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COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

The Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, at 10 a.m., to conduct an organizational hearing.

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

The Committee on Indian Affairs is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, at 2:30 p.m., to conduct a business meeting and hearing entitled “Organizational business meeting to consider committee rules, subcommittee assignments, and an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the committee.”

COMMITTEE ON VETERANS’ AFFAIRS

The Committee on Veterans’ Affairs is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, to conduct a hearing entitled “Organizational business meeting to consider committee rules, subcommittee assignments, and committee budget resolutions.”

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING

The Special Committee on Aging is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing entitled “Financial Security in Retirement: Innovation and Best Practices to Promote Savings.”

SUBCOMMITTEE ON READINESS AND
MANAGEMENT SUPPORT

The Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support of the Committee on Armed Services is authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, at 2:30 p.m., to conduct a closed hearing.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREE-
MENT—READING OF WASHING-
TON’S FAREWELL ADDRESS

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding the resolution of the Senate of January 24, 1901, the traditional reading of Washington’s Farewell Address take place on Monday, February

25, 2019, at a time to be determined by the majority leader in consultation with the Democratic leader.

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

APPOINTMENTS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to the order of the Senate of January 24, 1901, as modified by the order of February 6, 2019, appoints the Senator from Nebraska (Mrs. FISCHER) to read Washington’s Farewell Address on Monday, February 25, 2019.

The Chair announces on behalf of the Committee on Finance, pursuant to section 8002 of title 26, U.S. Code, the designation of the following Senators as members of the Joint Committee on Taxation: the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY), the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO), the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. ENZI), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN), and the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW).

The Chair, in accordance with Public Law 93-618, as amended by Public Law 100-418, on behalf of the President pro tempore and upon the recommendation of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance, appoints the following Members of the Finance Committee as congressional advisers on trade policy and negotiations to international conferences, meetings and negotiation sessions relating to trade agreements: the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY), the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO), the Senator from Kansas (Mr. ROBERTS), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN), and the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW).

The Chair announces, on behalf of the Democratic Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 100-458, sec. 114(b)(2)(c), the appointment of the following individual to serve as a member of the Board of Trustees of the John C. Stennis Center for Public Service Training and Development for a term expiring 2020: the Honorable CHRISTOPHER A. COONS of Delaware vice Mike Moore of Mississippi.

SUPPORTING THE CONTRIBUTIONS
OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee be discharged from further consideration of, and the Senate now proceed to, S. Res. 33.

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

The bill clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 33) supporting the contributions of Catholic schools.

There being no objection, the Committee was discharged, and the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. McCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the

motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 33) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in the RECORD of January 28, 2019, under “Submitted Resolutions.”)

RECOGNIZING THE STAFF OF THE
OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE
COUNSEL OF THE SENATE ON
THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE OFFICE

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 53, submitted earlier today.

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

The bill clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 53) recognizing the staff of the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the Office.

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

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

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

The resolution (S. Res. 53) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

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

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY,
FEBRUARY 7, 2019

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 12 noon, Thursday, February 7; 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; finally, that following leader remarks, the Senate resume consideration of the motion to proceed to S. 47, with all postcloture time on the motion to proceed expired.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TOMORROW

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 6:18 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, February 7, 2019, at 12 noon.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

TODD M. HARPER, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION BOARD FOR A TERM EXPIRING APRIL 10, 2021, VICE DEBORAH MATZ, RESIGNED.

UNITED STATES TAX COURT

TRAVIS GREAVES, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE A JUDGE OF THE UNITED STATES TAX COURT FOR A TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE JUAN F. VASQUEZ, TERM EXPIRED.

MARK VAN DYKE HOLMES, OF NEW YORK, TO BE A JUDGE OF THE UNITED STATES TAX COURT FOR A TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS. (REAPPOINTMENT)

COURTNEY DUNBAR JONES, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE A JUDGE OF THE UNITED STATES TAX COURT FOR A TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE JOHN O. COLVIN, RETIRED.

EMIN TORO, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE A JUDGE OF THE UNITED STATES TAX COURT FOR A TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE JOSEPH ROBERT GOEKE, TERM EXPIRED.

THE JUDICIARY

STANLEY BLUMENFELD, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE AUDREY B. COLLINS, RETIRED.

DANIEL AARON BRESS, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, VICE ALEX KOZINSKI, RETIRED.

PATRICK J. BUMATAY, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE MARILYN L. HUFF, RETIRED.

DANIEL P. COLLINS, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, VICE HARRY PREGERSON, RETIRED.

