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, March 16, 2006 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MARCH 17

9 a.m.

Judiciary

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

S-207, Capitol

MARCH 28

9 a.m.

Judiciary

To resume closed hearings to examine war time executive power and the FISA Court; to be followed by an open session.

SH-219

9:30 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the settlement of Cobell v. Norton.

SR-485

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Aviation Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Federal Aviation Administration budget and the long term viability of the Aviation Trust Fund.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Bioterrorism and Public Health Preparedness Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine public health infrastructure.

SD-430

Appropriations

Energy and Water Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2007 for Bureau of Reclamation.

SD-138

2:30 p.m.

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine judicial nominations. SD-226

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Ocean Policy Study committee

To hold hearings to examine offshore aquaculture. SD-562 Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Retirement Security and Aging Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Older Americans Act.

SD-430

MARCH 29

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine U.S. nonproliferation strategy and the roles and missions of the Department of Defense and the Department of Energy in nonproliferation in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2007 and the future years defense program.

SR-222 Indian Affairs

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Technology, Innovation, and Competitiveness Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the importance of basic research to United States' competitiveness.

SD-562

SR-485

2 p.m.

Judiciary

Constitution, Civil Rights and Property Rights Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine state regulation of violent video games and the first amendment.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Armed Services

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine missile defense programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year

SR-222

MARCH 30

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Disaster Prevention and Prediction Sub-

committee

To hold an oversight hearing to examine National Polar-Orbiting Operational Environmental Satellite System. SD-562

Appropriations

Energy and Water Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2007 for Ycca Mountain/EM/Office of Safeguards and Security.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the legislative presentations of the National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs, the AMVETS, the American Ex-Prisoners of War, and the Vietnam Veterans of America.

SD-106

2 p.m.

Armed Services

Personnel Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine reserve component personnel policies in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2007.

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine competition and convergence.

SD-562

SD-106

Energy and Natural Resources Water and Power Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine S. 1577, to facilitate the transfer of Spearfish Hydroelectric Plant Number 1 to the city of Spearfish, South Dakota, S. 1962 and H.R. 4000, bills to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to revise certain repayment contracts with the Bostwick Irrigation District in Nebraska, the Kansas Bostwick Irrigation District No. 2, the Frenchman-Cambridge Irrigation District, and the Webster Irrigation District No. 4, all a part of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, S. 2028, to provide for the reinstatement of a license for a certain Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project, S. 2035, to extend the time required for construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Idaho, S. 2054, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of water resources in the State of Vermont, S. 2205, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain parcels of land acquired for the Blunt Reservoir and Pierre Canal features of the initial stage of the Oahe Unit, James Division, South Dakota, to the Commission of Schools and Public Lands and the Department of Game, Fish, and Parks of the State of South Dakota for the purpose of mitigating lost wildlife habitat, on the condition that the current preferential leaseholders shall have an option to purchase the parcels from the Commission, and H.R. 3812, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to prepare a feasibility study with respect to the Mokelumne River.

APRIL 4

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Aviation Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Federal Aviation Administration funding options

SD-562

APRIL 5

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Department of Defense's role in combating terrorism in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2007 and the future years defense program; to be followed by a closed session.

SR-222

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the problem of methamphetamine in Indian country.

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2007 for the Sergeant at Arms and U.S. Capitol Police Board.

SD-138

2:30 p.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the 2005 wildfire season and the Federal land management agencies' preparations for the 2006 wildfire season.

SD-366

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3 p.m.

Armed Services

Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine improving contractor incentives in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal vear 2007.

SR-222

APRIL 6

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation National Ocean Policy Study Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine offshore aquaculture, focusing on current proposals to regulate offshore aquaculture operations, discuss research in this field being conducted off the coasts of New England and Hawaii, and the impacts that expanded aquaculture operations would have on fishermen, seafood processors, and consumers.

SD-562

3:30 p.m.

Armed Services

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine military space programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year

SR-222

APRIL 26

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Technology, Innovation, and Competitiveness Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine fostering innovation in math and science education.

Room to be announced 10:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To resume hearings to examine the progress of construction on the Capitol Visitor Center.

SD-138

MAY 3

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2007 for the Government Printing Office, Congressional Budget Office, and Office of Compliance.

SD-138

MAY 17

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Technology, Innovation, and Competitiveness Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine accelerating the adoption of health information technology.

Room to be announced

MAY 24

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To resume hearings to examine the progress of construction on the Capitol Visitor Center.

SD-138

JUNE 14

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Technology, Innovation, and Competitiveness Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine alternative energy technologies.

Room to be announced