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UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT General David H. Petraeus (Cal. No. 665) Lieutenant. General Raymond T. Odierno (Cal. No. 666)

Ordered, That on Thursday, July 10, 2008, at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader, following consultation with the Republican Leader, notwithstanding Rule XXII, if applicable, the Senate proceed to executive session to consider the nominations of Gen. David H. Petraeus and Lt. Gen. Raymond T. Odierno; there be 20 minutes of debate to run concurrently on both nominations, with the time equally divided and controlled between the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Committee on Armed Services, that upon the use or yielding back of time, the Senate proceed to vote on confirmation of the nominations in the order leader listed here; with the second vote in the sequence limited to 10 minutes in duration; that upon confirmation of the nominations, the motions to reconsider be laid on the table en bloc, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's actions, with no further motions in order, and that the Senate resume legislative session, and that any time utilized during executive session count post cloture, if applicable.

(July 9, 2008.)

RESOLUTIONS

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

TREATIES

Calendar No.	TREATY Doc. No.	Subject	Reported By
9	103-39	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea	Dec 19, 2007 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept.110-9 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with declarations, understandings, and conditions.
10	110-9	Protocol of Amendments to Convention on International Hydrographic Organization	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept.110-10 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification.
11	110-14	International Convention Against Doping in Sport	Jun 27, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations with printed Ex. Rept.110-11 and a resolution of advice and consent to ratification with one understanding, one declaration and one condition.

Calendar No.	Message No.	Nominee, Office, and Predecessor	Reported By
		UNITED STATES AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	
* 206	73	James R. Kunder, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, vice Frederick W. Schieck.	Jun 27, 2007 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
292	184	Rosa Emilia Rodriguez-Velez, of Puerto Rico, to be United States Attorney for the District of Puerto Rico for the term of four years, vice Humberto S. Garcia, resigned.	Aug 03, 2007 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
375	381	Michael J. Sullivan, of Massachusetts, to be Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives. (New Position)	Nov 08, 2007 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD	
* 403	722	Charles Russell Horner Shearer, of Delaware, to be a Member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years, vice Carolyn W. Merritt, term expiring.	Dec 06, 2007 Reported by Mrs. Boxer, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY	
* 406	725	Susan Richardson Williams, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2012. (Reappointment)	Dec 06, 2007 Reported by Mrs. Boxer, Committee on Environment and Public Works, without printed report.
		REFORM BOARD (AMTRAK)	
* 432	1047	Denver Stutler, Jr., of Florida, to be a Member of the Reform Board (Amtrak) for a term of five years, vice David McQueen Laney, term expiring.	Dec 18, 2007 Reported by Mr. Inouye, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without printed report.
		BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS	
* 453	71	Mark McKinnon, of Texas, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2009, vice Fayza Veronique Boulad Rodman, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.

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* 454	990	Joaquin F. Blaya, of Florida, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2008. (Reappointment)	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 455	991	Joaquin F. Blaya, of Florida, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2011. (Reappointment)	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 456	992	Edward E. Kaufman, of Delaware, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2009. (Reappointment)	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 457	993	Susan M. McCue, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2010, vice Norman J. Pattiz, term expired.	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 458	994	Dennis M. Mulhaupt, of California, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2008, vice Blanquita Walsh Cullum, term expired.	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 459	996	Steven J. Simmons, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2009. (Reappointment)	Feb 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 508	112	William Raymond Steiger, of Wisconsin, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Mozambique.	Mar 13, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
* 525	1199	D. Kathleen Stephens, of Montana, 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 Korea.	Apr 22, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 565	1496	Kameran L. Onley, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, vice Mark A. Limbaugh.	May 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resource without printed report.

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		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 566	1538	Jeffrey F. Kupfer, of Maryland, to be Deputy Secretary of Energy, vice Jeffrey Clay Sell, resigned.	May 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Bingaman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.
		FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD	
* 567	488	Alejandro Modesto Sanchez, of Florida, to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring October 11, 2010. (Reappointment)	May 08, 2008 Reported by Mr. Lieberman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
* 568	489	Gordon James Whiting, of New York, to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring September 25, 2010. (Reappointment)	May 08, 2008 Reported by Mr. Lieberman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
* 569	490	Andrew Saul, of New York, to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring September 25, 2008. (Reappointment)	May 08, 2008 Reported by Mr. Lieberman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
* 570	491	Andrew Saul, of New York, to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring September 25, 2012. (Reappointment)	May 08, 2008 Reported by Mr. Lieberman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without printed report.
		ARMY	
* 601	1639-2	The following Army National Guard of the United States officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grades indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 12203 and 12211:	May 22, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		to be Major General	
		Brigadier General Thomas C. Lawing	

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

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		DEPARTMENT OF STATE	
* 645	1499	Philip Thomas Reeker, of the District of Columbia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Macedonia.	Jun 24, 2008 Reported by Mr. Biden, Committee on Foreign Relations, without printed report.
		ARMY	
* 665	1641	The following named officer for 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., section 601:	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		to be General	
		Gen. David H. Petraeus	
* 666	1643	The following named officer for 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., section 601:	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
		to be General	
		Lt. Gen. Raymond T. Odierno	
		DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	
* 683	1175	Nelson M. Ford, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of the Army, vice Preston M. Geren.	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
* 684	1351	Joseph A. Benkert, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice Peter Cyril Wyche Flory, resigned.	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
* 685	1645	Sean Joseph Stackley, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, vice Delores M. Etter, resigned.	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.
* 686	1755	Frederick S. Celec, of Virginia, to be Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Nuclear and Chemical and Biological Defense Programs, vice Dale Klein, resigned	Jun 26, 2008 Reported by Mr. Levin, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report.

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		THE JUDICIARY	
687	1635	Paul G. Gardephe, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Charles L. Brieant, Jr., retired.	Jul 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
688	1458	Kiyo A. Matsumoto, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York, vice Edward R. Korman, retired.	Jul 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
689	1459	Cathy Seibel, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Richard Conway Casey, deceased.	Jul 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
690	1137	Glenn T. Suddaby, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of New York, vice Lawrence E. Kahn, retired.	Jul 07, 2008 Reported by Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY	
* 691	1048	Eric M. Thorson, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury, vice Harold Damelin, resigned.	Jul 08, 2008 Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs discharged pursuant to an order of January 9, 2007.
			Jun 18, 2008 Reported by Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without printed report.
		[NEW REPORTS]	
		COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION	
* 692	907	Walter Lukken, of Indiana, to be Chairman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, vice Rueben Jeffery III.	Jul 09, 2008 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report.
* 693	1546	Bartholomew H. Chilton, of Delaware, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for a term expiring April 13, 2013. (Reappointment)	Jul 09, 2008 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report.

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* 694	1547	Scott O'Malia, of Michigan, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for a term expiring April 13, 2012, vice Rueben Jeffery III, resigned.	Jul 09, 2008 Reported by Mr. Harkin, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS	
* 695	1596	Christine O. Hill, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Congressional Affairs), vice Thomas E. Harvey, resigned.	Jul 09, 2008 Reported by Mr. Akaka, Committee on Veterans' Affairs, without printed report.

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK

NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBJECT TO PROCEEDING

When following the objection to a unanimous consent to proceeding to, and, or passage of, a measure or matter on their behalf, a Senator has notified the appropriate leader, or their designee, in writing and submits such objection for inclusion in the Congressional Record and the Senate Executive Calendar, it shall be placed in the section of the Executive Calendar entitled "Notice of Intent to Object to Proceeding". (Sec. 512, P.L. 110-81)

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