

1 OPEN EXECUTIVE SESSION
2 TO CONSIDER THE PENDING NOMINATIONS OF MICHAEL C.
3 CAMUNEZ, CHARLES P. BLAHOUS III, AND ROBERT D. REISCHAUER
4 THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 2010
5 U.S. Senate,
6 Committee on Finance,
7 Washington, DC.

8 The meeting was convened, pursuant to notice, at
9 11:25 a.m., in S-216 of the Capitol, Hon. Max Baucus
10 (chairman of the committee) presiding.

11 Present: Senators Baucus, Rockefeller, Conrad,
12 Bingaman, Kerry, Lincoln, Wyden, Schumer, Stabenow,
13 Cantwell, Nelson, Menendez, Carper, Grassley, Hatch,
14 Snowe, Kyl, Bunning, Crapo, Roberts, Ensign, Enzi, and
15 Cornyn.

16 Also present: Democratic staff: Amber Cottle, Chief
17 Trade Counsel; and Ayesha Khanna, Trade Counsel.
18 Republican staff: Stephen Schaefer, Chief International
19 Trade Counsel; and Nick Wyatt, Professional Staff Member.
20 Carla Martin, Chief Clerk; Joshua LeVasseur, Deputy Chief
21 Clerk; and Erin Windauer, Staff Assistant.

22 The Chairman. The committee will come to order.
23 The committee meets today to consider three nominations.

24 I now entertain a motion that the committee
25 favorably report the nominations.

1 The committee will consider the nomination of
2 Michael C. Camunez, of California, to be an Assistant
3 Secretary of Commerce.

4 A recorded vote has been requested. The clerk will
5 call the roll:

6 Senator Rockefeller. Aye.

7 Senator Conrad. Aye.

8 Senator Bingaman. Aye.

9 Senator Kerry. Aye.

10 Senator Lincoln. Aye.

11 Senator Wyden. Aye.

12 Senator Schumer. Aye

13 Senator Stabenow. Aye.

14 Senator Cantwell. Aye.

15 Senator Nelson. Aye.

16 Senator Menendez. Aye.

17 Senator Carper. Aye.

18 Senator Grassley. Aye.

19 Senator Hatch. Aye.

20 Senator Snowe. Aye.

21 Senator Kyl. Aye.

22 Senator Bunning. Aye.

23 Senator Crapo. Aye.

24 Senator Roberts. Aye.

25 Senator Ensign. Aye.

26 Senator Enzi. Aye.

27 Senator Cornyn. Aye.

1 The Chairman. Aye.

2 The Clerk. The tally is 23 ayes, 0 nays.

3 The Chairman. The ayes have it. The nomination of
4 Mr. Camunez is ordered favorably reported.

5 The committee will now consider the nomination of
6 Charles P. Blahous III, of Maryland, to be a Member of
7 the Board of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance
8 Trust Fund for a term of 4 years, a Member of the Board
9 of Trustees of the Federal Supplementary Medical
10 Insurance Trust Fund for a term of 4 years, and a Member
11 of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Old Age and
12 Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability
13 Insurance Trust Fund for a term of 4 years.

14 A recorded vote has been requested. The clerk will
15 call the roll:

16 Senator Rockefeller. Aye.

17 Senator Conrad. Aye.

18 Senator Bingaman. Aye.

19 Senator Kerry. Aye.

20 Senator Lincoln. Aye.

21 Senator Wyden. Aye.

22 Senator Schumer. Aye.

23 Senator Stabenow. Aye.

24 Senator Cantwell. Aye.

25 Senator Nelson. Aye.

26 Senator Menendez. Aye.

27 Senator Carper. Aye.

1 Senator Grassley. Aye.
2 Senator Hatch. Aye.
3 Senator Snowe. Aye.
4 Senator Kyl. Aye.
5 Senator Bunning. Aye.
6 Senator Crapo. Aye.
7 Senator Roberts. Aye.
8 Senator Ensign. Aye.
9 Senator Enzi. Aye.
10 Senator Cornyn. Aye.
11 The Chairman. Aye.
12 The Clerk. The tally is 23 ayes, 0 nays.
13 The Chairman. The ayes have it.
14 The nomination of Mr. Blahous is ordered favorably
15 reported.
16 The committee will now consider the nomination of
17 Robert D. Reischauer, of Maryland, to be a Member of the
18 Board of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust
19 Fund for a term of 4 years, a Member of the Board of
20 Trustees of the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance
21 Trust Fund for a term of 4 years, and a Member of the
22 Board of Trustees of the Federal Old Age and Survivors
23 Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance
24 Trust Fund for a term of 4 years.
25 A recorded vote has been requested. The clerk will
26 call the roll:
27 Senator Rockefeller. Aye.

1 Senator Conrad. Aye.
2 Senator Bingaman. Aye.
3 Senator Kerry. Aye.
4 Senator Lincoln. Aye.
5 Senator Wyden. Aye.
6 Senator Schumer. Aye.
7 Senator Stabenow. Aye.
8 Senator Cantwell. Aye.
9 Senator Nelson. Aye.
10 Senator Menendez. Aye.
11 Senator Carper. Aye.
12 Senator Grassley. Nay.
13 Senator Hatch. Aye.
14 Senator Snowe. Nay.
15 Senator Kyl. Nay.
16 Senator Bunning. Nay.
17 Senator Crapo. Nay.
18 Senator Roberts. Nay.
19 Senator Ensign. Nay.
20 Senator Enzi. Nay.
21 Senator Cornyn. Nay.
22 The Chairman. Aye.
23 The Clerk. The tally is 14 ayes, 9 nays.
24 The Chairman. The ayes have it.
25 The nomination of Mr. Reischauer is ordered
26 favorably reported, and the committee is adjourned.

1 [Whereupon, at 11:55 a.m., the meeting was
2 concluded.]
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