EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SESSION ON THE NOMINATION OF DONALD 1 MELVIN NEWMAN TO BE UNDER SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN 2 SERVICES 4 TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1986 5 U.S. Senate Committee on Finance 6 Washington, D.C. 7 The committee met, pursuant to notice, at 11:09 a.m. 8 in room SD-215, Dirksen Senate Office Building, the 9 Honorable Bob Packwood (chairman) presiding. 10 Senators Packwood, Danforth, Chafee, Heinz, 11 Durenberger, Armstrong, Grassley, Matsunaga, Moynihan, 12 Baucus, Boren, Bradley and Pryor. 13 Also present: Roger Mentz, Deputy Assistant Secretary 14 for Tax Policy, Treasury Department; Dennis Ross, Tax 15 Legislative Counsel, Treasury Department. 16 Also present: Bill Diefenderfer, Chief of Staff; 17 David Brockway, Chief of Staff, Joint Committee on Taxation; 18 Randy Weiss, Deputy Chief of Staff, Joint Committee on 19 Taxation; Maureen Gorman, Mary Levontine, Joint Committee 20 on Taxation; John Colvin, Chief Counsel; Bill Wilkins, 21 Minority Chief Counsel; Greg Jenner, Tax Counsel, Majority; 22 Paul Strella, Tax Counsel, Majority; Barbara Groves, Tax 23 Counsel, Minority; Jeff Gates, Tax Counsel, Minority; Susan 24 Taylor, Executive Assistant. 25

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The Chairman. We have Donald Newman to report out as Under Secretary for Health and Human Services. I don't know of any objection. Is there any objection to reporting him out? (No response) The Chairman. Without objection. (Whereupon, at 11:10 a.m., the meeting was adjourned.)

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the foregoing proceedings of an Executive Session of the Committee on Finance, held on Tuesday, April 8, 1986, in re: Nomination of Donald Melvin Newman to be Under Secretary of Health and Human Services, were held as herein appears and that this is the original transcript thereof.

William J. MOFFITT
Official Court Reporter

My Commission expires April 14, 1989.