

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, February 23, 2010 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

FEBRUARY 24

- 9 a.m.
Budget
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Transportation. SD-608
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine contracting in a counterinsurgency, focusing on an examination of Blackwater-Paravant contract and the need for oversight. SH-216
- Environment and Public Works
Water and Wildlife Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine legislative approaches to protecting, preserving and restoring great water bodies. SD-406
- 10 a.m.
Energy and Natural Resources
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Forest Service. SD-366
- Finance
To hold hearings to examine certain nominations. SD-215
- Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
To hold hearings to examine a stronger workforce investment system for a stronger economy. SD-430
- Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Homeland Security. SD-342
- 10:30 a.m.
Judiciary
Human Rights and the Law Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine child prostitution and sex trafficking in the United States. SD-226
- Appropriations
State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fis-

- cal year 2011 for the Department of State and Foreign Operations. SD-192
- 2 p.m.
Appropriations
Homeland Security Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Homeland Security. SD-192
- Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Brian Anthony Jackson, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Louisiana, Elizabeth Erny Foote, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Louisiana, Marc T. Treadwell, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Georgia, and Josephine Staton Tucker, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California. SD-226
- 2:30 p.m.
Armed Services
Business meeting to consider any pending nominations. SR-222
- Foreign Relations
Business meeting to consider S. 2961, to provide debt relief to Haiti, S. Res. 400, urging the implementation of a comprehensive strategy to address instability in Yemen, S. Res. 404, supporting full implementation of the Comprehensive Peace Agreement and other efforts to promote peace and stability in Sudan, and the nominations of Leocadia Irine Zak, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Trade and Development Agency, Walter Crawford Jones, of Maryland, to be United States Director of the African Development Bank, and Douglas A. Rediker, of Massachusetts, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund, and Ian Hoddy Solomon, of Maryland, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Donald E. Booth, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, Bisa Williams, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger, Beatrice Wilkinson Welters, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, Scott H. DeLisi, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to the Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal, Harry K. Thomas, Jr., of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of the Philippines, David Adelman, of Georgia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore, Rosemary Anne DiCarlo, of the District of Columbia, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during her tenure of service as Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, and to be the Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador and the Deputy Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations, Brooke D. Anderson, of California, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations during her tenure of service as Alternate Representative of the United States of America

- for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, and to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, Allan J. Katz, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Portuguese Republic, Ian C. Kelly, of Maryland, to be U. S. Representative to the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, with the rank of Ambassador, and Judith Ann Stewart Stock, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, all of the Department of State, and a promotion list in the Foreign Service; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine foreign policy priorities in the fiscal year 2011 International Affairs budget. SD-419
- Commerce, Science, and Transportation
Science and Space Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the challenges and opportunities in the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) fiscal year 2011 budget proposal. SR-253
- FEBRUARY 25
- 9 a.m.
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the semi-annual Monetary Policy Report to the Congress. SD-538
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine the Department of the Navy in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session. SD-G50
- Commerce, Science, and Transportation
Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine aviation safety, focusing on one year after the crash of flight 3407. SR-253
- 10 a.m.
Judiciary
Business meeting to consider S. 1789, to restore fairness to Federal cocaine sentencing, S. 1132, to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers, S. 2772, to establish a criminal justice reinvestment grant program to help States and local jurisdictions reduce spending on corrections, control growth in the prison and jail populations, and increase public safety, H.R. 1741, to require the Attorney General to make competitive grants to eligible State, tribal, and local governments to establish and maintain certain protection and witness assistance programs, S. 1624, to amend title 11 of the United States Code, to provide protection for medical debt homeowners, to restore bankruptcy protections for individuals experiencing economic distress as caregivers to ill, injured, or disabled family members, and to exempt from means testing debtors whose financial problems were caused by serious medical problems, S. 1765, to amend the Hate Crime Statistics Act to include crimes against the homeless, S. 1554, to amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974

