

## 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 Tuesday, May 9, 2000 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

## MAY 10

9:30 a.m.

## Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act.

SR-485

## Armed Services

Closed business meeting to markup proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

SR-222

## Appropriations

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee

Business meeting to markup proposed legislation making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

SD-192

## Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Anna Blackburne-Rigsby, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia; the nomination of Thomas J. Motley, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia; and the nomination of John McAdam Mott, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

SD-342

10:30 a.m.

## Foreign Relations

International Operations Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the United Nations state of efficacy and reform.

SD-419

11 a.m.

## Judiciary

Administrative Oversight and the Courts Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings on 1996 campaign finance investigations.

SD-226

2 p.m.

## Foreign Relations

To hold hearings on pending nominations.

SD-419

2:30 p.m.

## Energy and Natural Resources

Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings on the United States Forest Service's proposed revisions to the regulations governing National Forest Planning.

SD-366

## Intelligence

To hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters.

SH-219

## MAY 11

9:30 a.m.

## Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings on the Administration's legislative proposal on the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan.

SD-406

## Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Pipeline Safety Act, focusing on the safety record of the natural gas and hazardous liquid pipeline transportation industry, the adequacy of existing federal pipeline transportation safety regulations and suggestions for additional pipeline safeguards.

SR-253

## Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Richard Court Houseworth, of Arizona, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for the remainder of the term expiring December 25, 2001; and the nomination of Nuria I. Fernandez, of Illinois, to be Federal Transit Administrator.

SD-538

10 a.m.

## Foreign Relations

To hold hearings on the nomination of John R. Dinger, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Mongolia; the nomination of Edward William Gnehm, Jr., of Georgia, to be Ambassador to Australia; the nomination of Douglas Alan Hartwick, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Lao People's Democratic Republic; the nomination of Susan S. Jacobs, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Papua New Guinea, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Solomon Islands, and as Ambassador to the Republic of Vanuatu; and the nomination of Michael J. Senko, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Kiribati.

SD-419

## Judiciary

Business meeting to markup S. 2089, to amend the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 to modify procedures relating to orders for surveillance and searches for foreign intelligence purposes; H.R. 371, to expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos; S. 484, to provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nation-

als assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive; and S. Res. 247, commemorating and acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.

SD-226

2 p.m.

## Environment and Public Works

To continue hearings on the Administration's legislative proposal on the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan.

SD-406

2:30 p.m.

## Energy and Natural Resources

National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 1367, to amend the Act which established the Saint-Gaudens Historic Site, in the State of New Hampshire, by modifying the boundary and for other purposes; S. 1617, to promote preservation and public awareness of the history of the Underground Railroad by providing financial assistance, to the Freedom Center in Cincinnati, Ohio; S. 1670, to revise the boundary of Fort Matanzas National Monument; S. 2020, to adjust the boundary of the Natchez Trace Parkway, Mississippi; S. 2478, to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a theme study on the peopling of America; and S. 2485, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance in planning and constructing a regional heritage center in Calais, Maine.

SD-366

## MAY 12

10 a.m.

## Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Amy L. Comstock, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Government Ethics.

SD-342

## MAY 16

9:30 a.m.

## Armed Services

To hold hearings on the nomination of The following named officer for appointment as Chief of Naval Operations, United States Navy, and appointment to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 5033: Adm. Vernon E. Clark, to be Admiral.

SR-222

3 p.m.

## Energy and Natural Resources

Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings on the United States Forest Service's proposed transportation policy.

SD-366

## MAY 17

9:30 a.m.

## Indian Affairs

To hold oversight hearings on Indian arts and crafts programs.

