

(2) does not include the Vice President.

(c) **TIMELY APPROVAL OF CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET.**—If both Houses of Congress have not approved a concurrent resolution on the budget as described under section 301 of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 (2 U.S.C. 632) for a fiscal year before October 1 of that fiscal year, the pay of each Member of Congress may not be paid for each day following that October 1 until the date on which both Houses of Congress approve a concurrent resolution on the budget for that fiscal year.

(d) **NO PAY WITHOUT CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no funds may be appropriated or otherwise be made available from the United States Treasury for the pay of any Member of Congress during any period determined by the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the Senate or the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the House of Representatives under subsection (e).

(2) **NO RETROACTIVE PAY.**—A Member of Congress may not receive pay for any period determined by the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the Senate or the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the House of Representatives under subsection (e), at any time after the end of that period.

(e) **DETERMINATIONS.**—

(1) **SENATE.**—

(A) **REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATIONS.**—On October 1 of each year, the Secretary of the Senate shall submit a request to the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the Senate for certification of determinations made under subparagraph (B)(i) and (ii).

(B) **DETERMINATIONS.**—The Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the Senate shall—

(i) on October 1 of each year, make a determination of whether Congress is in compliance with subsection (d) and whether Senators may not be paid under that subsection; and

(ii) determine the period of days following each October 1 that Senators may not be paid under subsection (d); and

(iii) provide timely certification of the determinations under clauses (i) and (ii) upon the request of the Secretary of the Senate.

(2) **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.**—

(A) **REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATIONS.**—On October 1 of each year, the Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives shall submit a request to the Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the House of Representatives for certification of determinations made under subparagraph (B)(i) and (ii).

(B) **DETERMINATIONS.**—The Chairperson of the Committee on the Budget of the House of Representatives shall—

(i) on October 1 of each year, make a determination of whether Congress is in compliance with subsection (d) and whether Senators may not be paid under that subsection; and

(ii) determine the period of days following each October 1 that Senators may not be paid under subsection (d); and

(iii) provide timely certification of the determinations under clauses (i) and (ii) upon the request of the Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives.

(f) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—This section shall take effect on February 1, 2013.

SA 528. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice

in resolving the budget deficit; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of the bill, add the following:

SEC. 2. INCLUSION OF APPLICATION TO INDEPENDENT REGULATORY AGENCIES.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 421(1) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 (2 U.S.C. 658(1)) is amended by striking “, but does not include independent regulatory agencies”.

(b) **EXEMPTION FOR MONETARY POLICY.**—The Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.) is amended by inserting after section 5 the following:

“SEC. 6. EXEMPTION FOR MONETARY POLICY.

“Nothing in title II, III, or IV shall apply to rules that concern monetary policy proposed or implemented by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System or the Federal Open Market Committee.”.

SA 529. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; as follows:

At the end, add the following new section:

SEC 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

The provisions of this Act shall become effective 3 days after enactment.

SA 530. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 529 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; as follows:

In the amendment, strike “3”, insert “2”.

SA 531. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; as follows:

On page 2, line 10, after “deficit” strike all that follows and insert the following:

“(1) should require that those earning \$1,000,000 or more per year make a more meaningful contribution to the deficit reduction effort; and

(2) should not end Medicare as we know it.”

SA 532. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 531 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; as follows:

After “Medicare”, strike all that follows and insert “and Medicaid as we know it.”.

SA 533. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 532 proposed by Mr. REID to the amendment SA 531 proposed by Mr. REID to the bill S. 1323, to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; as follows:

Strike “we” and insert “all Americans”.

NOTICE OF HEARING

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. AKAKA. Mr. President, I would like to announce that the Committee on Indian Affairs will meet on Thursday, July 14, 2011, at 2:15 p.m. in room 628 of the Dirksen Senate Office Build-

ing to conduct a business meeting to consider the nominations of Cynthia Chavez Lamar, Barbara Jean Ells and Debra Downing Goodman to serve as Members, Board of Trustees, Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development; to be followed immediately by an oversight hearing entitled “Native Women: Protecting, Shielding, and Safeguarding Our Sisters, Mothers, and Daughters.”

Those wishing additional information may contact the Indian Affairs Committee at (202) 224-2251.

NATIONAL CHILD AWARENESS MONTH

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent we now proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 231.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. BLUMENTHAL). The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 231) designating September 2011 as ‘National Child Awareness Month’ to promote awareness of charities benefiting children and youth-serving organizations throughout the United States and recognizing efforts made by those charities and organizations on behalf of children and youth as critical contributions to the future of the United States.

