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Robert Pasternack,
of New Mexico, to be Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, vice Judith Heumann, resigned.

Mark Edward Rey,
of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Natural Resources and Environment, vice James R. Lyons.

Mary Ellen Coster Williams,
of Maryland, to be a Judge of the U.S. Court of Federal Claims for a term of 15 years, vice Sarah L. Wilson.

Joanne M. Wilson,
of Louisiana, to be Commissioner of the Rehabilitation Services Administration, Department of Education, vice Frederic K. Schroeder, resigned.

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Peter R. Chaveas,
of Pennsylvania, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Sierra Leone.

Richard R. Clifton,
of Hawaii, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice Cynthia Holcomb Hall, retired.

Richard Henry Jones,
of Nebraska, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the State of Kuwait.

Carolyn B. Kuhl,
of California, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, vice James R. Browning, retired.

Nancy J. Powell,
of Iowa, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Ghana.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released June 16

Transcript of a press briefing by Secretary of State Colin L. Powell and National Security Adviser Condoleezza Rice on the President's meeting with President Putin of Russia

Released June 18

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to the State of Florida

Released June 19

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary on the appointment of Stephen E. Biegun as Executive Secretary of the National Security Council

Announcement: President Bush Appoints his First Class of White House Fellows

Released June 20

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Released June 21

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to the State of Mississippi

Released June 22

Statement by the Press Secretary: U.S.-Poland Comprehensive Trade Package

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Acts Approved by the President

NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.