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There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the concurrent resolution:

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements relating thereto be printed in the RECORD.

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

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 174) was agreed to.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

NOMINATION OF OTHONEIL ARMENDARIZ TO BE A MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL LABOR RELATIONS AUTHORITY

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to executive session to consider the following nominations reported earlier today by the Government Affairs Committee:

Othoniell Armendariz, to be a member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority; Kay Coles James, to be the Director of the Office of Personnel Management; that the nominations be confirmed, the motions to reconsider be laid on the table, that any statements thereon appear at the appropriate place in the RECORD, and that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action.

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

The nominations considered and confirmed are as follows:

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Kay Coles James, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

FEDERAL LABOR RELATIONS AUTHORITY

Othoniell Armendariz, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 2005.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to executive session to consider the following nominations: Nos. 182 through 219 and all nominations on the Secretary's desk; that the nominations be confirmed, en bloc; that any statements therein be printed at the appropriate place in the RECORD; the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table; the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate vote at a time to be determined by the two leaders on the nomination; that upon the disposition of the nomination, the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action, and the Senate return to legislative session.

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

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will now return to legislative session.

ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that following the remarks of Senator MURRAY and Senator

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