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 U.S. Office of Personnel Management.
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**OFFICE OF PERSONNEL
 MANAGEMENT**

Excepted Service

AGENCY: U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This gives notice of OPM decisions granting authority to make appointments under Schedules A, B, and C in the excepted service as required by 5 CFR 213.103.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Senior Executive Resource Services, Executive Resources and Employee Development, Employee Services, 202–606–2246.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Appearing in the listing below are the individual authorities established or revoked under Schedules A, B, and C between January 1, 2012, and January 31, 2012. These notices are published monthly in the **Federal Register** at www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/. A consolidated listing of all

authorities as of June 30 is also published each year. The following Schedules are *not* codified in the Code of Federal Regulations. These are agency-specific exceptions.

Schedule A

No Schedule A authorities to report during January 2012.

Schedule B

No Schedule B authorities to report during January 2012.

Schedule C

The following Schedule C appointments were approved during January 2012.

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization number	Effective date	
Department of Agriculture	Office of the Under Secretary for Rural Development.	Director, Legislative and Public Affairs Staff.	DA120022	1/17/2012	
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations.	Staff Assistant (Legislative Analyst)	DA120024	1/17/2012	
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations.	Staff Assistant	DA120021	1/24/2012	
	Rural Housing Service	Chief of Staff	DA120025	1/24/2012	
	Rural Utilities Service	Special Assistant	DA120026	1/24/2012	
	Agricultural Marketing Service	Chief of Staff	DA120029	1/24/2012	
Department of Commerce	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.	Senior Policy Advisor	DC120036	1/5/2012	
	Office of White House Liaison	Special Assistant	DC120039	1/5/2012	
	Assistant Secretary for Market Access and Compliance.	Special Advisor	DC120038	1/9/2012	
	Office of Public Affairs	Confidential Assistant	DC120051	1/9/2012	
	Office of Public Affairs	Deputy Press Secretary	DC120042	1/11/2012	
	Office of Assistant Secretary for Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Legislative Assistant	DC120043	1/11/2012	
	Office of the Deputy Secretary	Special Assistant	DC120050	1/11/2012	
	Office of Business Liaison	Special Assistant	DC120052	1/13/2012	
	Office of the Chief of Staff	Special Assistant	DC120053	1/17/2012	
	Office of Public Affairs	Director of Speechwriting	DC120055	1/20/2012	
	Office of Executive Secretariat	Confidential Assistant	DC120057	1/25/2012	
	Office of Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Confidential Assistant	DC120044	1/26/2012	
	Commission on Civil Rights Council on Environmental Quality Department of Defense.	Commissioners	Special Assistant	CC120002	1/26/2012
		Council on Environmental Quality ..	Special Assistant	EQ120001	1/12/2012
Office of the Secretary		Advance Officer	DD120019	1/5/2012	
Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Logistics and Materiel Readiness).		Confidential Assistant	DD120020	1/5/2012	
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Policy).		Special Assistant (Homeland Defense and Americas' Security Affairs).	DD120022	1/5/2012	
Office of the Secretary		Advance Officer	DD120018	1/6/2012	
Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs).		Assistant Press Secretary	DD120023	1/12/2012	
Office of the Secretary		Confidential Assistant	DD120025	1/12/2012	
Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs).		Research Assistant	DD120026	1/12/2012	
Department of Education		Office of the Secretary	Director, Scheduling and Advance Staff.	DB120034	1/6/2012
	Office of the Under Secretary	Director, White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans.	DB120027	1/20/2012	
	Office of Communications and Outreach.	Special Assistant	DB120046	1/27/2012	
	Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant	DB120048	1/27/2012	

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization number	Effective date
	Office of the Under Secretary	Deputy Director, White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans.	DB120049	1/27/2012
Department of Energy	Office of Public Affairs	Speechwriter	DE120035	1/20/2012
	Office of Public Affairs	Communications Coordinator	DE120037	1/20/2012
Department of Health and Human Services.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs.	Senior Advisor	DH120038	1/26/2012
Department of Homeland Security ..	Office of the Commissioner	Senior Advisor	DH120037	1/27/2012
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy.	Policy Analyst	DM120039	1/3/2012
	Office of the Under Secretary for National Protection and Programs Directorate.	Cybersecurity Strategist	DM120050	1/17/2012
Department of Housing and Urban Development.	Office of Public Affairs	Assistant Press Secretary	DU120023	1/9/2012
Department of the Interior	Secretary's Immediate Office	Trip Director	DI120025	1/23/2012
	Secretary's Immediate Office	Special Assistant	DI120023	1/26/2012
	Office of the Solicitor	Counselor	DI120026	1/27/2012
Department of Justice	Antitrust Division	Chief of Staff and Counsel	DJ120018	1/4/2012
	Civil Division	Senior Counsel	DJ120021	1/12/2012
	National Security Division	Counsel	DJ120024	1/30/2012
Department of Labor	Office of Public Affairs	Special Assistant	DL120023	1/13/2012
Small Business Administration	Office of Communications and Public Liaison.	Deputy Assistant Administrator for Communications and Public Liaison.	SB120009	1/6/2012
Department of State	Bureau of Public Affairs	Senior Advisor	DS120020	1/12/2012
Department of Transportation	Immediate Office of the Administrator.	Associate Administrator for Governmental, International, and Public Affairs.	DT120017	1/3/2012
	Office of Congressional Affairs	Associate Director of Congressional Affairs.	DT120019	1/3/2012
	Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy.	Deputy Director for Public Engagement.	DT120025	1/13/2012
	Public Affairs	Deputy Director of Public Affairs	DT120023	1/17/2012
	Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy.	Associate Director for Transportation Policy.	DT120024	1/17/2012
	Associate Administrator for Public Affairs.	Associate Administrator for Communications and Legislative Affairs.	DT120018	1/26/2012
	Public Affairs	Press Secretary	DT120026	1/26/2012
	Secretary	Advance Specialist	DT120027	1/26/2012
Department of the Treasury	Secretary of the Treasury	Deputy Executive Secretary	DY120057	1/26/2012

The following Schedule C appointing authorities were revoked during January 2012.

