

of the Army for Installations and Environment.

The President announced the nomination of A.J. Eggenberger to be a member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.

The President announced the nomination of Terrell Halaska to be Assistant Secretary of Education for Cultural Affairs.

The President announced the nomination of Kim Kendrick to be Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.

The President announced the nomination of Ronald E. Meisburg to be General Counsel of the National Labor Relations Board.

The President announced the nomination of Robert A. Mosbacher, Jr. to be president of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

The President announced the nomination of Julie L. Myers to be Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security (Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement).

The President announced the nomination of Patrick M. O'Brien to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Terrorist Finance.

The President announced the nomination of Peter Schaumber to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board.

The President announced the nomination of Kristen Silverberg to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs.

The President announced his intention to nominate Jendayi Elizabeth Frazer to be Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

The President announced his intention to nominate Mark Langdale to be Ambassador to Costa Rica.

The President announced the designation of Joseph Timothy Kelliher as Chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

The President announced the designation of Stephen D. Glavan as Acting Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

The President announced the designation of Cynthia A. Glassman as Acting Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The President announced the designation of Arthur F. Rosenfeld as Acting General Counsel of the National Labor Relations Board.

## **July 1**

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. Later, he participated in a photo opportunity and meeting with members of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and received the society's Distinguished Patriot Award.

Also in the morning, in the Oval Office, the President had a telephone conversation with U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor to discuss her resignation. Later, in the Oval Office, he met with Prime Minister Sabah al-Ahmad al-Jabir Al Sabah of Kuwait.

In the afternoon, in the Old Family Dining Room, the President had a working lunch with Prime Minister Sabah. Later, he had separate telephone conversations with Senator Patrick J. Leahy, ranking member, and Senator Arlen Specter, chairman, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, to discuss the U.S. Supreme Court vacancy. He also left a telephone message for Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid concerning the Supreme Court vacancy.

Later in the afternoon, the President traveled to Walter Reed Army Medical Center and visited with U.S. military personnel wounded in Iraq and Afghanistan and their family members, and he presented Purple Hearts to some of the soldiers. Later, he traveled to Camp David, MD.

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## **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

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The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

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### **Submitted June 28**

Phillip Jackson Bell, of Georgia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Logistics and Materiel Readiness, vice Diane K. Morales, resigned.

Susan P. Bodine,  
of Maryland, to be Assistant Administrator,  
Office of Solid Waste, Environmental Protection  
Agency, vice Marianne Lamont  
Horinko, resigned.

John Hillen,  
of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of  
State (Political-Military Affairs), vice Lincoln  
P. Bloomfield, Jr., resigned.

Darryl W. Jackson,  
of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant  
Secretary of Commerce, vice Julie L.  
Myers.

David H. McCormick,  
of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of  
Commerce for Export Administration, vice  
Kenneth I. Juster, resigned.

Gillian Arlette Milovanovic,  
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 Macedonia.

Michael Retzer,  
of Mississippi, to be Ambassador Extraordinary  
and Plenipotentiary of the United  
States of America to the United Republic of  
Tanzania.

Ronald M. Segal,  
of Colorado, to be Under Secretary of the  
Air Force, vice Peter B. Teets, resigned.

Josette Sheeran Shiner,  
of Virginia, to be an Under Secretary of State  
(Economic, Business, and Agricultural Affairs),  
vice Alan Philip Larson, resigned.

Eric M. Thorson,  
of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Small  
Business Administration, vice Harold  
Damelin, resigned.

***Submitted June 29***

John O. Agwunobi,  
of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of  
Health and Human Services, vice Eve Slater,  
resigned.

James Cain,  
of North Carolina, to be Ambassador Extraordinary  
and Plenipotentiary of the United  
States of America to Denmark.

Keith E. Eastin,  
of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of the  
Army, vice Mario P. Fiori, resigned.

A.J. Eggenberger,  
of Montana, to be a member of the Defense  
Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term  
expiring October 18, 2008 (reappointment).

Terrell Halaska,  
of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant  
Secretary for Legislation and Congressional  
Affairs, Department of Education, vice  
Karen Johnson, resigned.

Karen P. Hughes,  
of Texas, to be Under Secretary of State for  
Public Diplomacy, with the rank of Ambassador,  
vice Charlotte L. Beers, resigned.

Kim Kendrick,  
of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant  
Secretary of Housing and Urban Development,  
vice Carolyn Y. Peoples.

Robert M. Kimmitt,  
of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of the  
Treasury, vice Samuel W. Bodman, resigned.

Ronald E. Meisburg,  
of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the National  
Labor Relations Board for a term of  
4 years, vice Arthur F. Rosenfeld, term expired.

Robert A. Mosbacher,  
of Texas, to be President of the Overseas Private  
Investment Corporation, vice Peter S.  
Watson.

Julie L. Myers,  
of Kansas, to be an Assistant Secretary of  
Homeland Security, vice Michael J. Garcia.

Patrick M. O'Brien,  
of Minnesota, to be Assistant Secretary for  
Terrorist Financing, Department of the  
Treasury (new position).

Peter Schaumber,  
of the District of Columbia, to be a member  
of the National Labor Relations Board for

the term of 5 years expiring August 27, 2010 (reappointment).

Kristen Silverberg,  
of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (International Organization Affairs), vice Kim R. Holmes, resigned.

**Withdrawn June 29**

Ronald E. Meisburg,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board for the term of 5 years expiring August 27, 2008, vice Rene Acosta, resigned, which was sent to the Senate on January 24, 2005.

**Submitted June 30**

Christopher Cox,  
of California, to be a member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for the term expiring June 5, 2009, vice Harvey Jerome Goldschmid, term expired.

Jendayi Elizabeth Frazer,  
of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (African Affairs), vice Constance Berry Newman.

Michael J. Garcia,  
of New York, to be U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York for the term of 4 years, vice James B. Comey.

Mark Langdale,  
of Texas, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Costa Rica.

John S. Redd,  
of Georgia, to be Director of the National Counterterrorism Center, office of the Director of National Intelligence (new position).

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**Checklist  
of White House Press Releases**

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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.

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**Released June 26**

Fact sheet: White House South Lawn Tee Ball

**Released June 27**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Receives 90-Day Report on the Security and Prosperity Partnership of North America

**Released June 28**

Advance text of the President's Address to the Nation from Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Excerpts of the President's Address to the Nation from Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Statement by the Press Secretary: Visit of Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong of Singapore

**Released June 29**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Transcript of a press briefing by Homeland Security Adviser Fran Townsend \*

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 1812

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Maine

Fact sheet: Bush Administration Implements WMD Commission Recommendations

**Released June 30**

Transcript of a press briefing by National Security Adviser Stephen J. Hadley on the President's Trip to the G-8

Statement by the Press Secretary: Nuclear Security Cooperation With Russia

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 483 and S. 643

Fact sheet: Africa Education Initiative (AEI)

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