- (4) Active and retired volunteer, paid-oncall, and career firefighters as well as relevant national fire and emergency response organizations.
- (f) RESEARCH AVAILABILITY.—Subject to subsection (g), the Secretary shall ensure that information and analysis in the Firefighter Registry are available, as appropriate, to the public, including researchers, firefighters, and national fire service organizations
- (g) PRIVACY.—In carrying out this Act, the Secretary shall ensure that information in and analysis of the Firefighter Registry are made available in a manner that, at a minimum, protects personal privacy to the extent required by applicable Federal and State privacy law.
- (h) AUTHORIZATION OF FUNDS.—To carry out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated \$2,500,000 for each of the fiscal years 2018 through 2022.

The amendment was ordered to be engrossed and the bill to be read a third time.

The bill was read the third time.

The bill (H.R. 931), as amended, was passed.

#### ORDERS FOR MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018

Mr. PORTMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 3 p.m., Monday, May 14; further, that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and morning business be closed. I further ask that following leader remarks, the Senate proceed to executive session and resume consideration of the Scudder nomination under the previous order; finally, that following disposition of the St. Eve nomination, the Senate resume consideration of the Carson nomination.

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

# ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018, AT 3 P.M.

Mr. PORTMAN. 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 4:51 p.m., adjourned until Monday, May 14, 2018, at 3 p.m.

## NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

# DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

MINDY BRASHEARS, OF TEXAS, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE FOR FOOD SAFETY, VICE ELISABETH ANN HAGEN, RESIGNED.

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

BANDY W. BERRY, OF COLORADO, A CAREER MEMBER THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF MINISTER-

COUNSELOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF NEPAL

KYLE MCCARTER, OF ILLINOIS. PLENIPOTENTIARY EXTRAORDINARY AND UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF

ANT SECRETARY OF STATE (AFRICAN AFFAIRS), VICE LINDA THOMAS-GREENFIELD, RESIGNED.
GORDON D. SONDLAND, OF WASHINGTON, TO BE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE EUROPEAN UNION, WITH THE RANK AND STATUS OF AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY.

#### IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDI-CATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION

#### To be lieutenant general

LT. GEN. RICHARD M. CLARK

THE FOLLOWING NAMED AIR NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RE SERVE OF THE AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 12203 AND 12212:

#### To be major general

BRIG. GEN. DAVID B. BURGY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDI-CATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

#### To be brigadier general

COL. MICHELE C. EDMONDSON

#### 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

LT. GEN. DARRYL A. WILLIAMS

#### IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

To be rear admiral (lower half)

CAPT. JEFFREY S. SCHEIDT

#### IN THE MARINE CORPS

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT AS STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATE TO THE COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS AND FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS TO THE GRADE INDI-CATED UNDER TITLE 10 U.S.C., SECTION 5046:

To be major general

COL. DANIEL J. LECCE

## FOREIGN SERVICE

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE TO BE A FOR-SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE TO BE A FOR-EIGN SERVICE OFFICER, A CONSULAR OFFICER, AND A SECRETARY IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

GEORGE EUGENE ADAIR, OF VIRGINIA KATRINA M. BARNAS, OF NEW YORK ASHLEY M. BARTLETT, OF FLORIDA JILL Y. BARWIG, OF COLORADO GAITLIN A. BAUER, OF OKLAHOMA
ROBERT A. BLANCO, OF CALIFORNIA
MARIA K. BLEES, OF WASHINGTON
LEAH A. BOYER, OF LOUISIANA
TIFFANY J. BURCHETT, OF TEXAS
GABRIELA S. CANAVATI, OF TEXAS
KARN L. CARLSON, OF TEXAS
EANDY E. COLE. IB. OF SOUTH DAKO RANDY E. COLE, JR., OF SOUTH DAKOTA MICHAEL S. CULLINAN, OF SOUTH CAROLINA RENEE M. CUMMINGS, OF WASHINGTON EVAN LAMAR DAVIS, OF OHIO MARTHA JOHNSON DEMOS. OF FLORIDA KAREEM J. DRIGHT, OF CALIFORNIA LEON P. D'SOUZA, OF VIRGINIA ARTHUR R. DYMOND, OF MISSOURI KIMBERLY M. EVERETT, OF ALABAMA MATHEW M. FALKOFF, OF CALIFORNIA LOGHMAN FATTAHI, OF VIRGINIA KRISTA K. FISHER, OF TEXAS KYLE A. FISHMAN, OF FLORIDA BRADLEY M. GARDNER, OF CALIFORNIA JESSE P. GOLLAND, OF COLORADO DESIGN F. GUIDAND, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEKISHA R. GUNN, OF ALABAMA ERIC T. HAN, OF CALIFORNIA STEPHEN C. HARRIS, JR., OF MISSOURI JOSHUA D. HATCH, OF TEXAS TAMEISHA C. HENRY, OF MARYLAND

