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By Michelle Haynes, Executive Clerk

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UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT

Carol J. Galante (Cal. No. 518)

Ordered, That at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader, in consultation with the Republican Leader, the Senate proceed to executive session to consider the nomination of Carol J. Galante, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Ordered further, That there be 60 minutes for debate equally divided in the usual form; that upon the use or yielding back of time the Senate proceed to vote without intervening action or debate on the nomination; that the nomination be subject to a 60 vote threshold; the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate; that no further motions be in order to the nomination; that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate then resume legislative session.

(July 26, 2012.)

RESOLUTIONS

CALENDAR No.	S. RES. No.	SUBJECT	REPORTED BY

TREATIES

CALENDAR No.	TREATY Doc. No.	SUBJECT	REPORTED BY
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.
6	112-7	Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Jul 31, 2012 Reported favorably by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept.112-6 minority views filed and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with 3 reservations, 8 understandings, and 2 declarations.

NOMINATIONS

CALENDAR No.	MESSAGE No.	NOMINEE, OFFICE, AND PREDECESSOR	REPORTED BY
* 86	334	<p style="text-align: center;">INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND</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.
* 231	208	<p style="text-align: center;">SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</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.
* 403	675	<p style="text-align: center;">ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY</p> <p>Kenneth J. Kopocis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Peter Silva Silva, resigned.</p>	Sep 21, 2011 Reported by Mrs. Boxer, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
* 518	1064	<p style="text-align: center;">DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>Carol J. Galante, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, vice David H. Stevens, resigned.</p>	Dec 13, 2011 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report.
* 542	255	<p style="text-align: center;">SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION</p> <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.
611	1006	<p style="text-align: center;">THE JUDICIARY</p> <p>Patty Shwartz, of New Jersey, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit, vice Maryanne Trump Barry, retired.</p>	Mar 08, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 644	1403	Carlos Pascual, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Energy Resources), vice John Stern Wolf.	Mar 27, 2012 Reported by Mr. Kerry, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY	
* 645	1198	Richard B. Berner, of Massachusetts, to be Director, Office of Financial Research, Department of the Treasury, for a term of six years. (New Position)	Mar 29, 2012 Reported by Mr. Johnson SD, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
650	1114	Richard Gary Taranto, of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, vice Paul R. Michel, retired.	Mar 29, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
660	1202	William J. Kayatta, Jr., of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, vice Kermit Lipez, retired.	Apr 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
676	1341	Michael P. Shea, of Connecticut, to be United States District Judge for the District of Connecticut, vice Christopher Droney, elevated.	Apr 26, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 677	1352	Marcilynn A. Burke, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, vice Wilma A. Lewis, resigned.	Apr 26, 2012 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		PRIVACY AND CIVIL LIBERTIES OVERSIGHT BOARD	
721	1190	David Medine, of Maryland, to be Chairman and Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board for a term expiring January 29, 2012. (New Position)	May 17, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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722	1191	David Medine, of Maryland, to be Chairman and Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board for a term expiring January 29, 2018. (Reappointment)	May 17, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
THE JUDICIARY			
759	1201	Robert E. Bacharach, of Oklahoma, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Tenth Circuit, vice Robert Harlan Henry, resigned.	Jun 07, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
760	1381	Paul William Grimm, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, vice Benson Everett Legg, retiring.	Jun 07, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
761	1383	Mark E. Walker, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Florida, vice Stephan P. Mickle, retired.	Jun 07, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
762	1405	John E. Dowdell, of Oklahoma, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Oklahoma, vice Terry C. Kern, retired.	Jun 07, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
818	1406	Brian J. Davis, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida, vice Richard A. Lazzara, retired.	Jun 21, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
828	1553	Terrence G. Berg, of Michigan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, vice Arthur J. Tarnow, retired.	Jul 12, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
829	1554	Jesus G. Bernal, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, vice Stephen G. Larson, resigned.	Jul 12, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
830	1556	Lorna G. Schofield, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Shira A. Scheindlin, retired.	Jul 12, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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832	1672	Frank Paul Geraci, Jr., of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of New York, vice David G. Larimer, retired.	Jul 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
833	1673	Fernando M. Olguin, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, vice Jacqueline H. Nguyen, elevated.	Jul 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
834	1681	Matthew W. Brann, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, vice Thomas I. Vanaskie, elevated.	Jul 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
835	1682	Malachy Edward Mannion, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, vice A. Richard Caputo, retired.	Jul 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		UNITED STATES SENTENCING COMMISSION	
836	1557	Charles R. Breyer, of California, to be a Member of the United States Sentencing Commission for a term expiring October 31, 2015, vice Ruben Castillo, term expired.	Jul 19, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION	
* 870	1370	William P. Doyle, of Pennsylvania, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner for the term expiring June 30, 2013, vice Joseph E. Brennan, term expired.	Jul 31, 2012 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
* 871	1497	Michael Peter Huerta, of the District of Columbia, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration for the term of five years, vice J. Randolph Babbitt.	Jul 31, 2012 Reported by Mr. Rockefeller, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.

