# SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH CONGRESS

CONVENED JANUARY 7, 2003 FIRST SESSION {

SECOND SESSION {

# **EXECUTIVE CALENDAR**

Thursday, March 13, 2003



PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF EMILY J. REYNOLDS, SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

By Michelle Haynes, Executive Clerk

#### UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENTS

#### Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works

*Ordered*, That when the nomination for the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works is received by the Senate, it be referred to the Committee on Armed Services, provided that when the Committee on Armed Services reports the nomination, it be referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works for a period of 20 days of session;

Ordered further, That if the Committee on Environment and Public Works does not report the nomination within those 20 days, the Committee be discharged from further consideration of the nomination and the nomination be placed on the Executive Calendar. (March 11, 2003.)

#### Thomas A. Varlan (Cal. No. 53)

*Ordered,* That on Thursday, March 13, 2003, following the vote on S. 3, the Senate proceed to executive session to vote on the confirmation of Thomas A. Varlan, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Tennessee with no other intervening action.

#### Miguel A. Estrada (Cal. No. 21)

*Ordered*, That at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 13, 2003, the Senate proceed to executive session to resume consideration of the nomination of Miguel A. Estrada, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia, with the time until 12:30 p.m. equally divided in the usual form;

*Ordered further,* That relative to the motion to invoke cloture on Miguel A. Estrada, the live quorum under Rule XXII be waived.

Ordered further, That at 12:30 p.m., the vote occur on the motion to invoke cloture.

#### Jay S. Bybee (Cal. No. 36)

*Ordered,* That on Thursday, March 13, 2003, following the cloture vote on the Estrada nomination, regardless of the outcome, the Senate proceed to the consideration of the nomination of Jay S. Bybee, of Nevada, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

*Ordered further*, That there be six hours for debate equally divided in the usual form and that following the use or yielding back of time the Senate proceed to a vote on the confirmation of the nomination.

#### William H. Steele (Cal. No. 52)

*Ordered,* That the Senate immediately proceed to vote on the nomination of William H. Steele, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Alabama.

#### J. Daniel Breen (Cal. No. 54)

*Ordered,* That the Senate immediately vote on the nomination of J. Daniel Breen, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee.

*Ordered further*, That following the votes, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's actions, and the Senate return to legislative session, with all of the above occurring without intervening action or debate. (*March 12, 2003.*)

# RESOLUTIONS

Calendar No.	Ex.Res No.	Subject	Reported By

## TREATIES

Calendar No.	TREATY Doc. No.	Subject	Reported By

### NOMINATIONS

Calendar No.	Message No.	Nominee, Office, and Predecessor	Reported By
		FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION	
* 17	81	Stanley C. Suboleski, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission for a term of six years expiring August 30, 2006, vice Marc Lincoln Marks, term expired.	Jan 23, 2003 Reported by Mr. Gregg, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.
		OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION	
* 18	82	W. Scott Railton, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 2007, vice Gary L. Visscher, term expired.	Jan 23, 2003 Reported by Mr. Gregg, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
21	6	Miguel A. Estrada, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, vice Patricia M. Wald, retired.	Jan 30, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed repor
32	15	Jeffrey S. Sutton, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, vice David A. Nelson, retired.	Feb 13, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed repor
34	5	Deborah L. Cook, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, vice Alan E. Norris, retired.	Feb 27, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed repor
35	13	John G. Roberts, Jr., of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, vice James L. Buckley, retired.	Feb 27, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed repor
36	4	Jay S. Bybee, of Nevada, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Procter R. Hug, Jr., retired.	Feb 27, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch, Committee on the Judiciary, without printed repor
		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT	
* 46	106	Linda M. Springer, of Pennsylvania, to be Controller, Office of Federal Financial Management, Office of Management and Budget, vice Mark W. Everson.	Mar 5, 2003 Reported by Ms. Collins, Committee on Governmental Affairs, without printed report.

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

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		UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION	
* 48	114	Daniel Pearson, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the United States International Trade Commission for the term expiring December 16, 2011, vice Lynn M. Bragg, term expired.	Mar 5, 2003 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on Finance without printed report.
* 49	113	Charlotte A. Lane, of West Virginia, to be a Member of the United States International Trade Commission for a term expiring December 16, 2009, vice Dennis M. Devaney.	Mar 5, 2003 Reported by Mr. Grassley, Committee on Finance without printed report.
		THE JUDICIARY	
52	32	William H. Steele, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Alabama, vice Richard W. Vollmer, Jr., retired.	Mar 6, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatcl Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
53	31	Thomas A. Varlan, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Tennessee, vice Robert Leon Jordan, retired.	Mar 6, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
54	18	J. Daniel Breen, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee, vice Julia Smith Gibbons, elevated.	Mar 6, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
55	16	Timothy M. Tymkovich, of Colorado, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Tenth Circuit, vice John C. Porfilio, retired.	Mar 6, 2003 Reported by Mr. Hatch Committee on the Judiciary, without printed report.
		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 56	293	Linton F. Brooks, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Nuclear Security, Department of Energy, vice General John A. Gordon, USAF, resigned.	Mar 6, 2003 Reported by Mr. Warner, Committee on Armed Services, without printed report
		DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	
* 60	287	Ross Owen Swimmer, of Oklahoma, to be Special Trustee, Office of Special Trustee for American Indians, Department of the Interior, vice Thomas N. Slonaker, resigned.	Mar 7, 2003 Reported by Mr. Campbell, Committee on Indian Affairs, without printed report.

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		[NEW REPORTS]	
		DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	
* 61	148	Joseph Timothy Kelliher, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2007, vice Linda Key Breathitt, term expired.	Mar 12, 2003 Reported by Mr. Domenici, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without printed report.

NOMINATIONS PLACED ON THE SECRETARY'S DESK