

## 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, February 25, 2010 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

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.

## Finance

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Jeffrey Alan Goldstein, of New York, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury, Francisco J. Sanchez, of Florida, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for International Trade, and Sherry Glied, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

SD-215

## 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

9:30 a.m.

## Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

## Economic Policy Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine restoring credit, focusing on proposals to fix small business borrowing and lending problems.

SD-538

10 a.m.

## Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine Toyota's recalls and the government's response.

SR-253

## Judiciary

## Human Rights and the Law Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine global internet freedom and the rule of law, part II.

SD-226

2 p.m.

## Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine a legislative presentation from Disabled Veterans of America.

345, Cannon Building

2:30 p.m.

## Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

MARCH 3

9:30 a.m.

## Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine chemical security, focusing on assessing progress and charting a path forward.

SD-342

## Appropriations

## Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To examine the President's proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Environmental Protection Agency.

SD-124

## Veterans' Affairs

To hold an oversight hearing to examine mental health care and suicide prevention for veterans.

SR-418

10 a.m.

## Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting to consider any pending nominations; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of the Interior.

SD-366

## Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine transportation investments relative to the national economy and jobs.

SD-406

## Finance

To hold hearings to examine the 2010 trade agenda.

SD-215

## Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine encouraging innovative and cost-effective crime reduction strategies.

SD-226

## 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

2:30 p.m.

## Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

## Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine oversight challenges in the Medicare prescription drug program.

SD-342

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

2:30 p.m.

## Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

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

10 a.m.

## Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the lessons and implications of the Christmas day attack, focusing on watchlisting and pre-screening.

SD-342

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

## Energy and Natural Resources

## Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine S. 2895, to restore forest landscapes, protect old growth forests, and manage national forests in the eastside forests of the State of Oregon, S. 2907, to establish a coordinated avalanche protection program, S. 2966 and H.R. 4474, bills to authorize the continued use of certain water diversions located on National Forest System land in the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness and the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness in the State of Idaho, and S. 2791 and H.R. 3759, bills to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to grant market-related contract extensions of certain timber contracts between the Secretary of the Interior and timber purchasers.

SD-366

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.	gram; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.	serve Association, Vietnam Veterans of America, and Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America.
SD-G50	SH-216	SDG-50
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.	Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	MARCH 23
SD-366	Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee	9:30 a.m.
	To hold hearings to examine assessing foster care and family services in the District of Columbia, focusing on challenges and solutions.	Armed Services
	SD-342	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.
MARCH 16	MARCH 18	SH-216
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 Pro-	9:30 a.m.	MARCH 24
	Veterans' Affairs	9:30 a.m.
	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 Re-	Veterans' Affairs
		To hold an oversight hearing to examine Veterans' Affairs plan for ending homelessness among veterans.
		SR-418