

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, May 1, 2008 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MAY 2

9:30 a.m.

Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine the employment-unemployment situation for April 2008.

SD-562

MAY 6

10 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine perchlorate and trichloroethylene (TCE) in water.

SD-406

Finance

To hold hearings to examine seizing the new opportunity for health reform.

SD-215

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard Subcommittee

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

SR-253

2 p.m.

Judiciary

Administrative Oversight and the Courts Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine policing lenders and protecting homeowners, focusing on the current foreclosure crisis.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Intelligence

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Michael E. Leiter, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the National Counterterrorism Center, Office of the Director of National Intelligence.

SH-216

3 p.m.

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe

To hold hearings to examine oil and food prices relating to the link between energy and environmental security, focusing on the role that environmental technologies can play in increasing energy security while combating climate change by reducing demand on hydrocarbon resources.

B318, Rayburn Building

MAY 7

9:30 a.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Marcia Stephens Bloom Bernicat, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, Gillian Arlette Milovanovic, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali, Donald Gene Teitelbaum, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana, Linda Thomas-Greenfield, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Liberia, Peter William Bodde, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malawi, Donald E. Booth, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zambia, Marianne Matuzic Myles, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde, and Stephen James Nolan, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Botswana, all of the Department of State.

SD-419

Environment and Public Works

Public Sector Solutions to Global Warming, Oversight, and Children's Health Protection Subcommittee

To hold an oversight hearing to examine science and environmental regulatory decisions.

SD-406

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Space, Aeronautics, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine reauthorization of vision for space exploration.

SR-253

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine pending benefits legislation.

SR-418

10 a.m.

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine fuel subsidies relating to food supply and prices.

SD-342

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Helene N. White, and Raymond M. Kethledge, both of Michigan, both to be United States Circuit Judges for the Sixth Circuit, and Stephen Joseph Murphy III, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan.

SD-226

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

Securities, Insurance and Investment Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine United States credit markets, focusing on the regulation of investment banks by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

SD-538

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Defense Subcommittee

To hold closed hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2009 for the United States intelligence community.

S-407, Capitol

2 p.m.

Judiciary

Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine concentration in agriculture, focusing on an ex-

amination of the JBS Swift Group acquisitions.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the state of the airline industry, focusing on the impact of the Delta/Northwest airlines merger.

SR-253

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine international Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism (the "Convention"), adopted by the United Nations General Assembly on April 13, 2005, and signed on behalf of the United States of America on September 14, 2005 (Treaty Doc. 110-04), amendment to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (the "Amendment"). A conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material, adopted on October 28, 1979, adopted the Amendment on July 8, 2005, at the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna (Treaty Doc. 110-06), and protocol of 2005 to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation (the "2005 SUA Protocol") and the Protocol of 2005 to the Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf (the "2005 Fixed Platforms Protocol") (together, "the Protocols"), adopted by the International Maritime Organization Diplomatic Conference in London on October 14, 2005, and signed by the United States of America on February 17, 2006 (Treaty Doc. 110-08).

SD-419

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine a way forward for the United States Commission on Civil Rights.

SD-430

3 p.m.

Appropriations

Financial Services and General Government Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2009 for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and Securities and Exchange Commission.

SD-192

MAY 8

10 a.m.

Finance

To hold hearings to examine social security field offices, focusing on the resources and workforce needed to deliver quality service to the public.

SD-215

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine improving the capacity of United States climate modeling for decision-makers and end-users.

SR-253

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

	MAY 13	pursuant to the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (Public Law 109-58).	CANCELLATIONS
10 a.m.			MAY 2
Energy and Natural Resources		SD-366	
To hold hearings to examine the impacts of climate change on the reliability, security, economics, and design of critical energy infrastructure in coastal regions.			9:30 a.m.
		MAY 21	Armed Services
	9:30 a.m.	Veterans' Affairs	Closed business meeting to markup the proposed National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2009.
		To hold hearings to examine pending health care legislation.	SR-222
	SD-366		
	MAY 20		SR-418
10 a.m.			
Energy and Natural Resources			
To hold hearings to examine the Territorial Energy Assessment as updated			