The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 10, 2001 at 2:15 p.m. to hold a business meeting.

The committee will consider and vote on the following agenda items:

Nominations:
1. The Honorable Robert D. Blackwell, of Kansas, to be Ambassador to India.
2. The Honorable Wendy J. Chamberlin, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
3. Mr. William A. Eaton, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State (Administration).
4. Mr. Clark K. Ervin, of Texas, to be Inspector General, Department of State.
5. Mr. William S. Farish, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
6. Mr. Anthony H. Golia, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta.
7. Mr. Douglas A. Hartwick, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Lao People's Democratic Republic.
8. The Honorable Daniel C. Kurtzer, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Israel.
9. Mr. Howard H. Leach, of California, to be Ambassador to France.
10. Mr. Pierre-Richard Prosper, of California, to be Ambassador at Large for War Crimes Issues.
11. Mr. Clark T. Randt, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.
12. Mr. Charles J. Swindells, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to New Zealand, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Samoa.
13. General Francis X. Taylor, of Maryland, to be Coordinator for Counterterrorism, with the rank of Ambassador at Large.
15. The Honorable Margaret D. Tutwiler, of Alabama, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco.
16. The Honorable C. David Welch, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Arab Republic of Egypt.

FSC promotion list—Mr. Morrisson, et. al., dated June 12, 2001.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 10, 2001 at 2:30 p.m. to hold a nomination hearing on Mrs. Lori A. Forman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator (for Asia and Near East) of the United States Agency for International Development.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Airland of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 10, 2001, at 2:30 p.m., in open session, to receive testimony on the F-22 Aircraft Program, in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2002 and the Future Years Defense Program.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. ENZI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Patrick Thompson, who is from my committee staff, be granted the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 125 submitted earlier today by Senators Cantwell and Murray.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res 125) commemorating the 72nd Major League Baseball All-Star game and to congratulate the Seattle Mariners on hosting the All-Star game and on their extraordinary start to the season.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Ms. CANTWELL. Mr. President, today I rise to introduce a resolution to commemorate the 72nd Major League Baseball All-Star Game and to congratulate the Seattle Mariners on their extraordinary start to the season.

The game of baseball is widely considered America's pastime. Walt Whitman once said: 'I see great things in baseball. It's our game—the American game. It will take our people out of doors, fill them with oxygen, give them a larger physical stoicism, tend to relieve us from being a nervous, dyspeptic set, repair these losses, and be a blessing to us.'

Baseball also has been a reflection of our nation's struggles and triumphs. During the Civil War, soldiers played baseball during their free moments, whether in a fort or in a prison camp. In 1942, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt requested that professional baseball continue during the war effort to help maintain our nation's morale, even as baseball stars such as Ted Williams and Bob Feller contributed to the war effort on the front lines as soldiers. During the civil rights movement, Jackie Robinson epitomized the struggle of African Americans as he broke baseball's color barrier and continued to fight prejudice throughout his career. Now today, as our world has become smaller, the game has become larger, uniting fans and attracting star players from around the world.

The All-Star game is a showcase of this special sport and of baseball's most talented players, selected by baseball fans around the world and by