Agency	Organization	Position title	Authorization number	Effective date
Department of Agriculture	Rural Housing Service	Special Assistant to the Administrator.	DA100116	1/28/2012
	Risk Management Agency	Confidential Assistant	DA100162	1/28/2012
	Food Safety and Inspection Service.	Senior Advisor	DA100176	1/28/2012
Department of Commerce	Office of Under Secretary	Special Assistant	DC090182	1/7/2012
	Office of Public Affairs	Deputy Director for Public Affairs ...	DC110118	1/13/2012
Department of Commerce	Office of Executive Secretariat	Confidential Assistant	DC100129	1/14/2012
	Department of Commerce	Confidential Assistant	DC100077	1/23/2012
	Office of the Chief of Staff	Confidential Assistant	DC100120	1/28/2012
Department of Education	Office of the Under Secretary	Deputy Director, White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans.	DB110083	1/28/2012
Department of Energy	Assistant Secretary for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy.	Special Assistant	DE090182	1/4/2012
	Office of Public Affairs	New Media Specialist	DE090115	1/20/2012
Department of Homeland Security ..	Office of Operations Coordination and Planning Directorate.	Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff.	DM090379	1/4/2012
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs.	Deputy Assistant Secretary for Strategic Communications.	DM110031	1/10/2012

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Department of Housing and Urban Development.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy.	Policy Analyst	DM110238	1/13/2012
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs.	Deputy Press Secretary	DM110252	1/20/2012
	Office of Public Affairs	General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs.	DU090079	1/14/2012
	Office of Policy Development and Research.	Deputy Assistant Secretary for policy Development.	DU090070	1/14/2012
Department of Justice	Office of Public Affairs	Press Assistant	DU100110	1/14/2012
	Antitrust Division	Counsel	DJ100163	1/14/2012
	Environment and Natural Resources Division.	Counsel and Chief of Staff	DJ100067	1/21/2012
Department of Labor	Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant	DL110044	1/14/2012
Department of the Interior	Secretary's Immediate Office	Special Assistant	DI110050	1/22/2012
Department of the Treasury	Secretary of the Treasury	Deputy Executive Secretary	DY110060	1/27/2012
Department of Transportation	Public Affairs	Deputy Director of Public Affairs	DT090095	1/13/2012
	Secretary	Special Assistant	DT090115	1/16/2012
Office of the Secretary of Defense	Administrator	Director, Office of Congressional and Public Affairs.	DT100042	1/16/2012
	Public Affairs	Deputy Press Secretary	DT100006	1/28/2012
	Office of the Secretary	Personal and Confidential Assistant.	DD090099	1/14/2012
	Office of the Secretary	Confidential Assistant	DD090197	1/14/2012
	Washington Headquarters Services	Defense Fellow	DD110056	1/14/2012
	Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs).	Special Assistant	DD100134	1/16/2012
Small Business Administration	Office of Communications and Public Liaison.	Press Secretary	SB090043	1/14/2012
	Office of Communications and Public Liaison.	Speechwriter	SB090037	1/21/2012
	Office of Communications and Public Liaison.	Press Assistant	SB100002	1/27/2012
Trade and Development Agency	Office of the Director	Chief of Staff	TD100001	1/6/2012

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POSTAL SERVICE

Sunshine Act Meeting; Board of Governors

DATES AND TIMES: Thursday, June 14, 2012, at 10 a.m.

PLACE: Washington, DC, at U.S. Postal Service Headquarters, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW., in the Benjamin Franklin Room.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Thursday, June 14, at 10:00 a.m. (Closed)

1. Strategic Issues.
2. Financial Matters.
3. Pricing.
4. Personnel Matters and Compensation Issues.
5. Governors' Executive Session—Discussion of prior agenda items and Board Governance.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; NASDAQ OMX PHLX LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change To Amend Rule 616, Electronic Filing Requirements for Uniform Forms

May 24, 2012.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”),¹ and Rule 19b–4² thereunder, notice is hereby given that on May 18, 2012, NASDAQ OMX PHLX LLC (“Phlx” or “Exchange”) filed with the

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

² 17 CFR 240.19b–4.

Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II below, which Items have been prepared by the Exchange. The Exchange filed the proposal as a “non-controversial” proposed rule change pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A)(iii) of the Act³ and Rule 19b–4(f)(6) thereunder,⁴ which renders the proposal effective upon receipt of this filing by the Commission. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The Exchange proposes to amend Rule 616, Electronic Filing Requirements for Uniform Forms.

The text of the proposed rule change is available on the Exchange's Web site at <http://www.nasdaqtrader.com/micro.aspx?id=PHLXRulefilings>, at the principal office of the Exchange, and at the Commission's Public Reference Room.

³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(iii).

⁴ 17 CFR 240.19b–4(f)(6).