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

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR,
AND PENSION

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to meet for a hearing on Stem Cell Research during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, at 9:30 a.m.

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on Wednesday, September 5, 2001 at 2:30 p.m., in Dirksen room 226.

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

COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS AND
ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate for a roundtable entitled "The 7(a) Program: A Look at SBA's Flagship Program's Fees and Subsidy Rate" on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, beginning at 9:45 a.m., in room 428 A of the Russell Senate Office Building.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AIRLAND

Mr. SARBANES. 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 Wednesday, September 5, 2001 at 9 a.m., in closed session to mark up the Airland programs and provisions contained in the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2002.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON CONSUMER AFFAIRS,
FOREIGN COMMERCE AND TOURISM

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs, Foreign Commerce and Tourism of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Wednesday, September 5, at 9 a.m., on prescription drug pricing.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON EMERGING THREATS AND
CAPABILITIES

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, at 4:30

p.m., in closed session to mark up the Emerging Threats and Capabilities programs and provisions contained in the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2002.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON PERSONNEL

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Personnel of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, at 11 a.m., in closed session to mark up the Personnel programs and provisions contained in the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2002.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON READINESS AND
MANAGEMENT SUPPORT

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, at 10 a.m., in closed session to mark up the Readiness and Management programs and provisions contained in the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2002.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON SEAPOWER

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Seapower of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, at 3 p.m., in closed session to mark up the Seapower programs and provisions contained in the Department of Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2002.

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

MEASURE READ THE FIRST TIME—H.R. 2563

Mr. REID. Mr. President, it is my understanding H.R. 2563, just received from the House, is at the desk. I ask for its first reading.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 2563) to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to protect consumers in managed care plans and other health coverage.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask now for the second reading of the bill, and I object to my own request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The objection is heard.

The bill will be read the second time on the next legislative day.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT—NOMINATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that in any instance where unanimous consent was previously granted in the 107th Congress for the referral of a nomination to more than one committee, such unanimous consent agreement apply to a second nomination of that individual if a previous nomination was returned to the President under the provisions of rule XXXI, paragraph 6.

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

JOINT MEETING OF THE TWO HOUSES—ADDRESS BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the President of the Senate be authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort the President of the United Mexican States into the House Chamber for the joint meeting on Thursday, September 6, 2001.

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

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2001

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until the hour of 10:30 a.m., Thursday, September 6. I further ask consent that on Thursday, immediately following the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate be in a period for morning business with Senators permitted to speak for up to 5 minutes each; further, that the Senate recess from 10:40 a.m. until 12 noon for the joint meeting with President Fox, and that when the Senate reconvenes at 12 noon, the Senate resume consideration of the Export Administration Act.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. REID. Mr. President, we will convene at 10:30 a.m., as indicated earlier by Senator SARBANES. I hope to have a unanimous consent agreement for the purpose of disposing of S. 149. Senators should be in the Chamber by 10:40 to proceed to the House Chamber for a joint meeting with President Fox of Mexico. The Senate will recess from 10:40 until 12 noon for that joint meeting.

At 12 noon we will begin reconsideration of the Export Administration Act. There could be rollcall votes

throughout the day. Hopefully, we will complete action on the export administration bill and move on to the Commerce-State-Justice bill.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10:30 A.M.
TOMORROW

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

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:05 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, September 6, 2001, at 10:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate September 5, 2001:

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

JORGE L. ARRIZURIETA, OF FLORIDA, TO BE UNITED STATES ALTERNATE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK, VICE LAWRENCE HARRINGTON.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

DANIEL G. BOGDEN, OF NEVADA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE KATHRYN E. LANDRETH, RESIGNED.

MARY BETH BUCHANAN, OF PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE HARRY LITMAN, RESIGNED.

JEFFREY GILBERT COLLINS, OF MICHIGAN, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE SAUL A. GREEN, RESIGNED.

STEVEN M. COLLOTON, OF IOWA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE DON CARLOS NICKERSON, RESIGNED.

THOMAS M. DIBIAGIO, OF MARYLAND, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE LYNNE ANN BATTAGLIA, RESIGNED.

WILLIAM S. DUFFEY, JR., OF GEORGIA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE RICHARD H. DEANE, JR.

PETER W. HALL, OF VERMONT, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF VERMONT FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE CHARLES ROBERT TETZLAFF, RESIGNED.

THOMAS E. JOHNSTON, OF WEST VIRGINIA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE MELVIN W. KAHLE, RESIGNED.

EDWARD HACHIRO KUBO, JR., OF HAWAII, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE STEVEN SCOTT ALM, RESIGNED.

GREGORY GORDON LOCKHART, OF OHIO, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE SHARON J. ZEALEY, RESIGNED.

SHELDON J. SPERLING, OF OKLAHOMA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE ROBERT BRUCE GREEN, RESIGNED.

DONALD W. WASHINGTON, OF LOUISIANA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE MICHAEL DAVID SKINNER, RESIGNED.

MAXWELL WOOD, OF GEORGIA, TO BE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE BEVERLY BALDWIN, MARTIN, RESIGNED.

