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# SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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## EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

**Monday, January 5, 2026**



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PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF JACKIE BARBER,  
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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By Rachel R. Creviston, Executive Clerk

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## UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENTS

**Joshua Simmons (Cal. No. 560) (PN499-11)**

**Keith Bass (Cal. No. 70) (PN12-1)**

**Alexander C. Van Hook (Cal. No. 574) (PN615-2)**

**Sara Bailey (Cal. 476) (PN373)**

*Ordered*, That at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, January 5, 2026, notwithstanding Rule XXII, all post-cloture time be expired and the Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination of Keith Bass, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

*Ordered further*, That at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader in consultation with the Democratic Leader no earlier than January 5, 2026, all post-cloture time be expired and the Senate vote on confirmation of the following nominations:

Alexander C. Van Hook, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Louisiana;

Sara Bailey, of Texas, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy; and

Joshua Simmons, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Central Intelligence.

*Ordered further*, That if any nominations are confirmed, the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table and the President be immediately notified of the Senate's actions. (Dec. 18, 2025.)

## RESOLUTIONS

CALENDAR No.	S. RES. No.	SUBJECT	REPORTED BY
3	520	An executive resolution authorizing the en bloc consideration in Executive Session of certain nominations on the Executive Calendar.	Dec 01, 2025 Placed on the Calendar under Over, Under the Rule.

## TREATIES

CALENDAR No.	TREATY DOC. NO.	SUBJECT	REPORTED BY

## NOMINATIONS

CALENDAR No.	MESSAGE No.	NOMINEE, OFFICE, AND PREDECESSOR	REPORTED BY
* 70	12-1	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE</b></p> <p>Keith Bass, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice Lester Martinez-Lopez.</p>	Apr 08, 2025 Reported by Mr. Wicker, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
* 241	352	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ARMY</b></p> <p>The following named officer for appointment as Vice Chief of the National Guard Bureau and for appointment to the grade indicated in the Reserve of the Army under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 10505:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>to be General</i></p> <p>Lt. Gen. Thomas M. Carden, Jr.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT</b></p>	Jun 26, 2025 Reported by Mr. Wicker, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
476	373	<p>Sara Bailey, of Texas, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy, vice Rahul Gupta, resigned.</p>	Oct 09, 2025 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
* 503	609	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ARMY</b></p> <p>The following named officer for appointment as Vice Chief of Staff of the Army and appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 7034:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>to be General</i></p> <p>Lt. Gen. Christopher C. LaNeve</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY</b></p>	Oct 28, 2025 Reported by Mr. Wicker, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
* 560	499-11	<p>Joshua Simmons, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Central Intelligence Agency, vice Kate Elizabeth Heinzelman, resigned.</p>	Nov 19, 2025 Reported by Mr. Cotton, Select Committee on Intelligence, without printed report.

\* Signifies nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate

## NOMINATIONS

CALENDAR No.	MESSAGE No.	NOMINEE, OFFICE, AND PREDECESSOR	REPORTED BY
<b>574</b>	615-2	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE JUDICIARY</b></p> <p>Alexander C. Van Hook, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Louisiana, vice Elizabeth Erny Foote, retired.</p>	Nov 20, 2025 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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## NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK

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## PRIVILEGED NOMINATIONS

Pursuant to S. Res. 116, 112th Congress, nominations in this section of the Executive Calendar are entitled to expedited procedures.

MESSAGE No.	DATE RECEIVED	NOMINEE AND POSITION	* INFORMATION REQUESTED BY COMMITTEE	** REQUESTED INFORMATION RECEIVED	SENATOR REQUESTED REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE OF JURISDICTION

\* Committee of jurisdiction has requested appropriate biographical and financial information on this nominee

\*\* Committee of jurisdiction has received the necessary biographical and financial information on this nominee; nominee will remain in this section for 10 session days

## 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)

MESSAGE No.	NOMINEE AND OFFICE	DATE AND SENATOR
352	Lt. Gen. Thomas M. Carden, Jr. for appointment as Vice Chief of the National Guard Bureau and for appointment to the grade of general in the Reserve of the Army	July 17, 2025 - Mr. Padilla

## 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