KENNETH KIYUL LEE, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT, VICE STEPHEN R. REINHARDT, DECEASED.

JEREMY B. ROSEN, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE MARGARET M. MORROW, RETIRED.

MARK C. SCARSI, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, VICE GEORGE H. KING, RETIRED.

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

LT. GEN. VERALINN JAMIESON

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. DUANE A. GAMBLE

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 general

GEN. STEPHEN J. TOWNSEND

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE REGULAR AIR FORCE UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 716:

To be lieutenant colonel

PATRICK N. WESTMORELAND

To be major

JOSEPH A. CALAMAI
MICHAEL P. CRAIG
JOEL L. DETRICK
KEVIN M. HUGHES
AARON J. LIPPY

IN THE ARMY

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

To be major

ADRIAN ACEVEDO
EVAN N. ADAMS
REMINGTON D. ADAMS
WILLIS B. AKERS IV
ANDRE C. ALBONG
KATHLEEN E. ALFIN
CHAD A. ALFORD
BRIAN K. ALLISTON
WILLIAM B. ALLSUP
ANDREW M. ALOISO
MATTHEW R. ALVEY
AARON W. AMACKER
EMMANUEL F. AMBROISE
JACOB M. AMSDEN

CHRISTOPHER W. AMSLEY
GARRETT D. ANDERSON
JASON L. ANDERSON
JOHN P. ANDREWS
BLAIR T. ANTHONY
CHRISTOPHER A. ARNETT
NICHOLAS P. ASHLEY
CHRISTOPHORO ATHANASOPOULOS
KYLE R. ATWELL
JUSTIN R. AUGUST
DONALD R. AURAY
JONATHAN C. AUSTIN
GREGORY AVANT
EDWARD M. BACHAR
DARNELL L. BADGER
JASON J. BAGGOTT
COLIN J. BAGGS
GARRETT C. BAILEY
GEORGE W. BAILEY, JR.
STEVEN M. BAILEY
JOSHUA C. BAKER
MICHAEL R. BAKER
JARED S. BALDWIN
ZACHARY B. BALDWIN
ERICK S. BALISH
DANIEL L. BALL
GWENDOLYN J. BAMFORD
DAVID J. BANAS
SAMUEL B. BANKS
LESLEY P. BARKSDALE
VIRGIL J. BARNARD
STEPHEN A. BARNES
TARIEL E. BARRAGAN
TREVOR R. BARRETT
GREGORY J. BARRY
MATTHEW P. BASILICO
JAMES M. BATES
KRISTOPFER M. BATES
DANIEL J. BAUSCHER
THOMAS W. BAZEMORE
JOSEPH C. BECKMAN
STEVEN A. BECKMAN, JR.
JAY G. BEEMAN
JEFFREY J. BENDER
JOSHUA B. BENEVIAT
CHRISTOPHER T. BENJUMEA
MICHAEL B. BENSON
JOSEPH E. BELLIN
ANDREW A. BELLRETH
TODD A. BERRIOS
CURTIS L. BEW
ERIC T. BIERSCHENK
PAUL J. BILLY
NATHANIEL J. BISHOP
ANDREW W. BISSET
ERICK T. BLACKHAM
ROBERT T. BLACKMAN
TATIANA R. BLANC
KALEB S. BLANKENSHIP
ANDREW J. BLIK
CHRISTOPHER D. BLOM
JOSHUA E. BOBBITT
REHETT A. BOCHETTE
HERBERT A. BOEDECKER
KURT L. BOEHMER
NATHAN R. BOLING
BRENT M. BOND
JORGE A. BONILLAMANCHAN
GARY BOSTIC
TYLOR D. BOTT
SCOTT W. BOURNE
BLAKE M. BOWLES
ALEXANDER L. BOWLING
NICHOLAS R. BOWMAN
JOSHUA L. BOYLE
RONALD W. BRAASCH
RICHARD A. BRADLEY II
LUKE T. BRADY
DESMOND J. BRAZIEL
JAY M. BREND
DAVID R. BRENNAN
THOMAS P. BRICELAND
ANDREW J. BRIGGS
EARL J. BRIGHT
ANDREW J. BRIGMAN
CHAD A. BRINK
ANITA M. BROOKS
LAMONT E. BROOKS
WAYNE H. BROOKS, JR.
CORY L. BROWN
DEREK T. BROWN
JOHNATHON S. BROWN
MATTHEW R. BROWN
RYAN G. BROWN
ROBIN C. BRUCE
BENJAMIN J. BRUDER
TRAVIS L. BRUNSON
ADAM K. BRYANT
JASON G. BRYANT
BRENT T. BUBANY
JOHN W. BUCHANAN, JR.
RYAN E. BUCHANAN
PAUL S. BUNCIC
ANTHONY T. BURCH
JASON W. BURGESS
EMMANUEL J. BURKS
TYLER J. BURNISTON
KEVIN M. BURNS
ANDRIE D. BYRD
WILLIAM S. BYRD, JR.
JAMES R. CALDWELL
JOEL CAMACHO
ANDREW S. CAMPBELL
BRIAN A. CAMPBELL
DENIS P. CAMPBELL
MAKONEN A. CAMPBELL
MICHAEL J. CAMPBELL

