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# RESOLUTIONS

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## TREATIES

| CALENDAR<br>No. | TREATY<br>Doc. No. | SUBJECT   | REPORTED<br>BY   |
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| 1               | 112-1              | Protocol Amending Tax Convention with Swiss Confederation | Aug 30, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations under authority of the order of the Senate of 08/02/2011 with printed Ex. Rept.112-1 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with 1 declaration. |
| 4               | 111-7              | Tax Convention with Hungary                               | Aug 30, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations under authority of the order of the Senate of 08/02/2011 with printed Ex. Rept.112-4 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with 1 declaration. |
| 5               | 111-8              | Protocol Amending Tax Convention with Luxembourg          | Aug 30, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations under authority of the order of the Senate of 08/02/2011 with printed Ex. Rept.112-5 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with 1 declaration. |

## NOMINATIONS

| CALENDAR<br>No. | MESSAGE<br>No. | NOMINEE, OFFICE, AND PREDECESSOR  | REPORTED<br>BY   |
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| * 86            | 334            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND</b></p> <p>Ben S. Bernanke, of New Jersey, to be United States Alternate Governor of the International Monetary Fund for a term of five years. (Reappointment)</p>  | Apr 12, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.                              |
| 226             | 531            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NAVY</b></p> <p>The following named officer for appointment in the United States Navy to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>to be Rear Admiral</i></p> <p>Rear Adm. (lh) Cynthia A. Covell</p>                        | Jun 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.                                 |
| * 231           | 208            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</b></p> <p>Donna Mary Murphy, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years, vice Kaye K. Christian, retired.</p>                              | Jun 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Lieberman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 258           | 128            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE</b></p> <p>Phyllis Nichamoff Segal, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2013, vice Jacob Joseph Lew, term expired.</p> | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.        |
| * 259           | 129            | Lisa M. Quiroz, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring February 8, 2014, vice Vince J. Juaristi, term expired.   | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.        |
| * 261           | 131            | Matthew Francis McCabe, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2013, vice Leona White Hat, term expired.  | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.        |

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| * 262   | 132            | Marguerite W. Kondracke, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring June 10, 2014, vice Richard Allan Hill, term expired.    | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| * 263   | 133            | Jane D. Hartley, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2014, vice Donna N. Williams, resigned.                | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| * 264   | 134            | Richard Christman, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for the remainder of the term expiring October 6, 2012, vice Tom Osborne, resigned. | Jul 20, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| <b>SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION</b> |                |  |  |
| * 338   | 461            | Anthony Frank D'Agostino, of Maryland, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2011, vice Mark S. Shelton, term expired.                               | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 339   | 462            | Anthony Frank D'Agostino, of Maryland, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2014. (Reappointment)   | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 340   | 569            | Gregory Karawan, of Virginia, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2013, vice William Herbert Heyman, term expired.                                 | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |

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|                 |                | <b>FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE<br/>CORPORATION</b>   |  |
| * 344           | 674            | Martin J. Gruenberg, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for a term expiring December 27, 2018. (Reappointment)                               | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 345           | 673            | Martin J. Gruenberg, of Maryland, to be Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for a term of five years, vice Sheila C. Bair, resigned.                          | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
|                 |                | <b>DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b>  |  |
| * 346           | 745            | Thomas J. Curry, of Massachusetts, to be Comptroller of the Currency for a term of five years, vice John C. Dugan, resigned.   | Sep 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
|                 |                | <b>ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION<br/>AGENCY</b>   |  |
| * 403           | 675            | Kenneth J. Kopocis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Peter Silva Silva, resigned.  | Sep 21, 2011 Reported by Mrs. Boxer, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.            |
|                 |                | <b>THE JUDICIARY</b>   |  |
| 408             | 566            | Gina Marie Groh, of West Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of West Virginia, vice W. Craig Broadwater, deceased.  | Oct 06, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                            |
|                 |                | <b>DEPARTMENT OF STATE</b>   |  |
| * 422           | 755            | Michael A. Hammer, of the District of Columbia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Public Affairs), vice Philip J. Crowley, resigned. | Oct 12, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.                        |