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* 873	1516	<p style="text-align: center;">MORRIS K. UDALL AND STEWART L. UDALL FOUNDATION</p> <p>Charles P. Rose, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation for a term expiring April 16, 2017, vice Stephen M. Prescott, term expired.</p>	Aug 01, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
THE JUDICIARY			
875	1688	Thomas M. Durkin, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, vice Wayne R. Andersen, retired.	Aug 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
876	1729	William H. Orrick, III, of the District of Columbia, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, vice Charles R. Breyer, retired.	Aug 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
877	1730	Jon S. Tigar, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, vice Sandra Brown Armstrong, retired.	Aug 02, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION			
* 878	1378	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.	Aug 03, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
* 879	1379	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.	Aug 03, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE			
909	1354	William Joseph Baer, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, vice Christine Anne Varney.	Sep 20, 2012 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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911	1692	STATE JUSTICE INSTITUTE Jonathan Lippman, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2012, vice Robert A. Miller, term expired.	Sep 21, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
912	1693	Jonathan Lippman, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2015. (Reappointment)	Sep 21, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
913	1512	NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES Maria Rosario Jackson, of California, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2016, vice Terence Alan Teachout, term expired.	Oct 16, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
* 914	1689	NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BUILDING SCIENCES Joseph Byrne Donovan, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences for a term expiring September 7, 2013, vice Lane Carson, resigned.	Oct 23, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.
* 915	1690	NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES Bruce R. Sievers, of California, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2018, vice Kenneth R. Weinstein, term expired.	Oct 26, 2012 Placed on the Calendar pursuant to S.Res. 116, 112th Congress.

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NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK

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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		
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		
1447	Mar 19, 2012	Edward W. Brehm, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation for a term expiring September 22, 2017. (Reappointment)	Yes	Nov 13, 2012	
1501	Mar 28, 2012	Robert James Grey, Jr., of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 2014. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1502	Mar 28, 2012	John Gerson Levi, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 2014. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1503	Mar 28, 2012	Laurie I. Mikva, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 2013. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1504	Mar 28, 2012	Martha L. Minow, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 2014. (Reappointment)	Yes		

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1505	Mar 28, 2012	Gloria Valencia-Weber, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 2014. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1515	Apr 16, 2012	Vicki Miles-LaGrange, of Oklahoma, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2015, vice Roger L. Hunt, term expired.	Yes		
1566	May 08, 2012	Maria Lopez De Leon, of Texas, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2016, vice James Ballinger, term expired.	Yes		
1733	Jun 14, 2012	Mark D. Gearan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring December 1, 2015. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1775	Jun 20, 2012	David Masumoto, of California, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2018, vice Stephen W. Porter, term expiring.	Yes		
1796	Jun 28, 2012	Camila Ann Alire, of Colorado, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2018, vice Allen C. Guelzo, term expired.	Yes		
1797	Jun 28, 2012	Ramon Saldivar, of California, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2018, vice Wilfred M. McClay, term expired.	Yes		

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1799	Jul 11, 2012	Dorothy Kosinski, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2016, vice Ricardo Quinones, term expired.	Yes		
1828	Jul 25, 2012	Ranee Ramaswamy, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2018, vice Miguel Campaneria, term expiring.	Yes		
1834	Aug 02, 2012	Iqbal Paroo, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation for a term expiring September 22, 2017, vice Julius E. Coles, term expired.	Yes	Nov 13, 2012	
1835	Aug 02, 2012	William J. Mielke, of Wisconsin, to be a Member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, vice George D. Milidrag.	Yes		
1836	Aug 02, 2012	Arthur H. Sulzer, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, vice Charles E. Dorkey III.	Yes		
1922	Sep 11, 2012	T. Charles Cooper, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, vice Jeffrey J. Grieco.	Yes	Nov 13, 2012	

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1926	Sep 13, 2012	William Shaw McDermott, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term expiring November 22, 2017, vice Robert Clarke Brown, term expired.	Yes		
1927	Sep 13, 2012	Nina Mitchell Wells, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term expiring May 30, 2018, vice Charles Darwin Snelling, term expired.	Yes		
1931	Sep 13, 2012	Lorne W. Craner, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Millennium Challenge Corporation for a term of two years. (Reappointment)	Yes	Nov 27, 2012	
1934	Sep 13, 2012	Bruce Carter, of Florida, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2018, vice Robert Bretley Lott, term expired.	Yes		
1935	Sep 13, 2012	John Unsworth, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2016, vice Jean B. Elshtain, term expired.	Yes		
1936	Sep 13, 2012	Martin O'Malley, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring November 5, 2018. (Reappointment)	Yes		

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1937	Sep 13, 2012	Martin O'Malley, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for the remainder of the term expiring November 5, 2012, vice Joe Manchin III.	Yes		
1938	Sep 13, 2012	Walter G. Secada, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation for a term expiring March 3, 2016, vice Laurie Stenberg Nichols, term expired.	Yes		
1939	Sep 13, 2012	Stewart M. De Soto, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation for a term expiring August 11, 2016, vice Charles P. Ruch, term expired.	Yes		
1940	Sep 13, 2012	Anne J. Udall, of Oregon, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2016. (Reappointment)	Yes		
1945	Sep 19, 2012	Joseph Eldridge, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace for a term of four years, vice Anne Cahn, term expired.	Yes		
1946	Sep 19, 2012	George E. Moose, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace for a term of four years. (Reappointment)	Yes		

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1947	Sep 19, 2012	Sylvia M. Becker, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States for the term expiring September 30, 2013, vice Ralph E. Martinez, term expired.	Yes		
1968	Sep 21, 2012	Olga Viso, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2018, vice William Francis Price, Jr., term expired.	Yes		
2023	Nov 15, 2012	Timothy J. Feighery, of New York, to be Chairman of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States for a term expiring September 30, 2015. (Reappointment)	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, 112th Congress)

MESSAGE No.	NOMINEE AND OFFICE	DATE AND SENATOR
1198	Richard B. Berner, of Massachusetts, to be Director, Office of Financial Research, Department of the Treasury, Cal. No. 645.	Nov. 14, 2012.-- 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