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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Mary Ann Solberg, of Michigan, to be Deputy Director of National Drug Control Policy. (New Position)

Small Business Administration

Thomas M. Sullivan, of Massachusetts, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration, Vик И. Walston Glover, Designated.

Public Health Service

The following candidates for personnel actions in the regular component of the Public Health Service subject to qualifications thereof as provided by law and regulations:

To be medical director

Kitty M. Gonzalez

To be senior surgeon

Vito M. Caserta

Lewis L. Sides

Mary L. Kamb

Dawn L. Wylie

To be surgeon

Andrew Blauvelt

Michael J. Bogard

J. Russell Bowman

Monica E. Parise

Lisa C. Rider

Angail M. Shepper

Darryl F. Stone

To be assistant surgeon general

Daina L. Batts- Osborne

Stephen M. Hewitt

James P. Landy

John T. King

Alexander K. Kowr

Stephen M. Hugd

Seymour G. Williams

To be assistant dental surgeon

Michael L. Campsmith

A. Isabel Garcia

To be dental surgeon

Ronald R. Bajuqsk

Tanja M. Majitas

Wilnetta A. Swirtling

Michael J. Whaler

To be senior assistant surgeon general

Dawn A. Breeden

Katherine T. Cotton

Brayan S. Davson

Stanley K. Gordon

Maria-Paz G. Smith

Valarie D. Wilson

To be nurse officer

Robert E. Eaton

Mary L. Lambert

Susanne R. Rorh

Marjorie Lynn Wifman

To be assistant nurse officer

Kileen D. Bonneau

Ruth M. Coleman

Terri L. Bozds

Susan D. Hellis

Barbara W. Kilbourne

Gwethlyn J. Sabatino

Amanda S. Waugaman

To be nurse officer

Thomas C. Arimo

Disharol M. Carter

Charles D. Dukr Jr.

Kerya R. Gammabando

Mary C. Karlson

Julie D. King

Kimberey M. MOCK

Lisa C. Fink

Lavernuck Puckett

Kerya R. Boss

Michael J. Sanchez

Jeanne D. Shaffer

Steven M. Lescet

To be assistant nurse officer

Benjamin F. Brown Jr.

Shirica A. Hunter

Patricia A. Mitchell

Todd A. Ridge

Jacob Ruiz-Colon

Tona L. Sawyer

Thomas E. Stanley

Roberi K. Taylor

To be engineer officer

Kevin B. Milner
To be senior assistant engineer officer
DONALD C. ANTROBUS
MARK A. CALKINS
EDWARD A. CAYOUS
TRACY D. GILCHRIST
STEVEN M. MOGOVERN
Dale M. MORGAN
JEFFREY S. REYNOLDS
HILDA P. SCHERER-GUIVEL
JERRY A. SMITH
MICHAEL A. STOVUR
DAHRAH A. TILLOCK
MARY M. WHRIR

To be assistant pharmacist
DANIEL C. WEAVER
To be assistant therapist
CORBY S. DABE

To be senior health services officer
ILZE L. RUNDINS
To be health services officer
STEVEN M. GLOVER
DARLANE A. MARRIS
CARMENCITA T. PALMA
JULIA A. STOKES

To be senior assistant sanitary
SHERLIND BAILEY
KATHY L. BALASASCR
MARINA A. BANKS
JOHN R. BALASCO
JULIE WOODFORD BLACK
DAWN BLACK
SANDRA L. FERGUSON
KATHLEEN D. HEDDEN
MARY C. BOLLISTER
DAVID W. KEEPER
SCOTT A. MIDDLEKAUFF
GODWIN O. OJIA
ELIZABETH A. PIEBBO
BRIAN R. RICHMOND
BENNET S. ROSSON
LISA D. STARNES
SCOTT W. TOLGA
GILBERT R. VARNEY JR.
KIMBERLY A. WALKER

To be senior assistant therapist
PARDIS M. SADIRI
AMANDA D. STORDAG

IN THE COAST GUARD
THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 14, U.S.C., SECTION 271:

To be rear admiral
BRAE ADM. (LH) JAMES C. OLSON, 0000
BRAE ADM. (LH) JAMES W. UNDERWOOD, 0000
BRAE ADM. (LH) RALPH D. UTLEY, 0000
BRAE ADM. (LH) KENNETH T. VENTO, 0000

IN THE AIR FORCE
THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE AIR FORCE, TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be brigadier general
COL. DAVID F. BRUBAKER, 0000
COL. MICHAEL W. CORBIN, 0000

IN THE ARMY
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:

To be lieutenant general
LT. GEN. LARRY R. JORDAN, 0000

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:

To be general
LT. GEN. PAUL J. KIRK, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be major general
BRIGADIER GENERAL KEITH R. ALEXANDER, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL ELDON A. DARGUEWILL, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL JOHN R. BATSESTE, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL BENNET S. ROSSON, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL CLAUS C. JOHNSEN, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBERT H. THOMPSON, 0000
BRIGADIER GENERAL PAUL D. RATHON, 0000