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|                 |                | <b>THE JUDICIARY</b>  |   |
| <b>439</b>      | 634            | Mary Elizabeth Phillips, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Missouri, vice Ortrie D. Smith, retired.   | Oct 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |
| <b>440</b>      | 736            | Thomas Owen Rice, of Washington, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington, vice Robert H. Whaley, retired.   | Oct 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |
| <b>441</b>      | 735            | David Nuffer, of Utah, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah, vice Dale A. Kimball, retired.  | Oct 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |
|                 |                | <b>HARRY S TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP<br/>FOUNDATION</b>  |   |
| <b>* 450</b>    | 510            | Laura A. Cordero, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 15, 2015, vice Juanita Alicia Vasquez-Gardner, term expired. | Oct 19, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.     |
|                 |                | <b>AMTRAK BOARD OF DIRECTORS</b>  |   |
| <b>* 456</b>    | 884            | Albert DiClemente, of Delaware, to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors for a term of five years. (Reappointment)   | Nov 02, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report. |
|                 |                | <b>THE JUDICIARY</b>  |   |
| <b>460</b>      | 919            | Stephanie Dawn Thacker, of West Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, vice M. Blane Michael, deceased.  | Nov 03, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |
| <b>461</b>      | 786            | Michael Walter Fitzgerald, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, vice A. Howard Matz, retired.  | Nov 03, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |

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| <b>462</b>                  | 857            | Ronnie Abrams, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Lewis A. Kaplan, retired.                      | Nov 03, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                   |
| <b>463</b>                  | 858            | Rudolph Contreras, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, vice Ricardo M. Urbina, retired.                         | Nov 03, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                   |
| <b>464</b>                  | 865            | Miranda Du, of Nevada, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, vice Roger L. Hunt, retired.  | Nov 03, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                   |
| <b>DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY</b> |                |   |   |
| <b>* 493</b>                | 750            | Charles DeWitt McConnell, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Fossil Energy), vice James J. Markowsky, resigned.                             | Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report. |
| <b>* 494</b>                | 854            | David T. Danielson, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy), vice Catherine Radford Zoi, resigned. | Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report. |
| <b>* 495</b>                | 855            | LaDoris Guess Harris, of Georgia, to be Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact, Department of Energy, vice Jose Antonio Garcia, resigned.     | Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report. |
| <b>* 496</b>                | 872            | Gregory Howard Woods, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy, vice Scott Blake Harris, resigned.                                  | Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report. |
| <b>THE JUDICIARY</b>        |                |   |   |
| <b>497</b>                  | 633            | Susie Morgan, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana, vice G. Thomas Porteous, Jr.                        | Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                   |

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|                 |                | <b>STATE JUSTICE INSTITUTE</b>   |   |
| * 499           | 893            | James R. Hannah, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2013. (Reappointment)  | Nov 22, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.                 |
| * 500           | 894            | Daniel J. Becker, of Utah, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2013. (Reappointment)   | Nov 22, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.                 |
|                 |                | <b>DEPARTMENT OF STATE</b>   |   |
| * 501           | 267            | Mari Carmen Aponte, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of El Salvador.  | Nov 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 502           | 887            | Adam E. Namm, of New York, 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 Republic of Ecuador.  | Nov 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 504           | 1003           | Roberta S. Jacobson, of Maryland, a Career Member of the Senior Executive Service, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Western Hemisphere Affairs), vice Arturo A. Valenzuela, resigned.  | Nov 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 505           | 1038           | Elizabeth M. Cousens, of Washington, to be Representative of the United States of America on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.   | Nov 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 506           | 1039           | Elizabeth M. Cousens, of Washington, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during her tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations. | Nov 29, 2011 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |

