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Was confirmed by the Senate tonight.

He was one of two noms confirmed. Still upwards of 70 noms being held, including 3 State dept noms held by Jon Kyl. Thought we had a breakthrough today, but we did not and will keep trying when the Senate comes back on Thursday.