

Last week, we were working on our goal to reach the reconciliation package on the budget resolution. I congratulate Senator ROTH from Delaware. He has done an outstanding job in a very short time.

It is my understanding that hopefully some time next week the full Senate Finance Committee will meet for markup on the tax provisions of the bill, and we will be able to take up the reconciliation package on the Senate floor, hopefully on Tuesday, October 24, under a 20-hour time agreement. So we should finish it without much difficulty that week.

I will say that everybody wants us to complete action on welfare reform. It is my hope on Tuesday we will be in a position to appoint conferees. I am advised by the Democratic leader that that may be possible on Tuesday. I hope that is the case.

We need to work very quickly on trying to reach some accommodation with the House and hopefully have the same strong bipartisan support we had on the vote in the Senate when the vote was 87 to 12, with one absentee. I hope we can come back to the Senate with a bill that can be supported by every one of the 87, plus maybe some of the others.

RECESS UNTIL 9:45 A.M., TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 17, 1995

Mr. DOLE. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask unanimous consent

that the Senate stand in recess under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 3:52 p.m., recessed until Tuesday, October 17, 1995, at 9:45 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate October 13, 1995:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

DAVID P. RAWSON, OF MICHIGAN, 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 MALI.

GERALD WESLEY SCOTT, OF OKLAHOMA, 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 THE GAMBIA

RALPH R. JOHNSON, 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 SLOVAK REPUBLIC.

ROBERT E. GRIBBIN III, OF ALABAMA, 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 RWANDA.

NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION

SUBJECT TO QUALIFICATIONS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE FOLLOWING FOR PERMANENT APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION.

To be captains

ANDREW M. SNELLA
EVELYN J. FIELDS

KENNETH W. PERRIN
TERRANCE D. JACKSON

To be commanders

MARLENE MOZGALA
ERIC SECRETAN
ROBERT W. MAXSON
GARY D. PETRAE
JAMES C. GARDNER, JR.
RICHARD R. BEHN
DANIEL R. HERLIHY

GARY P. BULMER
DAVID J. KRUTH
DENNIS A. SEEM
PAUL E. PEGNATO
GEORGE E. WHITE
JONATHAN W. BAILEY
TIMOTHY B. WRIGHT

BRADFORD L. BENGGIO
RICHARD S. BROWN
MICHAEL W. WHITE
GRADY H. TUELL

To be lieutenant commanders

MICHAEL R. LEMON
JEFFREY A. FERGUSON
PHILIP S. HILL
WILLIAM B. KEARSE
JOHN E. HERRING
JAMES S. VERLAQUE
WILTIE A. CRESWELL, III

PAUL T. STEELE
GARNER R. YATES, JR.
CRAIG N. MCLEAN
PHILIP M. KENUL

JAMES D. RATHBUN
MATTHEW H. PICKETT
CHRISTOPHER A.
BEAVERSON
BRIAN J. LAKE
CARL R. GROENEVELD
GUY T. NOLL

To be Lieutenants

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JAMES A. ILLG
STEVEN A. LEMKE
DOUGLAS G. LOGAN
CHRISTOPHER J. WARD
MICHAEL J. HOSHYLYK
DENISE J. GRUCCIO
MICHELE A. FINN
MATTHEW J. WINGATE
CYNTHIA M. RUHSAM
PHILIP A. GRUCCIO
BARRY K. CHOY
MICHAEL D. FRANCISCO
RALPH R. ROGERS
MARK P. MORAN
KIMBERLY R. CLEARY
PAMELA K. HAINES
GEOFFREY S. SANDORF
KATHARINE A. MCNITT
ALAN C. HILTON
RICHARD R. WINGROVE
BJORN K. LARSEN
HAROLD E. ORLINSKY
MICHAEL S. WEAVER
DOUGLAS D. BAIRD, JR.
THOMAS R. JACOBS
GRAHAM A. STEWARD
STEPHEN C. TOSINI
JAMES S. BOSSHARDT
JULIANA PIKULSKY

STEPHEN S. MEADOR
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KELLY G. TAGGART
JOHN C. GEORGE
PATRICK V. GAJDYS
DANTE B. MARAGNI
HEIDI L. JOHNSON
DAVID A. SCORE
STEPHEN F. BECKWITH
KENNETH A. BALTZ
VICTOR B. ROSS, III
MARK S. HICKEY
RANDALL J. TEBEEST
MARK J. BOLAND
HEATHER A. PARKER
CAROLYN M. SRAMEK
JAMES E. DAVIS-MARTIN
STEPHEN J. THUMM
KURT F. SHUBERT
JONATHAN M. KLAY
JOSEPH G. EVJEN
ANITA L. LOPEZ
ANNE K. NIMERSHIEM
RICHARDO RAMOS
MICHAEL WILLIAMSON
NEIL D. WESTON
JENNIFER A. YOUNG

To be ensigns

JEFFREY C. HAGAN
ERIC J. SIPOS
PETER C. FISCHEL
WILLIAM R. ODELL
JAMES M. CROCKER
JEREMY M. ADAMS
CHRISTOPHER E. H.
PARRISH
JOEL R. BECKER
JESSICA J. WALKER
JOEL T. MICHALSKI

DAWN M. WELCHER
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LESLIE A. REDMOND
RICHARD H. ALDRIDGE
RAYMOND A. SANTOS
KURT A. ZEGOWITZ
MARK A. SRAMEK
NATALIE G. BENNETT
ERIC J. CHRISTENSEN
RUSSELL C. JONES
JENNIFER D. GARTE