

# EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

## 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 Tuesday, April 13, 2010 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

### APRIL 14

9:30 a.m.

#### Judiciary

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Justice.

SD-226

#### Appropriations

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Education and the education jobs crisis.

SD-138

10 a.m.

#### Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine opportunities to improve transportation safety.

SD-406

#### Finance

To hold hearings to examine using unemployment insurance to help Americans get back to work, focusing on creating opportunities and overcoming challenges.

SD-215

#### Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine the economic outlook.

SD-106

10:30 a.m.

#### Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine United States policy towards the Islamic Republic of Iran; to be immediately followed by a closed hearing in SVC-217.

SR-253

#### Appropriations

##### Defense Subcommittee

To hold closed hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for national and military intelligence.

SVC-217

2:30 p.m.

#### Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine reviewing the national broadband plan.

SR-253

#### Foreign Relations

##### European Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Southeast Europe, focusing on opportunities and challenges in the Western Balkans.

SD-419

#### Appropriations

##### Financial Services and General Government Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

SD-138

#### Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

##### Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine deployed Federal civilians, focusing on advancing security and opportunity in Afghanistan.

SD-342

#### Armed Services

##### Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the current readiness of United States forces.

SD-562

#### Armed Services

##### Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine strategic forces programs of the National Nuclear Security Administration in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011.

SR-222

### APRIL 15

9:30 a.m.

#### Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Vice Admiral James A. Winnefeld, Jr., United States Navy, to be admiral and Commander, United States Northern Command, and to be Commander, North American Aerospace Defense Command, and Lieutenant General Keith B. Alexander, United States Army, to be general and Director, National Security Agency, to be Chief, Central Security Service, and to be Commander, United States Cyber Command, both of the Department of Defense; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.

SD-G50

#### Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine legislative proposals in the Department of Housing and Urban Development's fiscal year 2011 budget request.

SD-538

10 a.m.

#### Appropriations

##### Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Federal Bureau of Investigation; to

be immediately followed by a closed hearing in SVC-217.

SD-192

#### Finance

To hold hearings to examine filing season update, focusing on current IRS issues.

SD-215

#### Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) reauthorization, focusing on teachers and leaders.

SD-430

#### Judiciary

Business meeting to consider 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. 3111, to establish the Commission on Freedom of Information Act Processing Delays, S. 3031, to authorize Drug Free Communities enhancement grants to address major emerging drug issues or local drug crises, S. 1346, to penalize crimes against humanity and for other purposes, and the nominations of Sharon Johnson Coleman, and Gary Scott Feinerman, both to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, and William Joseph Martinez, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, and Loretta E. Lynch, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, Noel Culver March, to be United States Marshal for the District of Maine, George White, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of Mississippi, Brian Todd Underwood, to be United States Marshal for the District of Idaho, and Kerry B. Harvey, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Kentucky, all of the Department of Justice.

SD-226

#### Commerce, Science, and Transportation

##### Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine S. 817, to establish a Salmon Stronghold Partnership program to conserve wild Pacific salmon.

SR-253

#### Rules and Administration

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Stephen T. Ayers, of Maryland, to be Architect of the Capitol.

SR-301

#### Small Business and Entrepreneurship

To hold hearings to examine assessing access, focusing on obstacles and opportunities for minority small business owners in today's capital markets.

SD-562

11 a.m.

#### Foreign Relations

##### East Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine United States and Japan relations.

SD-419

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- Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe  
To receive a briefing on a new international convention aimed at helping resource-rich developing countries make the best economic and social use of their natural resources.  
2325, Rayburn Building
- 2 p.m.  
Armed Services  
Airland Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine Army modernization in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program.  
SR-222
- Appropriations  
Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of Veterans Affairs.  
SD-124
- 2:30 p.m.  
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs  
Contracting Oversight Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine contracts for Afghan National Police training.  
SD-342
- Intelligence  
To hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters.  
SH-219
- 3:15 p.m.  
Appropriations  
Legislative Branch Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Government Accountability Office (GAO), the Government Printing Office (GPO), and the Congressional Budget Office (CBO).  
SD-138
- APRIL 16
- 9:30 a.m.  
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs  
Investigations Subcommittee  
To resume hearings to examine Wall Street and the financial crisis, focusing on the role of bank regulators.  
SD-106
- 10 a.m.  
Judiciary  
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Goodwin Liu, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Kimberly J. Mueller, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of California, Richard Mark Gergel, and J. Michelle Childs, both to be United States District Judge for the District of South Carolina, and Catherine C. Eagles, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of North Carolina.  
SD-226
- APRIL 20
- 9:30 a.m.  
Armed Services  
To hold hearings to examine ballistic missile defense policies and programs 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
- 10 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
To hold hearings to examine S. 1856, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to clarify policies regarding ownership of pore space, and S. 1134, to ensure the energy independence and economic viability of the United States by promoting the responsible use of coal through accelerated carbon capture and storage and through advanced clean coal technology research, development, demonstration, and deployment programs.  
SD-366
- Judiciary  
To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division.  
SD-226
- 2 p.m.  
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Michael D. Kennedy, of Georgia, and Dana Katherine Bilyeu, of Nevada, both to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, Dennis P. Walsh, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Special Panel on Appeals, and Milton C. Lee, Jr., Judith Anne Smith, and Todd E. Edelman, all to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.  
SD-342
- 4 p.m.  
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine border security.  
SD-342
- APRIL 21
- 9:30 a.m.  
Veterans' Affairs  
To hold an oversight hearing to examine implementation of the new post-9/11 Government Issue (GI) Bill.  
SR-418
- 10 a.m.  
Armed Services  
Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine non-proliferation programs at the Departments of Defense and Energy in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program.  
SR-222
- Judiciary  
To hold hearings to examine combating cyber crime and identity theft in the digital age.  
SD-226
- 2:30 p.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine S. 1546, to provide for the conveyance of certain parcels of land to the town of Mantua, Utah, S. 2798, to reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfire through the facilitation of insect and disease infestation treatment of National Forest System and adjacent land, S. 2830, to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to clarify that uncertified States and Indian tribes have the authority to use certain payments for certain noncoal reclamation projects, and S. 2963, to designate certain land in the State of Oregon as wilderness, to provide for the exchange of certain Federal land and non-Federal land.  
SD-366
- Armed Services  
Strategic Forces Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine environmental management funding in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.  
SR-222
- APRIL 22
- 9:30 a.m.  
Armed Services  
To hold hearings to examine the Nuclear Posture Review.  
SD-G50
- 10 a.m.  
Appropriations  
Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.  
SD-192
- APRIL 28
- 2 p.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings to examine Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) reauthorization, focusing on standards and assessments.  
SD-430
- MAY 5
- 9:30 a.m.  
Veterans' Affairs  
To hold an oversight hearing to examine Veterans Affairs (VA) Disability Compensation, focusing on presumptive disability decision-making.  
SR-418
- 10 a.m.  
United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control  
To hold hearings to examine violence in Mexico and Ciudad Juarez and its implications for the United States.  
SD-124
- MAY 19
- 9:30 a.m.  
Veterans' Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine pending legislation.  
SR-418
- POSTPONEMENTS
- APRIL 14
- 9:30 a.m.  
Armed Services  
SeaPower Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine Navy shipbuilding programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program.  
SD-562