

## 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, March 5, 2002 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

## MARCH 6

9:30 a.m.

## Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the monitoring of accountability and competition in the Federal and Service Contract Workforce.

SH-216

## Appropriations

## VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SD-138

## Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine S. 975, to improve environmental policy by providing assistance for State and tribal land use planning, to promote improved quality of life, regionalism, and sustainable economic development; and S. 1079, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to provide assistance to communities for the redevelopment of brownfield sites.

SD-406

## Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

To hold hearings on the nominations of Thomas C. Dorr, of Iowa, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation, and to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Rural Development, Nancy Southard Bryson, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Agriculture, and Grace Trujillo Daniel, of California, and Fred L. Dailey, of Ohio, each to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, Farm Credit Administration.

SD-106

10 a.m.

## Armed Services

## Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine financial management issues of the Department of Defense.

SR-222

## Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine accounting and investor protection

issues raised by Enron and other public companies.

SD-538

## Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

## Public Health Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the improvement of surveillance of chronic conditions and potential links to environmental exposures.

SD-430

## Appropriations

## Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Army budget.

SD-192

## Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine reforms to the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank, focusing on efficiency and effectiveness.

311, Cannon Building

## Appropriations

## Foreign Operations Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for democracy and human rights programs of the Department of State and the Agency for International Development.

SD-124

## Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the terrorist nuclear threat, focusing on dirty bombs and basement nukes.

SD-419

## Budget

To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2003, focusing on analysis of the Congressional Budget Office.

SD-608

10:30 a.m.

## Judiciary

## Antitrust, Competition and Business and Consumer Rights Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine cable competition, focusing on the Echostar-Direct TV merger.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

## Commerce, Science, and Transportation

## Communications Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine wireless communications infrastructure in the United States.

SR-253

## Intelligence

To hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters.

SH-219

## Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

## Housing and Transportation Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings to examine the proposed reauthorization of the HUD McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistant Act Programs.

SD-538

## Armed Services

## Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, focusing on nonproliferation programs of the Department of Energy and the Cooperative Threat Reduction program of the Department of Defense.

SR-222

## MARCH 7

9:30 a.m.

## Armed Services

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, and the Future Years Defense Program.

SH-216

## Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine public health and natural resources, focusing on implementation of environmental laws.

SD-342

10 a.m.

## Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of the Paralyzed Veterans of America, Jewish War Veterans, Blinded Veterans Association, the Non-Commissioned Officers Association, and the Military Order of the Purple Heart.

345 Cannon Building

## Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine the semi-annual report on Monetary Policy of the Federal Reserve.

SD-106

## Finance

To hold hearings to examine the President's proposal for Medicare modernization.

SD-215

## Appropriations

## Interior Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Energy.

SD-124

## Judiciary

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SD-226

## Appropriations

## Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Federal Communications Commission.

SR-253

## Appropriations

## Transportation Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the future of Amtrak.

SD-138

## Indian Affairs

To resume hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2003 for Indian programs.

SR-485

10:15 a.m.

## Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine two optional protocols to the Convention on the Rights of the Child, both of which were adopted at New York, May 25, 2000: (1) The Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on Involvement of Children in Armed Conflict; and (2) The Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography, signed on July 5, 2000 (Treaty Doc. 106-37).

SD-419

11 a.m.

## Appropriations

## Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Health and Human Services.

SD-192

2:30 p.m.

## Energy and Natural Resources

## National Parks Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine S. 1069, to amend the National Trails System Act to clarify Federal authority relating to land acquisition from willing sellers

from the majority of the trails in the System; S. 213, to amend the National Trails System Act to update the feasibility and suitability studies of 4 national historic trails and provide for possible additions to such trails; H.R. 1384, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Navajo Long Walk to Bosque Redondo as a national historic trail; and S. 1946, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Old Spanish Trail as a National Historic Trail.

SD-366

#### Armed Services Strategic Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the Ballistic Missile Defense program.

SR-232A

#### Foreign Relations

##### Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the trafficking of persons, focusing on monitoring and combating this practice.

SD-419

MARCH 8

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations Energy and Water Development Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

SD-138

MARCH 11

1:30 p.m.

#### Governmental Affairs International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the Central Intelligence Agency national intelligence estimate of foreign missile development and the ballistic missile threat through 2015.

SD-342

MARCH 12

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of State.

SD-138

2:30 p.m.

#### Armed Services Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on special operations military capabilities, operational requirements, and technology acquisition.

SR-222

#### Governmental Affairs International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 1800, to strengthen and improve the management of national security, encourage Government service in areas of critical national security, and to assist government agencies in addressing deficiencies in personnel possessing specialized skills important to national security and incorporating the goals and strategies for recruitment and retention for such skilled personnel into the strategic and performance management systems of Federal agencies.

SD-342

MARCH 13

9:30 a.m.

#### Appropriations Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Joint Economic Committee, the Joint Committee on Taxation, the Library of Congress, and the Congressional Research Service.

SD-124

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Commerce.

SD-116

MARCH 14

10 a.m.

#### Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of the Gold Star Wives of America, the Fleet Reserve Association, the Air Force Sergeants Association, and the Retired Enlisted Association.

345 Cannon Building

2 p.m.

#### Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Robert H. Roswell, of Florida, to be Under Secretary for Health, and the nomination of Daniel L. Cooper, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary for Benefits, both of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SR-418

MARCH 19

9:30 a.m.

#### Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the worldwide threat to United States interests (to be followed by closed hearings in SH-219).

SH-216

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Ad-

ministration and the Small Business Administration.

SD-138

MARCH 20

10 a.m.

#### Judiciary Technology, Terrorism, and Government Information Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine identity theft and information protection.

SD-226

2 p.m.

#### Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of American Ex-Prisoners of War, the Vietnam Veterans of America, the Retired Officers Association, the National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs, and AMVETS.

345 Cannon Building

MARCH 21

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Immigration and Naturalization Service, and the Drug Enforcement Administration, all of the Department of Justice.

SD-116

APRIL 10

10:30 a.m.

#### Judiciary Antitrust, Competition and Business and Consumer Rights Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine cable competition, focusing on the ATT-Comcast merger.

SD-226

## CANCELLATIONS

MARCH 19

9:30 a.m.

#### Armed Services

To hold hearings on worldwide threats to United States interests; to be followed by closed hearings (in Room SH-219).

SH-216

## POSTPONEMENTS

MARCH 7

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for national service programs.

SD-430