SR-485

## Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on S. 1148, to provide for the Yankton Sioux Tribe and the Santee Sioux Tribe of Nebraska certain benefits of the Missouri River Basin

<p>Pick-Sloan project; and S. 1658, to authorize the construction of a Reconciliation Place in Fort Pierre, South Dakota.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>Energy and Natural Resources Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.</p> <p>SH-216</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources Water and Power Subcommittee To hold oversight hearings on the operation, by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, of the Flathead Irrigation Project in Montana.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>MAY 24</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold hearings on S. 611, to provide for administrative procedures to extend Federal recognition to certain Indian groups.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>Energy and Natural Resources Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.</p> <p>SH-216</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources Water and Power Subcommittee To hold hearings on S. 2163, to provide for a study of the engineering feasibility of a water exchange in lieu of electrification of the Chandler Pumping Plant at Prosser Diversion Dam, Washington; S. 2396, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into contracts with the Weber Basin Water Conservancy District, Utah, to use Weber Basin Project facilities for the impounding, storage, and carriage of nonproject water for domestic, municipal, industrial, and other beneficial purposes; S. 2248, to assist in the development and implementation of projects to provide for the control of drainage water, storm water, flood water, and other water as part of water-related integrated resource management, environmental infrastructure, and resource protection and development projects in the Colusa Basin Watershed, California; S. 2410, to increase the authorization of appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978; and S. 2425, to authorize the Bureau of Reclamation to participate in the planning, design, and construction of the Bend Feed Canal Pipeline Project, Oregon.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee To hold hearings on S. 2300, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to increase the maximum acreage of Federal leases for coal that may be held by an entity in any 1 State; S. 2069, to permit the conveyance of certain land in Powell, Wyoming; and S. 1331, to give Lincoln County, Nevada, the right to purchase at fair market value certain public land in the county.</p> <p>SD-366</p>
<p>MAY 18</p> <p>10 a.m. Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions To hold hearings to examine mental health parity.</p> <p>SD-430</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee To hold hearings on S. 1584, to establish the Schuylkill River Valley National Heritage Area in the State of Pennsylvania; S. 1685, to authorize the Golden Spike/Crossroads of the West National Heritage Area; H.R. 2932, to authorize the Golden Spike Crossroads of the West National Heritage Area; S. 1998, to establish the Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area; S. 2247, to establish the Wheeling National Heritage Area in the State of West Virginia; S. 2421, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of the suitability and feasibility of establishing an Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area in Connecticut and Massachusetts; and S. 2511, to establish the Kenai Mountains-Turnagain Arm National Heritage Area in the State of Alaska.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>MAY 25</p> <p>10 a.m. Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Public Health Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine gene therapy issues.</p> <p>SD-430</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee To hold oversight hearings on the potential ban on snowmobiles in Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks and the recent decision by the Department of the Interior to prohibit snowmobile activities in other units of the National Park System.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>JUNE 21</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold hearings on certain Indian Trust Corporation activities.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>JUNE 28</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold hearings on S. 2283, to amend the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century to make certain amendments with respect to Indian tribes.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>JULY 12</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold oversight hearings on risk management and tort liability relating to Indian matters.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>JULY 19</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold oversight hearings on activities of the National Indian Gaming Commission.</p> <p>SR-485</p>
<p>MAY 23</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions To hold hearings to examine drug safety and pricing.</p> <p>SD-430</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources Water and Power Subcommittee To hold hearings on S. 740, to amend the Federal Power Act to improve the hydroelectric licensing process by granting the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission statutory authority to better coordinate participation by other agencies and entities.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>MAY 25</p> <p>10 a.m. Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Public Health Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine gene therapy issues.</p> <p>SD-430</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Energy and Natural Resources National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee To hold oversight hearings on the potential ban on snowmobiles in Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks and the recent decision by the Department of the Interior to prohibit snowmobile activities in other units of the National Park System.</p> <p>SD-366</p>	<p>JULY 26</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold hearings on authorizing funds for programs of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act.</p> <p>SR-485</p> <p>SEPTEMBER 26</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Veterans' Affairs To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on the Legislative recommendation of the American Legion.</p> <p>345 Cannon Building</p>
<p>3 p.m. Foreign Relations To hold hearings on the Meltzer Commission, focusing on the future of the International Monetary Fund and world.</p> <p>SD-419</p>	<p>JUNE 7</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Indian Affairs To hold hearings on S. 2282, to encourage the efficient use of existing resources and assets related to Indian agricultural research, development and exports within the United States Department of Agriculture.</p> <p>SR-485</p>	<p>POSTPONEMENTS</p> <p>MAY 10</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Commerce, Science, and Transportation To hold hearings to examine retransmission consent issues.</p> <p>SR-253</p>