BAKER.

DAVID J. SHULKIN, OF PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY FOR HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, VICE ROBERT A. PETZEL, RESIGNED.

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. JOHN N. T. SHANAHAN

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. JACK WEINSTEIN

IN THE ARMY

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. JOSEPH P. DISALVO

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

BRIG. GEN. JOHN W. BAKER
BRIG. GEN. CHRISTOPHER S. BALLARD
BRIG. GEN. JOHN W. CHARLTON
BRIG. GEN. ROGER L. CLOUTIER, JR.
BRIG. GEN. EDWARD M. DALY
BRIG. GEN. JASON T. EVANS
BRIG. GEN. JOHN G. FERRARI
BRIG. GEN. ANTHONY C. FUNKHOUSER
BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM K. GAYLER
BRIG. GEN. DAVID B. HAIGHT
BRIG. GEN. JOSEPH P. HARRINGTON
BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM B. HICKMAN
BRIG. GEN. CHRISTIOHER P. HUGHES
BRIG. GEN. CLAYTON M. HUTMACHER
BRIG. GEN. DONALD E. JACKSON, JR.
BRIG. GEN. DANIEL L. KARBLER
BRIG. GEN. JAMES E. KRAFT, JR.
BRIG. GEN. MICHAEL E. KURILLA
BRIG. GEN. JOSEPH M. MARTIN
BRIG. GEN. PAUL M. NAKASONE
BRIG. GEN. MARK J. O'NEIL
BRIG. GEN. ANDREW P. POPPAS
BRIG. GEN. JAMES E. RAINEY
BRIG. GEN. KENT D. SAVRE
BRIG. GEN. STEVEN A. SHAPIRO
BRIG. GEN. JAMES E. SIMPSON
BRIG. GEN. MARK R. STAMMER
BRIG. GEN. SEAN P. SWINDELL
BRIG. GEN. LEON N. THURGOOD
BRIG. GEN. KIRK F. VOLLMECKE
BRIG. GEN. FLEM B. WALKER, JR.