- to prevent later delinquency and improve the health and well-being of maltreated infants and toddlers through the development of local Court Teams for Maltreated Infants and Toddlers and the creation of a National Court Teams Resource Center to assist such Court Teams, and the nominations of Dawn Elizabeth Johnsen, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Attorney General, William Joseph Hochul, Jr., to be United States Attorney for the Western District of New York, and Sally Quillian Yates, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia, all of the Department of Justice, and Gloria M. Navarro, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, Audrey Goldstein Fleissig, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri, Lucy Haeran Koh, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Jon E. DeGuilio, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Indiana, and Jane E. Magnus-Stinson and Tanya Walton Pratt, both to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Indiana.
SD-226
Small Business and Entrepreneurship
Business meeting to consider S. 2989, to improve the Small Business Act.
SR-485
- 10:30 a.m.
Energy and Natural Resources
Water and Power Subcommittee
To hold an oversight hearing to examine the science and policy behind the Federal framework and non-Federal efforts to prevent introduction of the aquatic invasive Asian carp into the Great Lakes.
SD-366
- 2:15 p.m.
Indian Affairs
To hold an oversight hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for tribal programs and initiatives.
SD-628
- 2:30 p.m.
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
Contracting Oversight Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine interagency contracts (part I), focusing on an overview and recommendations for reform.
SD-342
- Intelligence
To hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters.
SH-219
- FEBRUARY 26
- 9:30 a.m.
Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Veterans Affairs.
SR-418
- 10 a.m.
Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the Office of Professional Responsibility Investigation into the Office of Legal Counsel Memoranda.
SD-226
- 10:30 a.m.
Joint Economic Committee
To hold hearings to examine the road to economic recovery, focusing on prospects for jobs and growth.
2325, Rayburn Building
- MARCH 2
- 10 a.m.
Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings to examine Toyota's recalls and the government's response.
SR-253
- 2 p.m.
Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine a legislative presentation from Disabled Veterans of America.
345, Cannon Building
- MARCH 3
- 9:30 a.m.
Veterans' Affairs
To hold an oversight hearing to examine mental health care and suicide prevention for veterans.
SR-418
- 10 a.m.
Commerce, Science, and Transportation
Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and Fisheries Enforcement Programs and Operations.
SR-253
- MARCH 4
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Air Force in review of the Defense Authorization and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.
SH-216
- Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine legislative presentations from the Paralyzed Veterans of America, Jewish War Veterans, Military Order of the Purple Heart, Ex-Prisoners of War, Blinded Veterans Association, Military Officers Association of America, Air Force Sergeants Association, and the Wounded Warrior Project.
345, Cannon Building
- MARCH 9
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine U.S. European Command, U.S. Africa Command, and U.S. Joint Forces Command in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SR-222 following the open session.
SH-216
- Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine a legislative presentation from Veterans of Foreign Wars.
SDG-50
- MARCH 10
- 2:30 p.m.
Foreign Relations
International Operations and Organizations, Human Rights, Democracy and Global Women's Issues Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the future of U.S. public diplomacy.
SD-419
- MARCH 11
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine U.S. Northern Command and U.S. Southern Command in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SR-222 following the open session.
SD-G50
- 10 a.m.
Energy and Natural Resources
To hold hearings to examine S. 1696, to require the Secretary of Energy to conduct a study of video game console energy efficiency, and S. 2908, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to require the Secretary of Energy to publish a final rule that establishes a uniform efficiency descriptor and accompanying test methods for covered water heaters.
SD-366
- MARCH 16
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine U.S. Special Operations Command and U.S. Central Command in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.
SH-216
- 2 p.m.
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs
Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine assessing foster care and family services in the District of Columbia, focusing on challenges and solutions.
SD-342
- MARCH 18
- 9:30 a.m.
Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine legislative presentations from AMVETS, National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs, Non Commissioned Officers Association, Gold Star Wives, The Retired Enlisted Association, Fleet Reserve Association, Vietnam Veterans of America, and Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America.
SDG-50
- MARCH 23
- 9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine U.S. Pacific Command, U.S. Strategic Command, and U.S. Forces Korea in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.
SH-216

MARCH 24

POSTPONEMENTS

cal year 2011 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

9:30 a.m.

FEBRUARY 25

SD-124

Veterans' Affairs

To hold an oversight hearing to examine Veterans' Affairs plan for ending homelessness among veterans.

SR-418

9:30 a.m.

Appropriations
Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fis-

2:30 p.m.

Environment and Public Works
Water and Wildlife Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine efforts to prevent introduction of Asian Carp into the Great Lakes.

SD-406