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| <b>* 507</b>    | 859            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE</b></p> <p>Michael E. Horowitz, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Justice, vice Glenn A. Fine, resigned.</p>   | <p>Nov 30, 2011 Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs discharged under the authority of the order of the Senate of 01/07/2009.</p> <p>Nov 10, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.</p> |
| <b>508</b>      | 985            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE JUDICIARY</b></p> <p>Jacqueline H. Nguyen, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice a new position created by Public Law 110-177, approved January 7, 2008.</p>                            | <p>Dec 01, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.</p>   |
| <b>509</b>      | 920            | <p>Gregg Jeffrey Costa, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, vice John D. Rainey, retired.</p>   | <p>Dec 01, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.</p>   |
| <b>510</b>      | 937            | <p>David Campos Guaderrama, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas, vice David Briones, retired.</p>   | <p>Dec 01, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.</p>   |
| <b>* 511</b>    | 1083           | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE</b></p> <p>Rebecca M. Blank, of Maryland, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce, vice Dennis F. Hightower, resigned.</p>   | <p>Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.</p>   |
| <b>* 512</b>    | 1084           | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS<br/>COMMISSION</b></p> <p>Ajit Varadaraj Pai, of Kansas, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of five years from July 1, 2011, vice Meredith Attwell Baker, term expired.</p> | <p>Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.</p>   |

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| * 513  | 1085           | Jessica Rosenworcel, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of five years from July 1, 2010, vice Michael Joseph Copps, term expired. | Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report. |
| <b>FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION</b>                    |                |   |   |
| * 514  | 303            | Jon D. Leibowitz, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for a term of seven years from September 26, 2010. (Reappointment)  | Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report. |
| * 515  | 825            | Maureen K. Ohlhausen, of Virginia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for a term of seven years from September 26, 2011, vice William E. Kovacic, term expiring.                  | Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report. |
| <b>DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE</b>                       |                |   |   |
| 516  | 921            | Kathryn Keneally, of New York, to be an Assistant Attorney General, vice Nathan J. Hochman, resigned.   | Dec 08, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                               |
| <b>DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT</b> |                |   |   |
| * 517  | 990            | Maurice A. Jones, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, vice Ronald C. Sims, retired.   | Dec 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report.    |
| * 518  | 1064           | Carol J. Galante, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, vice David H. Stevens, resigned.  | Dec 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report.    |

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| * 519           | 1065           | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION</b></p> <p>Thomas Hoenig, of Missouri, to be Vice Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, vice Martin J. Gruenberg.</p>                      | Dec 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 520           | 1082           | <p>Thomas Hoenig, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for a term of six years, vice Thomas J. Curry, term expired.</p>  | Dec 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report. |
| * 521           | 364            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES</b></p> <p>Deepa Gupta, of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2016. (New Position)</p>                           | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| * 522           | 652            | <p>Christopher Merrill, of Iowa, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2016, vice Iris Love, term expired.</p>  | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| * 523           | 780            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DISABILITY</b></p> <p>Stephanie Orlando, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for the remainder of the term expiring September 17, 2011, vice Heather McCallum, resigned.</p> | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |
| * 524           | 781            | <p>Stephanie Orlando, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2014. (Reappointment)</p>  | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.  |

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| * 525           | 992            | <p>Gary Blumenthal, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2013. (Reappointment)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE</b></p> | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report. |
| * 526           | 1051           | <p>Wendy M. Spencer, of Florida, to be Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation for National and Community Service, vice Patrick Alfred Corvington, resigned.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY</b></p>              | Dec 14, 2011 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report. |
| * 527           | 1128           | <p>Arunava Majumdar, of California, to be Under Secretary of Energy, vice Kristina M. Johnson, resigned.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE JUDICIARY</b></p>  | Dec 15, 2011 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.         |
| 528             | 986            | <p>Brian C. Wimes, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern and Western Districts of Missouri, vice Nanette K. Laughrey, retired.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b></p>               | Dec 15, 2011 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                           |
| * 541           | 746            | <p>Mary John Miller, of Maryland, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury, vice Jeffrey Alan Goldstein.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION</b></p>   | Dec 17, 2011 Reported by Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without printed report.                                |
| * 542           | 255            | <p>Henry J. Aaron, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2014, vice Jeffrey Robert Brown, term expired.</p>   | Dec 17, 2011 Reported by Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without printed report.                                |