MEGHAN L. HIGGINS, OF VIRGINIA JOELY E. HILDEBRAND, OF NEBRASKA DANIEL J. HOFFMAN, JR., OF TEXAS NAHDER B. HOUSHMAND, OF ILLINOIS KAYLA HOWE, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TETYANA IVANISHENA, OF PENNSYLVANIA MICHELLE E. JANZEN, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA KATHERINE L. JERNIGAN, OF TEXAS JENNIFER E. JOHNSON, OF COLORADO LESHAWNA R. JOHNSON, OF NEW YORK NATHAN B. JOHNSON, OF CALIFORNIA DANIEL P. JOYCE, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AUDREY H. KERANEN, OF IOWA FAROUK KHAN, OF NEW YORK
CAITLYN H. KIM, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
AMY E. KORNBLUTH, OF FLORIDA SUN J LEE OF CALIFORNIA SUN J. LEE, OF CALIFORNIA
JESSE L. LYNCH, OF FLORIDA
SALLY A. MEYERS, OF MISSOURI
NATALYA VADIMOVNA MORIN, OF FLORIDA JAMES T. MOSHER, OF OHIO SARAH E. MOYER, OF NEVADA EMILY YOHEVED NARKIS, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUM-BIA LISA L. NESSELROAD, OF NORTH CAROLINA

DOMINIC T. NGUYEN, OF CALIFORNIA MIKE ANH NGUYEN, OF CALIFORNIA AMY M PADILLA OF TENNESSEE AMY M. PADILLA, OF TENNESSEE BRANDON J. PEART, OF UTAH ABDEL PERERA, OF FLORIDA KIRA M. PETERSON, OF MICHIGAN JASON E. RASKIN, OF NEW YORK VALERIE M. REED, OF VIRGINIA MALIKAT O. RUFAI, OF ILLINOIS PATRICK V. RUMLEY, OF FLORIDA BRYAN K. SCHELL, OF CALIFORNIA
GLORYA CHO SING KEY, OF WASHINGTON
KRISTIN A. S. SMITH, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CAMERON D. THOMAS-SHAH, OF NEVADA CAMERON D. HOMAS-SHAR, OF NEVADA HARRY R. THOMPSON III, OF ILLINOIS ABIGAIL H. TRENHAILE, OF HAWAII PHILLIP J. WALSKY, OF FLORIDA KRISTEN ELIZABETH WEAVER, OF CALIFORNIA BENJAMIN J. WILLIAMS, OF CALIFORNIA PAUL H. WULFSBERG, OF MASSACHUSETTS IVAN VILELA, OF FLORIDA

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED CAREER MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE FOR PROMOTION INTO THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, AS A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF COUNSELOR:

JEFFREY PAUL LODINSKY, OF NEW YORK

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED CAREER MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE FOR PROMOTION WITHIN THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, AS A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF MINISTER-COUNSELOR: ELIZABETH ANNE NOSEWORTHY FITZSIMMONS, OF VIR-GINIA

BRIAN J. MCKENNA, OF MARYLAND

# CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate May 10, 2018:

MICHAEL B. BRENNAN, OF WISCONSIN, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT.

## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

PATRICK HOVAKIMIAN, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE A MEM-BER OF THE FOREIGN CLAIMS SETTLEMENT COMMISSION OF THE UNITED STATES FOR A TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020.

GREGORY ALLYN FOREST, OF NORTH CAROLINA, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS. BRADLEY A. MAXWELL, OF ILLINOIS, TO BE UNITED

STATES MARSHAL FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IL-LINOIS FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS.

# WITHDRAWALS

Executive message transmitted by the President to the Senate on May 10, 2018 withdrawing from further Senate consideration the following nominations:

RYAN DOUGLAS NELSON, OF IDAHO, TO BE SOLICITOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, VICE HILARY

OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, VICE HILARY CHANDLER TOMPKINS, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JANUARY 8, 2018.

ADAM LERRICK, OF WYOMING, TO BE A DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, VICE RAMIN TOLOUI, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JANUARY 8, 2018.