The U.S. Senate confirmed and President George W. Bush signed the commission to make Robert C. Tapella the nation's Public Printer.

"It is a deep honor to become the 25th Public Printer of the United States and lead the talented men and women of GPO as we continue to fulfill our mission to keep America informed," said Public Printer Robert C. Tapella.

Tapella has been involved in GPO's transformation into a profitable 21st Century digital operation during the last five years, first as Deputy Chief of Staff and then as Chief of Staff.