IN THE AIR FORCE

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

To be brigadier general

COLONEL WILLIAM P. ARD, 0000
COLONEL ROSANNE BAILEY, 0000
COLONEL BRADLEY S. BAKER, 0000
COLONEL MARK G. BEESLEY, 0000
COLONEL TED F. BOWLDS, 0000
COLONEL JOHN T. BRENNAN, 0000
COLONEL ROGER W. BURG, 0000
COLONEL PATRICK A. BURNS, 0000
COLONEL KURT A. CICHOWSKI, 0000
COLONEL MARIA I. CRIBBS, 0000
COLONEL ANDREW S. DICHTER, 0000
COLONEL JAN D. EAKLE, 0000
COLONEL DAVID M. EDGINGTON, 0000
COLONEL SILVANUS T. GILBERT III, 0000
COLONEL STEPHEN M. GOLDFEIN, 0000
COLONEL DAVID S. GRAY, 0000
COLONEL WENDELL L. GRIFFIN, 0000
COLONEL RONALD J. HABECKEL, 0000
COLONEL IRVING L. HALTER JR., 0000
COLONEL RICHARD S. HASSAN, 0000
COLONEL WILLIAM L. HOLLAND, 0000
COLONEL GILMARY M. HOSTAGE III, 0000
COLONEL JAMES P. HUNT, 0000
COLONEL JOHN C. KOZIOL, 0000
COLONEL DAVID R. LEFFORGE, 0000
COLONEL WILLIAM T. LORD, 0000
COLONEL ARTHUR B. MORRILL III, 0000
COLONEL LARRY D. NEW, 0000
COLONEL LEONARD E. PATTERSON, 0000
COLONEL MICHAEL F. PLANERT, 0000
COLONEL JEFFREY A. REMINGTON, 0000
COLONEL EDWARD A. RICE JR., 0000
COLONEL DAVID J. SCOTT, 0000
COLONEL WINFIELD W. SCOTT III, 0000
COLONEL MARK D. SHACKELFORD, 0000
COLONEL GLENN F. SPEARS, 0000
COLONEL DAVID L. STRINGER, 0000
COLONEL HENRY L. TAYLOR, 0000
COLONEL RICHARD E. WEBBER, 0000
COLONEL ROY M. WORDEN, 0000
COLONEL RONALD D. YAGGI, 0000

IN THE ARMY

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 brigadier general

COLONEL BYRON S. BAGBY, 0000
COLONEL LEO A. BROOKS JR., 0000
COLONEL SEAN J. BYRNE, 0000
COLONEL CHARLES A. CARTWRIGHT, 0000
COLONEL PHILIP D. COKER, 0000
COLONEL THOMAS R. CSRNKO, 0000
COLONEL ROBERT L. DAVIS, 0000
COLONEL JOHN DEFREITAS III, 0000
COLONEL ROBERT E. DURBIN, 0000
COLONEL GINA S. FARRISEE, 0000
COLONEL DAVID A. FASTABEND, 0000
COLONEL RICHARD P. FORMICA, 0000
COLONEL KATHLEEN M. GAINERY, 0000
COLONEL DANIEL A. HAHN, 0000
COLONEL FRANK G. HELMICK, 0000
COLONEL RHETT A. HERNANDEZ, 0000
COLONEL MARK P. HERTLING, 0000
COLONEL JAMES T. HIRAI, 0000
COLONEL PAUL S. IZZO, 0000
COLONEL JAMES L. KENNON, 0000
COLONEL MARK T. KIMMITT, 0000
COLONEL ROBERT P. LENNOX, 0000
COLONEL DOUGLAS E. LUTE, 0000
COLONEL TIMOTHY P. MCHALE, 0000
COLONEL RICHARD W. MILLS, 0000
COLONEL BENJAMIN R. MIXON, 0000
COLONEL JAMES R. MORAN, 0000
COLONEL JAMES R. MYLES, 0000

COLONEL LARRY C. NEWMAN, 0000
COLONEL CARROLL F. POLLETT, 0000
COLONEL ROBERT J. REESE, 0000
COLONEL STEPHEN V. REEVES, 0000
COLONEL RICHARD J. ROWE JR., 0000
COLONEL KEVIN T. RYAN, 0000
COLONEL EDWARD J. SINCLAIR, 0000
COLONEL ERIC F. SMITH, 0000
COLONEL ABRAHAM J. TURNER, 0000
COLONEL VOLNEY J. WARNER, 0000
COLONEL JOHN C. WOODS, 0000
COLONEL HOWARD W. YELLEN, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be brigadier general

COL. DAWN R. HORN, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER 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. LESTER MARTINEZ-LOPEZ, 0000

IN THE MARINE CORPS

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

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. JAMES F. AMOS, 0000
BRIG. GEN. JOHN G. CASTELLAW, 0000
BRIG. GEN. TIMOTHY E. DONOVAN, 0000
BRIG. GEN. ROBERT M. PLANAGAN, 0000
BRIG. GEN. JAMES N. MATTIS, 0000
BRIG. GEN. GORDON C. NASH, 0000
BRIG. GEN. ROBERT M. SHEA, 0000
BRIG. GEN. FRANCES C. WILSON, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS RESERVE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be brigadier general

COL. CRAIG T. BODDINGTON, 0000

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

To be brigadier general

COL. RONALD S. COLEMAN, 0000
COL. JAMES F. FLOCK, 0000
COL. KENNETH J. GLUECK JR., 0000
COL. DENNIS J. HEJLIK, 0000
COL. CARL B. JENSEN, 0000
COL. ROBERT B. NELLER, 0000
COL. JOHN M. PAXTON JR., 0000
COL. EDWARD G. USHER III, 0000

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

REAR ADM. (LH) ANTHONY W. LENGERICH, 0000

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

REAR ADM. (LH) JOSEPH D. BURNS, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR ORIGINAL REGULAR APPOINTMENT AS A PERMANENT LIMITED DUTY OFFICER TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 5589:

To be lieutenant

SANDRA P. MORIGUCHI, 0000