SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the Congressional Record on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Thursday, May 8, 1997, may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MAY 13

9:30 a.m.

Appropriations

VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

SD-13

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings on S. 416, to extend the expiration dates of existing authorities and enhance U.S. participation in the energy emergency program of the International Energy Agency, S. 417, to extend energy conservation programs under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act through September 30, 2002, and S. 186, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act with respect to purchases from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve by entities in the insular areas of the United States.

SD-366

Indian Affairs

To hold oversight hearings on the implementation of the Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Demonstration Act of 1992 (P.L. 102-477).

SR-

10:00 a.m.

Appropriations

Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Defense, focusing on environmental programs.

SD_109

Budget

Business meeting, to mark up a proposed concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1998 budget for the Federal Government.

SD-608

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings on State pre-emption of
TELCO.

SR-253

Judiciary

To hold hearings on S. 610, to implement the obligations of the United States under the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction, known as "the Chemical Weapons Convention" and opened for signature and signed by the United States on January 13, 1993.

SD-226

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe

To resume hearings to examine the process to enlarge the membership of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).

SD-538

2:00 p.m.

Appropriations

To hold open and closed (SD-124) hearings on counterterrorism issues.

SD-192

2:30 p.m

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Aviation Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine barriers to entry at airports.

SR-25

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Oceans and Fisheries Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 39, to revise the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to support the International Dolphin Conservation Program in the eastern tropical Pacific Ocean.

SR-253

MAY 14

9:30 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine program efficiencies at the Department of Defense and the National Science Foundation.

Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.

SD-366

Rules and Administration

To hold hearings on the campaign finance system for presidential elections, focusing on the growth of soft money and other effects on political parties and candidates.

SR-301

SR-253

MAY 15

9:30 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation To hold hearings to examine spectrum issues.

Small Business

To resume hearings on the Small Business Administration's finance programs.

SR-428A

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine allegations of sexual harassment in the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SH-216

10:00 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

To resume hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Higher Education Act.

SD-430

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Foreign Operations Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on combatting infectious diseases worldwide.

SD-138

2:00 p.m

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Science, Technology, and Space Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings on staff reductions for fiscal year 1997 and 1998 for the National Weather Service.

SR-253

Energy and Natural Resources

Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Resources Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health to review the Columbia River Basin Environmental Impact Statement.

SD-366

MAY 16

10:00 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings to examine adult education programs.

SD-430

MAY 20

9:00 a.m.

Appropriations

Interior Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of the Interior.

SD-124

10:00 a.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Capitol Police Board, the Congressional Budget Office, and the Office of Compliance.

S-128, Capitol

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings to examine the quality of various health plans.

SD-430

MAY 21

9:30 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold oversight hearings on programs designed to assist Native American veterans.

SR-485

10:00 a.m.

Appropriations

Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Defense, focusing on Air Force programs.

SD-192

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings on the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice.

SD-226

MAY 22

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To resume a workshop to examine competitive change in the electric power industry, focusing on the financial implications of restructuring.

SH-210

Labor and Human Resources

 $Public\ Health\ and\ Safety\ Subcommittee$

To hold hearings to review the activities of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Department of Health and Human Services

SD-430

2:00 p.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee

To hold a workshop on the proposed "Public Land Management Responsibility and Accoutability Act".

SD-360

Judiciary

Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the antitrust implications of the college bowl alliance.

SD-226

JUNE 4

10:00 a.m. Appropriations

Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Defense.

SD-192

JUNE 11

10:00 a.m.

Appropriations
Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Defense.

SD-192

JUNE 12

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To resume a workshop to examine competitive change in the electric power industry, focusing on the benefits and risks of restructuring to consumers and communities.

SH-216