

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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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 17, 2007 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MAY 18

10:30 a.m.
 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
 Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine growth trends in health care premiums for active and retired federal employees.
 SD-342

MAY 21

Time to be announced
 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine S.1352, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 127 East Locust Street in Fairbury, Illinois, as the "Dr. Francis Townsend Post Office Building", H.R. 1402, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 320 South Lecanto Highway in Lecanto, Florida, as the "Sergeant Dennis J. Flanagan Lecanto Post Office Building", H.R. 414, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 60 Calle McKinley, West in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, as the "Miguel Angel Garcia Mendez Post Office Building", H.R. 625, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4230 Maine Avenue in Baldwin Park, California, as the "Atanacio Haro-Marin Post Office", H.R. 988, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5757 Tilton Avenue in Riverside, California, as the "Lieutenant Todd Jason Bryant Post Office", H.R. 437, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 500 West Eisenhower Street in Rio Grande City, Texas, as the "Lino Perez, Jr. Post Office", and the nomination of Howard Charles Weizmann, of Maryland, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management.
 S-216, Capitol

2 p.m.
 Appropriations
 Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 To continue hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2008 for the National Institutes of Health: A New Vision for Medical Research.
 SD-116

MAY 22

Time to be announced
 Veterans' Affairs
 Business meeting to markup the nomination of Michael K. Kussman, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary for Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs.
 Room to be announced

9 a.m.
 Armed Services
 SeaPower Subcommittee
 Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.
 SR-222

10 a.m.
 Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
 Employment and Workplace Safety Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine the progress of the Mine Improvement and New Emergency Response Act (Public Law 109-236).
 SD-628

Finance
 To hold hearings to examine tax policy in the pipeline, focusing on oil and gas.
 SD-215

Foreign Relations
 To hold hearings to examine the nominations of James R. Keith, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia, Miriam K. Hughes, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Federated States of Micronesia, Hans G. Klemm, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste, and Cameron R. Hume, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Indonesia.
 SD-419

Judiciary
 To hold hearings to examine restoring habeas corpus, focusing on protecting American values and the Great Writ.
 SD-226

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
 Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee
 To hold joint hearings with the House Subcommittee on the Federal Workforce, Postal Service, and the District of Columbia to examine Government Accountability Office Personnel reforms, focusing on expectations.
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Armed Services
 Personnel Subcommittee
 Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.
 SR-232A

Small Business and Entrepreneurship
 To hold hearings to examine minority entrepreneurship, focusing on the effectiveness of the Small Business Administration programs for the minority business community.
 SR-428A

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
 Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety and Security Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine rail safety reauthorization.
 SR-253

12:30 p.m.
 Armed Services
 Airland Subcommittee
 Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.
 SR-222

2:30 p.m.
 Commerce, Science, and Transportation
 Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine improving air service to small and rural communities.
 SR-253

Energy and Natural Resources
 Energy Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine S.645, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to provide an alternate sulfur dioxide removal measurement for certain coal gasification project goals, S.838, to authorize funding for eligible joint ventures between United States and Israeli businesses and academic persons, to establish the International Energy Advisory Board, S.1089, to amend the Alaska Natural Gas Pipeline Act to allow the Federal Coordinator for Alaska Natural Gas Transportation Projects to hire employees more efficiently, S.1203, to enhance the management of electricity programs at the Department of Energy, H.R. 85, to provide for the establishment of centers to encourage demonstration and commercial application of advanced energy methods and technologies, and H.R. 1126, to reauthorize the Steel and Aluminum Energy Conservation and Technology Competitiveness Act of 1988.
 SD-366

Environment and Public Works
 To hold hearings to examine the case for the California waiver.
 SD-406

3 p.m.
 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine implementing Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) reform, focusing on the preparation for the 2007 hurricane season.
 SD-342

4 p.m.
 Armed Services
 Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee
 Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.
 SR-222

5:30 p.m.
 Armed Services
 Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee
 Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.
 SR-232A

<p>MAY 23</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Judiciary Crime and Drugs Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine rising crime in the United States, focusing on the federal role in helping communities prevent and respond to violent crime. SD-226</p>	<p>Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Security and International Trade and Finance Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine United States economic relations with China, focusing on strategies and options on exchange rates and market access. SD-538</p>	<p>Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe To hold hearings to examine Russia, focusing on the reemergence of Russia as a major political and economic power. B318RHOB</p>
<p>Veterans' Affairs To hold hearings to examine health legislation. SD-562</p> <p>10 a.m. Commerce, Science, and Transportation To hold hearings to examine communications, taxation and federalism. SR-253</p>	<p>MAY 24</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Armed Services Closed business meeting to markup the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008. SR-222</p>	<p>3 p.m. Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Disaster Recovery Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine issues relative to residents of Louisiana affected by Hurricane Katrina or Rita, focusing on the goals, costs, management and impediments facing Louisiana's Road Home Program. SD-342</p>
<p>11:30 a.m. Armed Services Strategic Forces Subcommittee Closed business meeting to markup those provisions which fall under the subcommittee's jurisdiction of the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008. SR-222</p>	<p>10 a.m. Commerce, Science, and Transportation To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Michael E. Baroody, of Virginia, to be Chairman and Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, and Charles Darwin Snelling, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority. SR-253</p>	<p>JUNE 13</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Veterans' Affairs Business meeting to markup pending legislation. SD-562</p>
<p>1:30 p.m. Judiciary To hold hearings to examine S.1257, to provide the District of Columbia a voting seat and the State of Utah an additional seat in the House of Representatives, focusing on ending taxation without representation. SD-226</p>	<p>Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security Subcommittee To hold hearings to examine federal real property, focusing on the property management problems highlighted in a recent Government Accountability Office report. SD-342</p>	<p>10 a.m. Rules and Administration To hold hearings to examine nominations to the Federal Election Commission. SR-301</p>
<p>2:30 p.m. Armed Services Closed business meeting to markup the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008. SR-222</p>		<p>JUNE 27</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Veterans' Affairs To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense, focusing on cooperation on employment issues. SD-562</p>