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Factbox - Contenders for senior jobs in Trump's administration

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The following people are mentioned as contenders for senior roles as U.S. President-elect Donald Trump assembles his administration before taking office on Jan. 20, according to Reuters sources and other media reports.

Trump already has named a number of people for other top jobs in his administration.
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AGRICULTURE SECRETARY

- * Chuck Conner, a former acting secretary of the U.S. Agriculture Department and current head of the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives
- * Tim Huelskamp, Republican U.S. representative from Kansas
- * Sid Miller, Texas agriculture commissioner
- * Sonny Perdue, former Georgia governor

DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE

- * Navy Admiral Mike Rogers, director of the National Security Agency
- * Ronald Burgess, retired U.S. Army lieutenant general and former Defense Intelligence Agency chief
- * Robert Cardillo, director of the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
- * Pete Hoekstra, Republican former U.S. representative from Michigan

FEDERAL RESERVE VICE CHAIRMAN FOR BANK OVERSIGHT

- * John Allison, a former chief executive officer of regional bank BB&T Corp (**BBT.N**) and former head of the Cato Institute, a libertarian think tank
- * Paul Atkins, former SEC commissioner
- * Thomas Hoenig, Federal Deposit Insurance Corp vice chairman and former head of the Kansas City Federal Reserve Bank

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

* Dr. Scott Gottlieb, a venture capitalist, resident fellow at the American Enterprise Institute and former Food and Drug Administration deputy commissioner

* Jim O'Neill, a Silicon Valley investor who previously served in the Department of Health and Human Services

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

* Debra Wong Yang, a former U.S. attorney who was appointed by former President George W. Bush [nL1N1E12EH]

* Ralph Ferrara, a securities attorney at Proskauer Rose LLP

* Paul Atkins, a former SEC commissioner who heads Trump's transition team for independent financial regulatory agencies

* Daniel Gallagher, Republican former SEC commissioner

SUPREME COURT VACANCY

The Trump transition team confirmed the president-elect would choose from a list of 21 names he drew up during his campaign, including Republican U.S. Senator Mike Lee of Utah and William Pryor, a federal judge with the 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. [nL2N1BZ12C]

U.S. TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

* Dan DiMicco, former CEO of steel producer Nucor Corp (**NUE.N**)

* Jovita Carranza, founder and president of consultants JCR Group. Former vice president at United Parcel Service and former deputy administrator of the Small Business Administration

* Robert Lighthizer, former deputy U.S. trade representative during the Reagan administration

* Wayne Berman, senior executive with private equity and financial services firm Blackstone Group LP (**BX.N**)

* David McCormick, president of investment manager Bridgewater Associates LP

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

* Pete Hegseth, CEO of Concerned Veterans for America and Fox News commentator

* Navy Admiral Michelle Howard

* Retired Admiral Thad Allen, former Coast Guard commandant appointed by President Barack Obama to lead government relief efforts after BP Gulf oil spill

* Toby Cosgrove, president and chief executive officer of Cleveland Clinic

* Luis Quinonez, founder of IQ Management of Virginia and member of Trump's National Hispanic Advisory Council

* Scott Brown, former Republican U.S. senator from Massachusetts

* Sarah Palin, former Alaska governor and Republican nominee for vice president in 2008.

* Jeff Miller, former Republican U.S. representative from Florida who was chairman of the House Veterans Affairs Committee

WHITE HOUSE COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS

* Larry Kudlow, economist and media commentator

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