MORGAN W. CAMPBELL
MARIANO J. CANNONE
SCOTT T. CAPELA
PAUL A. CAPONE
ANTHONY D. CAPOZZI
EDMUND J. CARAZO III
NICHOLAS B. CARBAUGH
ROSS W. CARGILE
CHRISTOPHER S. CARLSON
ROBERT W. CARNEY
MATTHEW J. CARPENTER
AARON J. CARRAWAY
SPENCER G. CARRIKER
KENNETH V. CARROLL II
ABIGAIL G. CARTER
MICHAEL P. CASPERS
CHAD A. CASSIDY
ORLANDO R. CASTANEDA
JOEL O. CASTRO
NATHAN R. CATCHING
AUSTIN B. CATTLE
OMAR M. CAVALIER
DAVID A. CELSKI
MATTHEW CERNIGLIA
JON M. CHACHULA
MICHAEL A. CHANDLER
SEAN S. CHANG
STEVEN R. CHASE
CHRISTOPHER J. CHAVEZ
MICHAEL CHAVEZ
KEVIN A. CHESNUT
LINDA M. CHO
BRIAN H. CHOI
DOK K. CHON
ANTHONY L. CHUNG
ROBERT C. CHURCHILL
DOMINICK J. CINOTTO
MICHAEL T. CLAPPER
ABDULLAH H. CLARK
ANDREW M. CLARK
BRITTANY M. CLARK
WILLIAM L. CLARK
ANDRE J. CLAYBURN
WILLIAM C. CLELAND
NICK CLEMMER
ARTHUR N. CLYMER
MACKENZIE S. COLELLA
DAVID P. COLEMAN
PAUL M. COLEMAN
ROBERT W. COLEMAN
JOHN C. COLLIER
JOSEPH F. COLLIER
JAY R. COLLOTON
JOEL P. CONCANNON
MICHAEL A. CONFORTI
MATTHEW B. CONNELL
MATTHEW B. CONNER
BRIAN J. COOK
ERIC V. CORNELIUS
THOMAS C. CORRELL
SETH D. CORRIGAN
ANDREW D. COTTER
BRANDON R. COUNTS
DALE E. COX
MATTHEW Q. COX
TRENTON J. COYLE
MATTHEW J. CRAMPTON
WELLS L. CRAWLEY
BYRON L. CRITCHFIELD
HENRY J. CROFOOT
JUSTIN J. CROTT'S
DANNY CRUZ
DANIEL C. CUMMINGS
STEVEN A. CUMMINGS
CHRISTOPHER J. CURRAN
KEITH A. DAILY
LANCELOT A. DALEY
JONATHAN D. DAMALOUJI
SCOTT A. DARHOWER
JOSHUA P. DAVID
BENJAMIN A. DAVIS
DERRICK M. DAVIS
KYLE C. DAVIS
DANIEL O. DAVISON
DREW T. DEAL
CLIFFORD DECOSTER
BRIAN M. DEGEN
JOSEPH E. DEHAVEN
BRULLIO DEJESUSANTIAGO
JAVIER A. DELATORRE
OSCAR DELGADOVEANA
EDWIN C. DENHARDER
ROBERT Q. DEPPA
WILLIAM F. DEROBERTS
DAVID J. DEVINE
HERITIER N. DIAKABANA
JOVAN F. DIAZ
CHARLES A. DIB
CLINT L. DICKERSON
AVALON E. DILLON
DARRYL L. DILLON
ENOCH J. DIXON
JEFFREY S. DONIS
ADAM B. DOTTS
ROBERT L. DOUGHTY
MICHAEL J. DOYLE
NATHAN R. DUE
CORBYN J. DUKE
JONATHAN T. DUKE
DUSTIN M. DUNCAN
THOMAS A. DUNCAN
MICHAEL J. DUNGEY, JR.
MYLES W. DURKIN
DYMITRI A. DUTKANICZ
CHARLES F. A. DYORAK
DONALD J. DYER
CHARLES M. EASON