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| * 543        | 599         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES TAX COURT</b></p> <p>Kathleen Kerrigan, of Massachusetts, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for the term of fifteen years, vice Harry A. Haines, term expired.</p>  | Dec 17, 2011 Reported by Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without printed report. |
| * 544        | 966         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b></p> <p>Alastair M. Fitzpayne, of Maryland, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury, vice Kim N. Wallace.</p>   | Dec 17, 2011 Reported by Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without printed report. |
| * 546        | 1125        | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY</b></p> <p>Margaret Ann Sherry, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Homeland Security, vice David L. Norquist, resigned.</p>   | Dec 27, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.        |
| * 547        | 889         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION</b></p> <p>Eduardo Arriola, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2016, vice Kay Kelley Arnold, term expired.</p>                               | Dec 27, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.        |
| * 548        | 890         | <p>J. Kelly Ryan, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for the remainder of the term expiring September 20, 2012, vice Thomas A. Shannon, Jr., resigned.</p>   | Dec 27, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.        |
| * 549        | 902         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION</b></p> <p>Michael James Warren, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2014. (Reappointment)</p> | Dec 27, 2011 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.        |
| * 550        | 898         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SAINT LAWRENCE SEAWAY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION</b></p> <p>David J. McMillan, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, vice Scott Kevin Walker.</p>  | Jan 06, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.        |

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| * 551           | 899            | <p>Wenona Singel, of Michigan, to be a Member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, vice Jack Edwin McGregor.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE JUDICIARY</b></p>   | Jan 06, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.                 |
| 552             | 1049           | <p>Paul J. Watford, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Pamela Ann Rymer, deceased.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE</b></p>  | Feb 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.     |
| 553             | 417            | <p>Anuj Chang Desai, of Wisconsin, to be a Member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States for the term expiring September 30, 2011, vice Stephen C. King, term expired.</p>  | Feb 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.     |
| 554             | 418            | <p>Anuj Chang Desai, of Wisconsin, to be a Member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States for the term expiring September 30, 2014.<br/>(Reappointment)</p>  | Feb 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.     |
| 555             | 472            | <p>Dennis J. Erby, of Mississippi, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Mississippi for the term of four years, vice Larry Wade Wagster, resigned.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES AGENCY FOR<br/>INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT</b></p> | Feb 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.     |
| * 556           | 1002           | <p>Earl W. Gast, of California, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, vice Katherine Almquist, resigned.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF STATE</b></p>  | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 557           | 1109           | <p>Anne Claire Richard, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Population, Refugees, and Migration), vice Eric P. Schwartz, resigned.</p>  | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |

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| * 558           | 1110           | Tara D. Sonenshine, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of State for Public Diplomacy, vice Judith A. McHale.  | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 559           | 1055           | Robert E. Whitehead, of Florida, 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 Togolese Republic.   | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 560           | 1086           | Larry Leon Palmer, of Georgia, 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 Barbados, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Antigua and Barbuda, the Commonwealth of Dominica, Grenada, and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines. | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 561           | 1169           | Jonathan Don Farrar, of California, 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 Republic of Panama.   | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 562           | 1172           | Phyllis Marie Powers, 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 Republic of Nicaragua.   | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |
| * 563           | 1199           | Nancy J. Powell, of Iowa, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Personal Rank of Career Ambassador, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to India.   | Feb 14, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report. |

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|                 |                | <b>FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION</b>  |   |
| * 564           | 782            | Bruce J. Sherrick, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, vice Glen Klippenstein. | Feb 15, 2012 Reported by Ms. Stabenow, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report. |
| * 565           | 783            | Chester John Culver, of Iowa, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, vice Julia Bartling.      | Feb 15, 2012 Reported by Ms. Stabenow, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report. |
|                 |                | <b>DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE</b>   |   |
| * 566           | 1000           | Michael T. Scuse, of Delaware, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services, vice James W. Miller, resigned.    | Feb 15, 2012 Reported by Ms. Stabenow, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report. |
| * 567           | 1001           | Michael T. Scuse, of Delaware, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation, vice James W. Miller, resigned.       | Feb 15, 2012 Reported by Ms. Stabenow, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report. |
|                 |                | <b>THE JUDICIARY</b>   |   |
| 568             | 1105           | Kristine Gerhard Baker, of Arkansas, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas, vice James M. Moody, retired.        | Feb 16, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                           |
| 569             | 1116           | John Z. Lee, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, vice David H. Coar, retired.                   | Feb 16, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                           |
| 570             | 1117           | George Levi Russell, III, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, vice Peter J. Messitte, retired.           | Feb 16, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.                           |

