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Mark A. Robbins Designated Vice Chairman of MSPB

On January 23, 2017, President Donald Trump designated Mark A. Robbins, Member of the Board of the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board (MSPB or Board), as Vice Chairman of the Board. Mr. Robbins was nominated to the Board by President Barack Obama on December 5, 2011, and confirmed by the U.S. Senate on April 26, 2012. He was sworn in as a Member of the Board on May 16, 2012, and he is serving the remainder of the 7-year term that will expire on March 1, 2018. Pending re-establishment of a Board quorum, Mr. Robbins will perform the functions vested by Title 5 in the Office of the Chairman.

The U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board (MSPB) is an independent, quasi-judicial agency whose mission is to protect the Merit System Principles and promote an effective Federal workforce free of Prohibited Personnel Practices.