

the Department of Health and Human Services; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3263. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Certification Process for State Capital Counsel System" (RIN1121-AA77) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 30, 2013; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-3264. A communication from the Director of the Regulation Policy and Management Office of the General Counsel, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned and Veteran-Owned Small Business Status Protest" (RIN2900-AM92) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-3265. A communication from the Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reallocation of Pacific Cod in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area" (RIN0648-XC817) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3266. A communication from the Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Atlantic Highly Migratory Species; Atlantic Commercial Shark Fisheries" (RIN0648-XC836) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3267. A communication from the Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher/Processors Using Trawl Gear in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska" (RIN0648-XC850) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3268. A communication from the Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reallocation of Pacific Cod in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska Management Area" (RIN0648-XC856) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3269. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Queen Conch Fishery of Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands; Regulatory Amendment 2" (RIN0648-BD15) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3270. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States; Highly Migratory Fisheries; California Drift Gillnet Fishery; Sperm Whale Interaction Restriction" (RIN0648-BD57) received in the Office of the

President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3271. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Reef Fish Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Red Snapper Management Measures" (RIN0648-BD39) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on September 27, 2013; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3272. A communication from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "2012 Report to Congress on the Disclosure of Financial Interest and Recusal Requirements for Regional Fishery Management Councils and Scientific and Statistical Committees"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. MENENDEZ, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title and with an amended preamble:

S. Res. 213. A resolution expressing support for the free and peaceful exercise of representative democracy in Venezuela and condemning violence and intimidation against the country's political opposition.

By Mr. MENENDEZ, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 227. A resolution to commemorate the 70th anniversary of the heroic rescue of Danish Jews during the Second World War by the Danish people.

## EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. MENENDEZ for the Committee on Foreign Relations.

\*Caroline Kennedy, of New York, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Japan.

Nominee: Caroline B. Kennedy.

Post: Japan.

(The following is a list of all members of my immediate family and their spouses. I have asked each of these persons to inform me of the pertinent contributions made by them. To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this report is complete and accurate)

Contributions, amount, date, and donee:

Self: \$2,500, 03/26/2009, Jennifer Brunner Committee; \$1,000.00, 09/30/2009, Friends Of Patrick J. Kennedy Inc.; \$1,000.00, 09/30/2009, Bill White For Texas; \$250.00, 02/10/2012, Obama for America; \$250.00, 02/10/2012, Obama for America; \$250.00, 02/10/2012, Obama for America; \$500.00, 02/10/2012, Obama for America; \$1,000.00, 02/10/2012, Obama for America; \$1,000.00, 03/28/2012, John Lewis For Congress; \$2,250.00, 05/5/2012, Obama for America; \$1,500.00, 06/26/2012, John Lewis For Congress; \$2,500.00, 06/26/2012, John Lewis For Congress; \$1,000.00, 06/26/2012, Elizabeth For Ma Inc.; \$250.00, 06/30/2012, Elizabeth For Ma Inc.

Joint Fundraising Contributions: \$500.00, 06/30/2012, Obama Victory Fund 2012; \$500.00,

09/13/2012, Obama Victory Fund 2012; \$500.00, 09/13/2012, Obama Victory Fund 2012.

Recipient of Joint Fundraising Contributions: \$500.00, 06/25/2012, DNC Services Corporation/Democratic National Committee; \$500.00, 09/14/2012, DNC Services Corporation/Democratic National Committee; \$500.00, 09/14/2012, DNC Services Corporation/Democratic National Committee; \$2,000.00 07/8/2004, DNC Services Corporation/Democratic National Committee.

2. Spouse: Edwin A. Schlossberg: \$1000.00, 07/12/2009, Friends of Chris Dodd; \$500.00, 09/13/2010, Tommy Sowers For Congress; \$1,000.00, 02/28/2012, Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee; \$1,000.00, 06/26/2012, John Lewis For Congress; \$2,000.00 09/28/2012, Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee; \$1,000.00, 02/22/2013, Elizabeth Colbert Busch For Congress

Joint Fundraising Contributions: \$5,000.00, 09/12/2012, Obama Victory Fund 2012; \$5,000.00, 09/25/2012, Obama Victory Fund 2012.

Recipient of Joint Fundraising Contributions: \$416.00, 09/12/2012, Democratic Executive Committee of Florida; \$333.00, 09/12/2012; Democratic Party of Wisconsin; \$277.00, 09/12/2012, Iowa Democratic Party; \$277.00, 09/12/2012, Nevada State Democratic Party; \$2,500.00, 09/12/2012, Obama for America; \$666.00, 09/12/2012, Ohio Democratic Party; \$388.00, 09/25/2012, Colorado Democratic Party; \$833.00, 09/25/2012, Democratic Executive Committee of Florida; \$666.00, 09/25/2012, Democratic Party of Wisconsin; \$555.00, 09/25/2012, Iowa Democratic Party; \$555.00, 09/25/2012, Nevada State Democratic Party; \$133.00, 09/25/2012, Ohio Democratic Party; \$250.00, 10/17/2012, Democratic Party of Virginia; \$500.00, 10/26/2012, Democratic Party of Virginia; \$555.00, 11/26/2012, Nevada State Democratic Party.

3. Children and Spouses: Rose Kennedy Schlossberg (single): \$250.00, 12/06/2009, Citizens for Alan Khazei; \$200.00, 02/12/2008, Obama for America; \$250.00, 09/23/2011, Obama for America. Tatiana Celia Kennedy Scholssberg (single): \$150.00, 09/27/2008, Obama for America. John Bouvier Kennedy Schlossberg (single): None.

4. Parents; John Fitzgerald Kennedy—deceased; Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy Onassis—deceased.

5. Grandparents: Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr.—deceased; Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy—deceased; John Vernou Bouvier, III—deceased; Janet Norton Lee—deceased.

6. Brothers and Spouses: Brother: John F. Kennedy, Jr.—deceased; Brother's Spouse: Carolyn Bessette—deceased.

7. Sisters and Spouses—None.

By Mr. CARPER for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

\*Carol Waller Pope, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 2014.

\*Ernest W. Dubester, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 29, 2017.

\*Patrick Pizzella, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 2015.

\*Stevan Eaton Bunnell, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel, Department of Homeland Security.

\*Suzanne Eleanor Spaulding, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary, Department of Homeland Security.

\*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.