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| 571             | 1118           | <p>John J. Tharp, Jr., of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, vice Blanche M. Manning, retired.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE</b></p> | Feb 16, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.  |
| * 572           | 1060           | <p>Mark William Lippert, of Ohio, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice Wallace C. Gregson, resigned.</p>   | Feb 17, 2012 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report. |

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|----------------|------------------|--|--|---|--|
| 895            | Sep 06, 2011     | Drew R. McCoy, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring January 27, 2016. (Reappointment)                             | Yes  |   |  |
| 896            | Sep 06, 2011     | Catherine Allgor, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring September 27, 2014, vice John Richard Petrocik, term expired. | Yes  | Feb 13, 2012                            |  |
| 897            | Sep 06, 2011     | Steven H. Cohen, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2013, vice Luis D. Rovira, term expired.                   | Yes  | Feb 13, 2012                            |  |
| 900            | Sep 06, 2011     | Mary B. Verner, of Washington, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2012, vice Steve M. Hays, term expired.                | Yes  |   |  |
| 901            | Sep 06, 2011     | Mary B. Verner, of Washington, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2015. (Reappointment)                                  | Yes  |   |  |
| 993            | Sep 26, 2011     | Susan A. Maxman, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2012, vice William Hardiman, term expired.          | Yes  |   |  |

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|-------------|---------------|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 994         | Sep 26, 2011  | Susan A. Maxman, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2015.<br>(Reappointment)              | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1004        | Oct 03, 2011  | James T. Ryan, of Utah, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2013, vice James Broaddus, resigned.            | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1018        | Oct 11, 2011  | James Timberlake, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2014, vice Jose Teran, term expired. | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1036        | Oct 12, 2011  | Paul W. Hodes, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2016. (New Position)  | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1052        | Oct 18, 2011  | Alfredo J. Balsera, of Florida, to be a Member of the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2014, vice Elizabeth F. Bagley, term expired.            | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1059        | Oct 20, 2011  | Bonnie L. Bassler, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2016, vice Steven C. Beering, term expired.              | Yes                                  |                                   |   |
| 1127        | Nov 30, 2011  | Marie F. Smith, of Hawaii, to be a Member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2016, vice Dana K. Bilyeu, term expired.                                       | Yes                                  |                                   |   |

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| 1168           | Dec 05, 2011     | Pauline R. Maier, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring November 17, 2017, vice J. C. A. Stagg, term expired.              | Yes  |   |  |
| 1378           | Feb 14, 2012     | James M. Demers, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2014, vice Kevin Glenn Nealer, term expired.               | Yes  |   |  |
| 1379           | Feb 14, 2012     | Naomi A. Walker, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2012, vice Christopher J. Hanley, term expired. | Yes  |   |  |

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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBJECT

When a notice of intent to object is given to the appropriate leader, or their designee, and such notice is submitted for inclusion in the Congressional Record and the Senate Executive Calendar, or following the objection to a unanimous consent to proceeding to, and, or disposition of, matters relating to nominations and treaties on their behalf, it shall be placed in the section of the Senate Executive Calendar entitled "Notice of Intent to Object". (S. Res. 28, 112<sup>th</sup> Congress)

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| <b>512</b>      | 1084           | Ajit Varadaraj Pai, of Kansas, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of five years from July 1, 2011       | Nov. 03, 2011 by Mr. Grassley |
| <b>513</b>      | 1085           | Jessica Rosenworcel, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of five years from July 1, 2010 | Nov. 03, 2011 by Mr. Grassley |



## MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION

After an action taken by the Senate, any Senator voting with the prevailing side or who has not voted may, on the same day or on either of the next two days of actual session thereafter, either enter a motion for reconsideration or move a reconsideration. This section contains such motions not yet acted on as so provided by Rule XIII, Paragraph 1.

| DATE         | SUBJECT   |
|--------------|---|
| Dec 12, 2011 | Motion entered by Mr. Reid to reconsider the vote by which the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Mari Carmen Aponte was not agreed to (Roll Call Vote No. 227). |