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1/19/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	Title Excluded. Not Appointed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C GS-905-14 \$87,263	10/31/2016	Trial Attorney Criminal Division Office of International Affairs Department of Justice	GS-905-15 \$105,123 (Proposed)	Approved	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
1/25/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	Title Excluded. Not Appointed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C GS-905-14 \$89,370	Held Political Appointment at Time of Request	Management and Program Analyst (Special Advisor) Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice	GS-343-14 \$89,370 (Proposed)	Denied	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
2/9/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	Title Excluded. Not Appointed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	(b) (6) GS-301-15 \$127,864	9/17/2017	Health System Administrator (Director) VA Medical Center, Washington DC Department of Veterans Affairs	ES-670-00 \$186,185 (Proposed)	Denied	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
3/2/2018	Luke Beckman	Deputy White House Liaison Office of the Secretary Office of the Chief of Staff Department of Homeland Security	6/12/2017	Schedule C GS-301-12 \$63,600	4/14/2018	Staffing Action Officer Office of Intelligence and Analysis Office of the Secretary Department of Homeland Security	GS-301-12 \$63,600	Approved	4/15/2018	
3/6/2018	Petronia Mercer	Confidential Assistant Office of the Commissioner U.S. International Trade Commission	1/14/2016	Schedule C GS-301-11 \$51,811	3/1/2017	Contact Representative Philadelphia Region Social Security Administration	GS-962-05 \$37,113	Approved	9/17/2017	Post-appointment review. Agency made appointment without first seeking OPM approval.
3/9/2018	Karen Driscoll	Staff Assistant Office of the Commissioner U.S. International Trade Commission	6/30/2017	Schedule C GS-301-15 \$123,178	10/28/2017	General Attorney Office of the General Counsel U.S. International Trade Commission	GS-905-15 \$126,147	Approved	5/15/2018	
3/12/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	(b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C GS-301-15 \$133,155	Held Political Appointment at Time of Request	Supervisory International Trade Analyst (Investigator) Office of Investigations Office of Operations U.S. International Trade Commission	GS-101-14 \$116,181 (Proposed)	Denied	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP

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5/18/2018	Jerrolyn Patricia Smoot	Chairman, U.S. Parole Commission U.S. Parole Commission Office of the Chairman Department of Justice	5/31/2015	PAS EX-185-04 155,500	8/4/2018	Deputy Directory Office of the Director Pre-Trial Services Agency for the District of Columbia Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency	ES-340-00 \$175,500	Approved	8/5/2018	
8/2/2018	Name Excluded. Not Reviewed.	Title Excluded. Not Reviewed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C GS-301-12 \$63,600	5/26/2018	Executive Director National Business Council Small Women's Administration	AD-301-00 \$96,970 (Proposed)	NA (Not Covered)	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
8/9/2018	Daniel A. Loveland	Counsel Office of the Deputy Attorney General Department of Justice	6/5/2017	Schedule C GS-905-14 \$92,349	9/29/2018	Assistant United States Attorney United States Attorney's Office, District of Maryland Department of Justice	AD-905-23 \$70,192	Approved	9/30/2018	
9/5/2018	Safiya Hamit	Confidential Assistant to the Chairman Office of the Secretary, General Counsel Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission	4/28/2014	Schedule C GS-301-13 \$73,115	4/27/2015	General Attorney Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration Department of Transportation	GS-905-12 \$63,600	Approved	1/7/2018	Post-appointment review. Agency made appointment without first seeking OPM approval.
9/12/2018	Sayee Srinivasan	Economist Office of the Chairman Commodity Futures Trading Commission	12/15/2013	Schedule C CT-110-15 \$188,233	10/13/2018	Deputy Director Division of Clearance and Risk Commodity Futures Trading Commission	CT-1101-16 \$203,292	Approved	10/14/2018	
9/27/2018	Name Excluded. Not Reviewed.	Title Excluded. Not Reviewed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C GS-301-15 \$124,408	1/18/2017	Foreign Affairs Specialist Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy Department of Defense	GS-130-15 \$129,651	NA (Not Covered)	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
9/27/2018	Dionne Thompson	Deputy Commissioner (External and Intergovernmental Affairs) Office of the Commissioner Bureau of Reclamation Department of the Interior	2/22/2015	Non-Career SES ES-340-00 \$163,700	1/20/2017	Assistant Commissioner for Corporate Liaison Western Power Administration Department of Energy	GS-301-15 \$129,651	Denied	2/4/2018	Post-appointment review. Agency made appointment without first seeking OPM approval. (b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP
10/9/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	Title Excluded. Not Appointed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Non-Career SES ES-905-00 \$173,000	11/10/2018	Assistant United States Attorney United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of Mississippi Department of Justice	AD-905-28 \$112,681 (Proposed)	Approved	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP

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10/30/2018	Name Excluded. Not Appointed.	Title Excluded. Not Appointed. (b) (6)	(b) (6)	Schedule C (b) (6)-340-02 \$254,286	Held Political Appointment at Time of Request	Supervisory Management and Program Analyst Office of Compliance Inspections and Examinations, Office of Compliance and Ethics U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission	SK-343-17 \$201,131 (Proposed)	Denied	N/A	(b) (6), (b) (5)-DPP

January 1 - December 31, 2018
Total Cases: 16
Approved: 9
Denied: 5
Returned Without Action: 2