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

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 231) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. RES. 231

Whereas millions of children and youth in the United States represent the hopes and future of the United States;

Whereas numerous individuals, charities benefitting children, and youth-serving organizations that work with children and youth collaborate to provide invaluable services to enrich and better the lives of children and youth throughout the United States;

Whereas raising awareness of, and increasing support for, organizations that provide access to healthcare, social services, education, the arts, sports, and other services will result in the development of character and the future success of the children and youth of the United States;

Whereas the month of September, as the school year begins, is a time when parents, families, teachers, school administrators, and communities increase their focus on children and youth throughout the United States;

Whereas the month of September is a time for the people of the United States to highlight and be mindful of the needs of children and youth;

Whereas private corporations and businesses have joined with hundreds of national and local charitable organizations throughout the United States in support of a month-long focus on children and youth; and

Whereas designating September 2011 as “National Child Awareness Month” would

recognize that a long-term commitment to children and youth is in the public interest, and will encourage widespread support for charities and organizations that seek to provide a better future for the children and youth of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate designates September 2011 as "National Child Awareness Month"—

(1) to promote awareness of charities benefitting children and youth-serving organizations throughout the United States; and

(2) to recognize efforts made by those charities and organizations on behalf of children and youth as critical contributions to the future of the United States.

ORDERS FOR TUESDAY, JULY 12, 2011

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 10 a.m., Tuesday, July 12; that following the prayer and pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; that following any leader remarks, the Senate proceed to a period of morning business for 1 hour, with Senators permitted to speak for up to 10 minutes, with the time to be equally divided and controlled between the two leaders or their designees, with the majority controlling the first half and the Republicans controlling the final half; that following morning business, the Senate resume consideration of S. 1323, which is a bill to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget issue; further, I ask that the filing deadline for all first-degree amendments to S. 1323 be 12 noon; and finally, that the Senate recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. to allow for the weekly caucus meetings.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I filed cloture on S. 1323, which is on the sense-of-the-Senate bill regarding shared sacrifice, and on the motion to proceed to H.R. 2055, the Military Construction-VA bill. It is an appropriations bill. It is an important bill. Unless an agreement is reached, there will be up to two rollcall votes Wednesday morning on these issues.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. REID. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it adjourn under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:54 p.m. adjourned until Tuesday, July 12, 2011, at 10 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

CHARLES DEWITT MCCONNELL, OF OHIO, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF ENERGY (FOSSIL ENERGY), VICE JAMES J. MARKOWSKY, RESIGNED.

THE JUDICIARY

JOHN FRANCIS MCCABE, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE AN ASSOCIATE JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR THE TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE JAMES E. BOASBERG, RESIGNED.

PETER ARNO KRAUTHAMER, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE AN ASSOCIATE JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR THE TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE JOHN HENRY BAYLY, JR., RETIRED.

DANYA ARIEL DAYSON, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TO BE AN ASSOCIATE JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR THE TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS, VICE STEPHANIE DUNCAN-PETERS, RETIRED.

UNITED STATES TAX COURT

JOSEPH H. GALE, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE A JUDGE OF THE UNITED STATES TAX COURT FOR A TERM OF FIFTEEN YEARS. (REAPPOINTMENT)

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

MICHAEL A. HAMMER, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF COUNSELOR, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE (PUBLIC AFFAIRS), VICE PHILIP J. CROWLEY, RESIGNED.

FOREIGN SERVICE

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED PERSONS OF THE AGENCIES INDICATED FOR APPOINTMENT AS FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS OF THE CLASSES STATED.

THE FOLLOWING-NAMED MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE TO BE CONSULAR OFFICERS AND SECRETARIES IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

