

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, September 11, 2008 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

SEPTEMBER 16

10 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine recent regulatory actions regarding Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac.

SD-538

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine reasons that broadband internet access matters.

SR-253

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the current state of vehicles powered by the electric grid and the prospects for wider deployment in the near future.

SD-366

Environment and Public Works

To hold oversight hearings to examine the children's health protection efforts of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

SD-406

Finance

To hold hearings to examine aligning incentives, focusing on the case for delivery system reform.

SD-215

10:15 a.m.

Judiciary

Constitution Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine restoring the rule of law.

SH-216

2:30 p.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Energy Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine recent analyses of the role of speculative investment in energy markets.

SD-366

Judiciary

Terrorism, Technology and Homeland Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the Visa Waiver Program, focusing on mitigating the program risks to ensure the safety of all Americans.

SH-216

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe

To hold hearings to examine the state of democracy and human rights in Belarus and how the Belarusian authorities are complying with their OSCE election commitments in advance of the September 28 parliamentary elections.

B318, Rayburn Building

SEPTEMBER 17

9:30 a.m.

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

SH-216

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Patrick W. Dunne, of New York, to be Under Secretary for Benefits of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SR-418

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine protected marine areas, focusing on federal and

state efforts to conserve, manage, and restore marine resources.

SR-253

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine Russia's aggression against Georgia, focusing on the consequences and responses.

SD-419

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine 401 (k) plan fee disclosure, focusing on helping workers save for retirement.

SD-430

10:30 a.m.

Aging

To hold hearings to examine direct-to-consumer medical device advertising, focusing on marketing and medicine.

SD-562

SEPTEMBER 18

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety and Security Subcommittee

To hold an oversight hearing to examine bus safety.

SR-253

SEPTEMBER 24

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine cooperation and collaboration by the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Defense on information technology efforts.

SR-418

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Interstate Commerce, Trade, and Tourism Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the imbalance in United States-Korea automobile trade.

SR-253

Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine the current economic outlook.

SD-106