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EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Wednesday, October 7, 1998



PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF GARY SISCO, SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

By David G. Marcos, Executive Clerk

Unanimous Consent Agreement

Ordered, That notwithstanding the provisions of Rule 22, the Majority Leader shall, not later than the close of business Thursday, October 8, 1998, proceed to executive session for the consideration of Cal. No. 619, William A. Fletcher, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

Ordered further, That there be 90 minutes of debate equally divided between the proponents and opponents of the nomination. Further requested, that following the debate, the Senate proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination and immediately following the vote proceed to confirmation en bloc of the following nominations on the Executive Calendar:

Cal. No. 803 H. Dean Buttram, Jr., of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama

Cal. No. 804 Inge Prytz Johnson, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama

Cal. No. 808 Robert Bruce King, of West Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit.

Ordered, further, That following the votes the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate then return to legislative session.

(October 6, 1998)

RESOLUTIONS

Calendar No.	Ex.Res No.	Subject	Reported By

TREATIES

Calendar No.	TREATY Doc. No.	Subject	Reported By

Calendar No.	Message No.	Nominee, Office, and Predecessor	Reported By
		UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE	
* 49	139	Joseph Lane Kirkland, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace for a term expiring January 19, 2001, (Reappointment)	Mar 18, 97 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 413	694	James Catherwood Hormel, of California, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Luxembourg.	Nov 4, 97 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
553	8	Richard A. Paez, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Cecil F. Poole, resigned.	Mar 19, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		STATE JUSTICE INSTITUTE	
597	960	Arthur A. McGiverin, of Iowa, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2000, vice Janie L. Shores, term expired.	Apr 30, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION	
* 601	551	Douglas S. Eakeley, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 1999. (Reappointment)	May 14, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
* 606	933	Seth D. Harris, of New York, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor, vice Maria Echaveste, resigned.	May 14, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		UNITED STATES ADVISORY COMMISSION ON PUBLIC DIPLOMACY	
* 612	861	Charles H. Dolan, Jr., of Virginia, to be a Member of the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2000. (Reappointment)	May 19, 98 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.

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		THE JUDICIARY	
619	7	William A. Fletcher, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice William Albert Norris, retired.	May 21, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
620	405	Ronnie L. White, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri vice George F. Gunn, Jr., retired.	May 21, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		REFORM BOARD (AMTRAK)	
647	1117	Sylvia de Leon, of Texas, to be a Member of the Reform Board (AMTRAK) for a term of five years. (New Position)	Jun 9, 98 Senate Committee on Commerce discharged. Pursuant to Public Law 105-134, Sec. 411.
		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 653	983	G. Edward DeSeve, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Director for Management, Office of Management and Budget, vice John A. Koskinen.	Jun 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Thompson, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
* 706	524	William Clyburn, Jr., of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board for a term expiring December 31, 2000, vice J. J. Simmons III, term expired.	Jul 9, 98 Reported by Mr. McCain, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
718	1110	Jose de Jesus Rivera, of Arizona, to be United States Attorney for the District of Arizona for the term of four years vice Janet Napolitano, resigned.	Jul 16, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 733	1222	Bert T. Edwards, of Maryland, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of State, vice Richard L. Greene, resigned.	Jul 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 734	1241	David G. Carpenter, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State, vice Eric James Boswell, resigned.	Jul 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.

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* 735	1242	David G. Carpenter, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Foreign Missions, and to have the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service, vice Eric James Boswell.	Jul 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 738	1252	Mary Beth West, of the District of Columbia, a Career Member of the Senior Executive Service, for the rank of Ambassador during her tenure of service as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans, Fisheries, and Space.	Jul 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Helms, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 783	796	Rebecca M. Blank, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers, vice Alicia Haydock Munnell, resigned.	Jul 30, 98 Reported by Mr. D'Amato, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
784	509	Rebecca R. Pallmeyer, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois vice william T. Hart, retired.	Jul 30, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
785	1000	Nora M. Manella, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California vice Mariana R. Pfaelzer, retired.	Jul 30, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
786	1023	Jeanne E. Scott, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, vice Richard H. Mills, retired.	Jul 30, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
787	1054	David R. Herndon, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois vice William L. Beatty, retired.	Jul 30, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	
* 793	1052	Nikki Rush Tinsley, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Environmental Protection Agency, vice John C. Martin, resigned.	 Jul 22, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report. Aug 10, 98 Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs discharged

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		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 794	1215	Susan G. Esserman, of Maryland, to be Deputy United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador, vice Jeffery M. Lang, resigned.	Sep 10, 98 Reported by Mr. Roth, Committee on Finance, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
795	1010	Timothy B. Dyk, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, vice Glenn L. Archer, Jr., retired.	Sep 15, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
797	1105	Alvin K. Hellerstein, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York vice Louis L. Stanton, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
798	1112	Richard M. Berman, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York vice Kevin Thomas Duffy, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
799	1113	Donovan W. Frank, of Minnesota, to be United States District Judge for the District of Minnesota vice David S. Doty, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
800	1114	Colleen McMahon, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York vice John F. Keenan, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
801	1115	William H. Pauley III, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York vice Peter K. Leisure, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
802	1142	Thomas J. Whelan, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California vice John S. Rhoades, Sr., retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
803	1338	H. Dean Buttram, Jr., of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama vice Robert B. Propst, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
804	1339	Inge Prytz Johnson, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama vice James H. Hancock, retired.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
805	1340	Robert Bruce Green, of Oklahoma, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Oklahoma for the term of four years vice John W. Raley, Jr., resigned.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
806	1294	Scott Richard Lassar, of Illinois, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois for the term of four years vice James B. Burns, resigned.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
807	1293	James A. Tassone, of Florida, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of Florida for the term of four years, vice Daniel J. Horgan.	Sep 17, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
808	1211	Robert Bruce King, of West Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, vice Kenneth K. Hall, resigned.	Sep 18, 98 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
* 809	1034	Henry L. Solano, of Colorado, to be Solicitor of the Department of Labor, vice Thomas S. Williamson, Jr.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	
* 810	1207	Jane E. Henney, of New Mexico, to be Commissioner of Food and Drugs, Department of Health and Human Services, vice David A. Kessler, resigned.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION	
* 811	1285	Thomasina V. Rogers, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 2003, vice Velma Montoya, term expired.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.