TIMOTHY C. CANNON, OF NORTH DAKOTA
SARAH J. COOK, OF FLORIDA

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

NISHA ABRAHAM, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MARC S. ABRAMSON, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
STARVNEE ADAMS, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
NADIA SHAIRAZAY AHMED, OF VIRGINIA
THOMAS W. ALBRECHT, OF VIRGINIA
CHRISTINA N. ATKINS, OF VIRGINIA
ROBERT A. BAYL, OF VIRGINIA
NICOLE C. BAYER, OF CALIFORNIA
SHAILAJA BISTA, OF GEORGIA
SEAN BODA, OF OHIO
TIMO BRANDSTETTER, OF VIRGINIA
COURTNEY JEAN BRASIER, OF MARYLAND
JANE C. BRITTING, OF VIRGINIA
HECTOR R. BROWN, OF TEXAS
JASON BROWN, OF VIRGINIA
ANDREW D. BURCHFIELD, OF VIRGINIA
KEVIN J. BURGINKLE, OF VIRGINIA
ANDREW G. BURY III, OF VIRGINIA
BRYAN A. CARTER, OF VIRGINIA
EVAN B. CHAVEZ, OF VIRGINIA
GRACE WOODY CHOI, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ROGER VINCENT CHUANG, OF CALIFORNIA
D. MRKO CIMBALJEVICH, OF INDIANA
SHOSHANA A. CLARK, OF COLORADO
JULIA HARTT KENTNOR CORBY, OF VIRGINIA
ELISE S. CRANE, OF COLORADO
ANDREW A. DAHNE, OF TEXAS
ANNETTE DELANEY, OF VIRGINIA
PHILLIP S. DEMSKE, OF VIRGINIA
JENNIFER L. DENHARD, OF FLORIDA
KRIKOR DEURDULIAN, OF VIRGINIA
KIRK EDWARD DONAHOE, OF PENNSYLVANIA
RICHARD L. DUBOIS III, OF KANSAS
LAURA S. EDDY, OF VIRGINIA
CHRISTOPHER CHARLES ELLIS, OF OREGON
SHANNON ESKOW, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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RYAN C. FITZGERALD, OF VIRGINIA
ROBERT WILLIAM FOLLEY, OF WISCONSIN
AMIRA A. FOUAD, OF VIRGINIA
EVAN M. FRITZ, OF TEXAS
ISAAC N. GIBBONS, OF VIRGINIA
BRIAN A. GILLESPIE, OF TENNESSEE
DARROW S. GODESKI MERTON, OF NEW YORK
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MATHEW L. HAGENGRUBER, OF MONTANA
AMY K. HANSEN, OF VIRGINIA
MICHAEL J. HARKER, OF NEW YORK
EVAN J. HICKEY, OF VIRGINIA
KATHERINE LAN HO, OF TEXAS
YULIANA VLADIMIROVNA HOLMES, OF VIRGINIA
JOHN MATTHEW HOPPER, OF VIRGINIA
RICHARD DANIEL HUGHES, OF NEW YORK
JOSANDA E. JINNETTE, OF COLORADO
DOUGLAS MATEY JOHNSON, OF HAWAII
NADINE FARID JOHNSON, OF WASHINGTON
NICHOLAS DANIEL JOYCE, OF VIRGINIA
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AMY E. LONG, OF VIRGINIA
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JESSICA A. LUNDBERG, OF NEW YORK
SCOTT T. MACIEJEWSKI, OF VIRGINIA
CHRISTOPH ALEXIS MARK, OF CALIFORNIA
DOREEN VAILLANCOURT MARONEY, OF MARYLAND
KEVIN MICHAEL MARTINDALE, OF VIRGINIA
PLESAH L. MAYO, OF VIRGINIA
EDISON S. MCBAYNE, OF MARYLAND
SAUL MERCADO, OF NEW YORK
SHANNON R. MILES, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ROGER MILLER, OF VIRGINIA
MICHAEL JOHN MITCHELL, OF MINNESOTA
MICHAEL A. MOHR, OF VIRGINIA
TAUVA A. MONTAS COLON, OF VIRGINIA
AMAL MOUSSAOUI HAYNES, OF NEW YORK
JOSEPH J. NARUS, OF OREGON
CHARLES I. OKONKWO, OF VIRGINIA
JOO WEON PARK, OF PENNSYLVANIA
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JOAN L. SIMON BARTHOLOMAUS, OF WASHINGTON
CHRISTOPHER FREDERIC SMITH, OF TEXAS
JENNIFER A. SMITH, OF VIRGINIA
RACHEL E. SMITH, OF CALIFORNIA
SEAN ROBERT SMITH, OF CONNECTICUT
NICHOLAS A. STALICK, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
JOIA ASHLEE STARKS, OF DELAWARE
ADAM T. STEVENS, OF CONNECTICUT
JAMES R. STEWART, OF VIRGINIA
LUCIJA BAJZER STRALEY, OF MINNESOTA
TRACY M. STRAUCH, OF VIRGINIA
ROBERT S. STREATOR, OF VIRGINIA
MARY MARIE STRETTZEL, OF TENNESSEE
ALEXANDER LANDE SUDEROW, OF MASSACHUSETTS
SARAH H. SWATZBURG, OF NEVADA
CODY WELLES SWYER, OF CALIFORNIA
GEOFFREY BRUCE TERRIL, OF VIRGINIA
JEFFERSON E. THOMPSON, OF VIRGINIA
VICKI SHIHING TING, OF CALIFORNIA
LESLIE M. TOKIWA, OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DANIEL R. TRIPP, OF INDIANA
THOMAS T. TSOUEPIS, OF VIRGINIA
WILLIAM J. TUTTLE, OF VIRGINIA
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THE FOLLOWING-NAMED CAREER MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE FOR PROMOTION INTO THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE TO THE CLASS INDICATED:

CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. CLASS OF MINISTER-COUNSELOR, EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 12, 2008:

MARK JEFFREY HIPP, OF VIRGINIA

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE 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

MAJ. GEN. CLYDE D. MOORE II

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C. SECTION 601: