Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Stephen Alan Owens, of Arizona, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Daniel Ginsberg, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

John M. McHugh, of New York, to be Secretary of the Army.

Patricia D. Cahill, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2014.

Anthony Marion Babauta, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Samuel D. Hamilton, of Mississippi, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Jon M. Huntsman, Jr., of Utah, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.

Douglas W. Kmiec, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta.

Earl Michael Irving, of California, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Swaziland.

Jonathan S. Addleton, of Georgia, to be Ambassador to Mongolia.

Gayleatha Beatrice Brown, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Burkina Faso.

David H. Thorne, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Italian Republic, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of San Marino.

George H. Cohen, of Virginia, to be Federal Mediation and Conciliation Director.

Joseph A. Main, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health.

Rafael Borras, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Management, Department of Homeland Security.

Peggy E. Gustafson, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, Small Business Administration. **Page S7151**

Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Philip Mudd, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Intelligence and Analysis, Department of Homeland Security, which was sent to the Senate on May 4, 2009. **Page S7151**

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—217) **Pages S7126, S7127**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 7:12 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 7, 2009. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7150.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS: MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, AND RELATED AGENCIES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies approved for full committee consideration an original bill making appropriations for Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies for fiscal year 2010.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, July 7, 2009, pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 31.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.