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		HARRY S TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION	
* 812	1326	Joseph E. Stevens, Jr., of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2003. (Reappointment)	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION	
* 813	871	Paul M. Igasaki, of California, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2002, (Reappointment), to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
* 814	1185	Ida L. Castro, of New York, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2003, vice Paul Steven Miller.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
* 815	1283	Paul Steven Miller, of California, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for the remainder of the term expiring July 1, 1999, vice Gilbert F. Casellas, resigned.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES	
* 816	736	Joy Harjo, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2002, vice William E. Strickland, Jr., term expired.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
* 817	1124	Joan Specter, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2002, vice Patricia Ann Brown, term expired.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Jeffords, Committee on Labor and Human Resources, without printed report.
		ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	
* 818	1281	Romulo L. Diaz, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Jonathan Z. Cannon, resigned.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafe Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.

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* 819	1282	J. Charles Fox, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Mary Delores Nichols.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
* 820	1304	Norine E. Noonan, of Florida, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Robert James Huggett, resigned.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		MORRIS K. UDALL SCH. & EXCELLENCE IN NATL ENV. POLICY FOUNDATION	
* 821	1335	Terrence L. Bracy, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy for a term expiring October 6, 2004. (Reappointment)	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 822	1319	Charles G. Groat, of Texas, to be Director of the United States Geological Survey, vice Gordon P. Eaton, resigned.	Sep 23, 98 Reported by Mr. Murkowski, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	
* 823	1289	Bernard Daniel Rostker, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Army, vice Robert M. Walker.	Sep 24, 98 Reported by Mr. Thurmond, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
851	205	Patricia A. Broderick, 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 Harriett Rosen Taylor, term expired.	Sep 24, 98 Reported by Mr. Thompson, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
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* 852	1209	Kenneth Prewitt, of New York, to be Director of the Census, vice Martha F. Riche, resigned.	Sep 24, 98 Reported by Mr. Thompson, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.

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		THE JUDICIARY	
854	1075	Natalia Combs Greene, 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 Stephen F. Eilperin.	Sep 24, 98 Reported by Mr. Thompson, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
855	1076	Neal E. Kravitz, 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 Paul Rainey Webber, III, term expired.	Sep 24, 98 Reported by Mr. Thompson, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 856	1325	Montie R. Deer, of Kansas, to be Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Commission for the term of three years, vice Tadd Johnson.	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. Campbell, Committee on Indian Affairs, without printed report.
		FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION	
* 857	1317	Michael M. Reyna, of California, to be a Member of the Farm Credit Administration Board, Farm Credit Administration, for a term expiring May 21, 2004, vice Doyle Cook, term expired.	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. Lugar, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, withou printed report.
		METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON AIRPORTS AUTHORITY	
* 858	236	Robert Clarke Brown, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term expiring November 22, 1999, vice Jack Edwards, term expired.	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. McCair Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
* 859	797	John Paul Hammerschmidt, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term of four years. (New Position)	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. McCain Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
860	1078	Norman Y. Mineta, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority for a term of six years. (New Position)	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. McCain Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
* 861	1311	Eugene A. Conti, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, vice Frank Eugene Kruesi, resigned.	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. McCain, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
* 862	1337	Peter J. Basso, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, vice Louise Frankel Stoll, resigned.	Oct 1, 98 Reported by Mr. McCain, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION	
* 865	1122	Greta Joy Dicus, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the term of five years expiring June 30, 2003. (Reappointment)	Oct 2, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
* 866	1430	Jeffrey S. Merrifield, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2002, vice Kenneth C. Rogers, term expired.	Oct 2, 98 Reported by Mr. Chafee, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		[NEW REPORTS]	
		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 867	1397	David Michaels, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Environment, Safety and Health), vice Tara Jeanne O'Toole, resigned.	Oct 6, 98 Reported by Mr. Murkowski, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
* 868	1396	Rose Eilene Gottemoeller, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Non-Proliferation and National Security), vice Archer L. Durham, resigned.	Oct 6, 98 Reported by Mr. Murkowski, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS	
* 869	907	Eligah Dane Clark, of Alabama, to be Chairman of the Board of Veterans' Appeals for a term of six years, vice Charles L. Cragin.	Oct 6, 98 Reported by Mr. Specter, Committee on Veterans Affairs, without printed report.

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* 870	949	Edward A. Powell, Jr., of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Management), vice D. Mark Catlett, resigned.	Oct 6, 98 Reported by Mr. Specter Committee on Veterans Affairs, without printed report.
* 871	1295	Leigh A. Bradley, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs, vice Mary Lou Keener, resigned.	Oct 6, 98 Reported by Mr. Specter Committee on Veterans Affairs, without printed report.

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK