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UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT (Brett M. Kavanaugh [Cal. No. 632])

Ordered, That relative to the cloture motion filed on the nomination of Brett M. Kavanaugh, of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, the mandatory quorum under Rule XXII be waived.

(May 22, 2006.)

RESOLUTIONS

Calendar No.	S. Res. No.	Subject	Reported By

TREATIES

5 108-11 Council of Europe Convention on Cybercrime Nov 09, 2005 Reported by Mr. Lugar, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept. 109-6 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with 6 reservations and 5 declarations. 13 108-27 Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty with Germany Apr 06, 2006 Reported favorably by Mr. Lugar, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept. 109-14 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification.	Calendar No.	TREATY DOC. NO.	Subject	Reported By
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		THE JUDICIARY	
37	199	William Gerry Myers III, of Idaho, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Thomas G. Nelson, retired.	Mar 17, 2005 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEFENSE BASE CLOSURE AND REALIGNMENT COMMISSION	
* 40	283	Anthony Joseph Principi, of California, to be a Member of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission. (New Position)	Mar 17, 2005 Reported by Mr. Warner, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		MORRIS K. UDALL SCHOLORSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY FOUNDATION	
* 62	84	 D. Michael Rappoport, of Arizona, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008. (Reappointment) 	Apr 13, 2005 Reported by Mr. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		MORRIS K. UDALL SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY FOUNDATION	
* 63	85	Michael Butler, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008, vice Eric D. Eberhard, term expired.	Apr 13, 2005 Reported by Mr. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
169	192	Terrence W. Boyle, of North Carolina, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, vice J. Dickson Phillips, Jr., retired.	Jun 16, 2005 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
171	358	Alice S. Fisher, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, vice Christopher R. Wray.	Jun 16, 2005 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	
* 252	70	Peter Cyril Wyche Flory, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice Jack Dyer Crouch, II.	Jul 28, 2005 Reported by Mr. Warner, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 376	763	Bertha K. Madras, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy, vice Andrea G. Barthwell.	Oct 19, 2005 Reported by Mr. Enzi, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 390	756	C. Boyden Gray, of the District of Columbia, to be Representative of the United States of America to the European Union, with the rank and status of Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.	Oct 25, 2005 Reported by Mr. Lugar, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY BOARD	
407	674	A. J. Eggenberger, of Montana, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2008. (Reappointment)	Oct 27, 2005 Reported by Mr. Warner, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
* 439	683	Julie L. Myers, of Kansas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security, vice Michael J. Garcia.	Nov 07, 2005 Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent Agreement of 10-7-05.
			Oct 07, 2005 Reported by Ms. Collins, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, withou printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 443	840	Edward F. Sproat III, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Department of Energy, vice Margaret S. Y. Chu, resigned.	Nov 16, 2005 Reported by Mr. Domenici, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		NATIONAL SECURITY EDUCATION BOARD	
* 484	73	Andrew J. McKenna, Jr., of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Security Education Board for a term of four years, vice Robert N. Shamansky, term expired.	Dec 19, 2005 Reported by Mr. Warner, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
* 553	876	Richard Stickler, of West Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health, vice David D. Lauriski, resigned.	Mar 08, 2006 Reported by Mr. Enzi, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.
		FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION	
* 556	531	Arlene Holen, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring August 30, 2010, vice Robert H. Beatty, Jr., term expired.	Mar 08, 2006 Reported by Mr. Enzi, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 572	1089	David Longly Bernhardt, of Colorado, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior, vice Sue Ellen Wooldridge.	Mar 15, 2006 Reported by Mr. Domenici, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 573	1093	Raymond L. Orbach, of California, to be Under Secretary for Science, Department of Energy. (New Position)	Mar 15, 2006 Reported by Mr. Domenici, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
* 590	1162	Roger Shane Karr, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, vice Nicole R. Nason.	Mar 16, 2006 Reported by Mr. Stevens, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
* 591	1163	Tyler D. Duvall, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, vice Emil H. Frankel.	Mar 16, 2006 Reported by Mr. Stevens, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
* 592	1165	Nicole R. Nason, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, vice Jeffrey William Runge.	Mar 16, 2006 Reported by Mr. Stevens, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
* 593	1178	Thomas J. Barrett, of Alaska, to be Administrator of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation. (New Position)	Mar 16, 2006 Reported by Mr. Stevens, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION	
* 595	1278	Robert M. McDowell, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of five years from July 1, 2004, vice Kathleen Q. Abernathy, resigned.	Mar 16, 2006 Reported by Mr. Stevens, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	
* 613	1166	James B. Gulliford, of Missouri, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Stephen L. Johnson, resigned.	Apr 26, 2006 Reported by Mr. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
* 614	1347	William Ludwig Wehrum, Jr., of Tennessee, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Jeffrey R. Holmstead, resigned.	Apr 26, 2006 Reported by Mr. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
* 615	1374	Richard Capka, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration, vice Mary E. Peters, resigned.	Apr 26, 2006 Reported by Mr. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS	
* 621	1424	Daniel L. Cooper, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary for Benefits of the Department of Veterans Affairs for a term of four years. (Reappointment)	Apr 27, 2006 Reported by Mr. Craig, Committee on Veterans' Affairs, without printed report.
		POSTAL RATE COMMISSION	
* 622	1039	Mark D. Acton, of Kentucky, to be a Commissioner of the Postal Rate Commission for a term expiring October 14, 2010, vice Dana Bruce Covington, Sr., term expired.	May 02, 2006 Reported by Ms. Collins, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
624	1135	Norman Randy Smith, of Idaho, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Stephen S. Trott, retired.	May 04, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
626	1182	Renee Marie Bumb, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, vice William H. Walls, retired.	May 04, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
627	1186	Noel Lawrence Hillman, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, vice William G. Bassler, retired.	May 04, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
628	210	Peter G. Sheridan, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, vice Stephen M. Orlofsky, resigned.	May 04, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
629	1188	Susan Davis Wigenton, of New Jersey, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, vice John W. Bissell, retired.	May 04, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 630	1446	Dirk Kempthorne, of Idaho, to be Secretary of the Interior, vice Gale Ann Norton, resigned.	May 10, 2006 Reported by Mr. Domenici, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
632	1179	Brett M. Kavanaugh, of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, vice Laurence H. Silberman, retired.	May 11, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
633	206	Thomas L. Ludington, of Michigan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, vice Paul V. Gadola, retired.	May 11, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
634	207	Sean F. Cox, of Michigan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, vice Lawrence P. Zatkoff, retired.	May 11, 2006 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
* 640	1228	W. Ralph Basham, of Virginia, to be Commissioner of Customs, Department of Homeland Security, vice Robert C. Bonner, resigned.	May 18, 2006 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on Finance, without printed report.
		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 663	1529	Susan C. Schwab, of Maryland, to be United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, vice Robert J. Portman.	May 22, 2006 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on Finance, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
* 664	1176	David L. Norquist, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Homeland Security, vice Andrew B. Maner.	May 22, 2006 Reported by Ms. Collins, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.

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		OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT ETHICS	
* 665	1323	OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT ETHICS Robert Irwin Cusick, Jr., of Kentucky, to be Director of the Office of Government Ethics for a term of five years, vice Amy L. Comstock, resigned.	May 22, 2006 Reported by Ms. Collins, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK