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For appointment as Foreign Service Officer of Class Four, Consular Officer and Secretary in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America, effective May 29, 1997:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Christine Anne Harold, of Maryland

The following-named Members of the Foreign Service of the Department of Commerce and the Department of State and the U.S. Information Agency to be Consular Officers and/or Secretaries in the Diplomatic Service of the U.S. of America, as indicated:

Consular Officers and Secretaries in the Diplomatic Service of the United States of America:

Abigail Kessler Aronson, of New Jersey
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 Brian S. Austin, of Virginia
 Martha L. Austin, of Virginia
 Alan M. Browning, of Virginia
 Richard C. Bulman, Jr., of Florida
 Don L. Brown, of Texas
 Elaine A. Byers, of Virginia
 Peter Callamari, of Virginia
 John M. Cardwell, of Virginia
 Florence Carson, of Virginia
 Marc Walter Carson, of Virginia
 Cheryl D. Comfort-Carter, of Virginia
 Erin Crowe, of Michigan
 Linda Elisa Daetwyler, of California
 Gary A. Dziedzic, of Virginia
 Cheryl L. Eichorn, of Virginia
 Albert Elgamil, of Virginia
 Jose M. Estevez, of Puerto Rico
 Randolph Francis Fagan, Jr., of Virginia
 Robert L. Farris, of Virginia
 David Eric Fass, of Virginia
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 Daniel T. Froats, of California
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 Russell C. Gilger, of Virginia
 Terry Arthur Ginsburg, of Virginia
 Joshua D. Glazeroff, of New York
 Caren F. Gordon, of Virginia
 Christopher J. Green, of Virginia
 Giselle C. Griggs, of Maryland
 George K. Hale, of Washington
 Sabina Ann Hasmi, of Virginia
 James W. Hentschel, of Virginia
 David Alan Higdon, of Texas
 John J. Hill, of Alabama
 Michelle M. Hopkins, of California
 James C. Hsu, of Texas
 Anthony N. Ieronimo, of New Jersey
 S. George Imredy, of the District of Columbia
 Christopher Lee Jaeger, of Maryland

Thomas T. Kim, of Virginia
 Douglas Alan Kriesel, of the District of Columbia
 Sanjai Kumar, of Virginia
 Julie Lange, of Virginia
 Betty Jo Little, of the District of Columbia
 LizaBeth Lowell, of Florida
 Kathleen A. Lundy, of Virginia
 George W. Lynn, of Virginia
 Jose Elias Merrero, of Florida
 Jacques L. Massengill, of Virginia
 Robert Peter McCarthy, of New York
 John M. McCaslin, of Ohio
 Francis M. McGuinness, of Virginia
 Mitzi M. McNamara, of Virginia
 Theresa M. Michaud, of Virginia
 William L. Moyer, of Virginia
 Barbara Beth Morrison, of New Jersey
 Susan V. Naraine, of the District of Columbia
 Martin A. Newell, of Maryland
 David Roy O'Connor, of the District of Columbia
 Darin K. Olson, of Virginia
 Michael Andrew Ordenez, of Washington
 Douglas L. Padget, of Virginia
 Kenneth L. Parson, of Virginia
 Rebecca Ann Pasine, of Indiana
 Troy Eric Pederson, of Virginia
 Rosetta Perri, of Pennsylvania
 J. Philip Plowman, of Virginia
 David B. Ponsar, of California
 John David Radel, of Virginia
 Hope C. Rawding, of Virginia
 Scott Michael Renner, of Colorado
 Deborah Carrie Rhea, of Virginia
 Nicholas E. Reynolds, of Virginia
 John P. Richardson, of Virginia
 John C. Roberts, of Mississippi
 Abigail Elizabeth Rupp, of Virginia
 Cynthia M. Saddy, of Virginia
 Luis A. Santos, of Maryland
 Amy Wing Schedlbauer, of Texas
 Michael B. Schneider, of Virginia
 Brian G. Scott, of Virginia
 James Semivan, of Virginia
 Janet E. Seng, of Pennsylvania
 Kathleen F. Seroskie, of Virginia
 Scott A. Shaw, of Illinois
 Rita M. Sheehan, of Virginia
 Vincent P. Shugrue, of Virginia
 David J. Smith, of Maryland
 Lyn R. Sumner, of Virginia
 Gavin Alexander Sundwall, of North Carolina
 Andrew J. Tichava, of Virginia
 Nancy E. Totten, of Virginia
 William M. Totten, of Virginia
 Dee B. White, of Virginia
 Teresa Wilkin, of the District of Columbia
 Sean Michael Wiswesser, of Virginia
 Charles M. Wolf, Jr., of Virginia
 Kristin Marie Wood, of Virginia
 David Michael Zimov, of Ohio

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed, subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. BINGAMAN:

S. 1210. A bill to authorize the acquisition of the geologic formation known as the Valles Caldera currently managed by the Baca Land and Cattle Company, and to provide for an effective management program

for this resource within the Department of Agriculture, and consistent land management to protect the watershed of the Bandelier National Monument; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. HELMS:

S. 1211. An original bill to provide permanent authority for the administration of au pair programs; from the Committee on Foreign Relations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. DORGAN:

S. 1212. A bill to amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to clarify that records of arrival or departure are not required to be collected for purposes of the automated entry-exit control system developed under 110 of such Act for Canadians who are not otherwise required to possess a visa, passport, or border crossing identification card; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HOLLINGS (for himself, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. KERRY, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. INOUE, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. AKAKA, and Mr. MURKOWSKI):

S. 1213. A bill to establish a National Ocean Council, a Commission on Ocean Policy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. ALLARD:

S. 1214. A bill to amend the Line Item Veto Act of 1996 to eliminate the requirement that a Federal budget deficit must exist in order for the President to use the line-item veto authority; to the Committee on the Budget and the Committee on Governmental Affairs, jointly, pursuant to the order of August 4, 1977, as modified by the order of April 11, 1986, with instructions that if one Committee reports, the other Committee have thirty days to report or be discharged.

By Mr. ASHCROFT:

S. 1215. A bill to prohibit spending Federal education funds on national testing; to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources.

By Mr. ROTH:

S. 1216. An original bill to approve and implement the OECD Shipbuilding Trade Agreement; from the Committee on Finance; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. HOLLINGS:

S. 1217. A bill for the relief of Olga Gorgiladze; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KERREY:

S. 1218. A bill to assure the integrity of information, transportation and telecommunications upon the arrival of the year 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. HELMS:

S. Res. 123. An original resolution honoring the memory of former Peace Corps Director Loret Miller Ruppe; from the Committee on Foreign Relations; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. ROTH (for himself, Mr. THOMAS, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. GRAMS):

S. Res. 124. A resolution to state the sense of the Senate that members of the Khmer Rouge who participated in the Cambodian genocide should be brought to justice before an international tribunal for crimes against humanity; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI:

S. Res. 125. A resolution commending Dr. Jason C. Hu, Representative of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office