

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 17, 2012 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

APRIL 18

9:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the United States Forest Service.

SD-124

10 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the General Services Administration (GSA).

SD-406

Foreign Relations

To receive a closed briefing on an intelligence update on Iran and Syria.

SVC-217

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine effective strategies for accelerated learning.

SD-430

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of James Xavier Dempsey, of California, Elisebeth Collins Cook, of Illinois, Rachel L. Brand, of Iowa, David Medine, of Maryland, to be Chairman, and Patricia M. Wald, of the District of Columbia, all to be a Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board.

SD-226

Small Business and Entrepreneurship

To hold hearings to examine perspectives from the entrepreneurial ecosystem, focusing on creating jobs and growing businesses through entrepreneurship.

SR-428A

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety, and Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine protecting commuters, focusing on ensuring accountability and oversight in tolling.

SR-253

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Department of Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the Missile Defense Agency.

SD-192

2 p.m.

Budget

Business meeting to consider the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2013.

SD-608

Finance

International Trade, Customs, and Global Competitiveness Subcommittee

To hold a hearing to examine the Asia Pacific, focusing on trade opportunities for agriculture and food producers from the Great Plains to the Pacific Northwest.

SD-215

Aging

To hold hearings to examine the future of long-term care, focusing on saving money by serving seniors.

SH-216

2:15 p.m.

Foreign Relations

African Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the United States policy response to entrenched African leadership.

SD-419

2:30 p.m.

Appropriations

Financial Service and General Government Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the General Services Administration, focusing on a review of the recent Inspector General management deficiency report and an assessment of the fiscal year 2013 General Services Administration (GSA) funding request.

SD-138

Armed Services

Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine financial management and business transformation at the Department of Defense.

SD-G50

Armed Services

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the National Security Administration management of its National Security Laboratories.

SR-222

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

APRIL 19

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the impacts of sea level rise on domestic energy and water infrastructure.

SD-366

Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Joseph G. Jordan, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator for Federal Procurement Policy, Executive Office of the President.

SD-342

Armed Services

SeaPower Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Navy shipbuilding programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program.

SR-232A

10 a.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine Syria, focusing on United States policy options.

SD-419

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine delays in OSHA's standard-setting process and the impact on worker safety.

SD-430

Judiciary

Business meeting to consider the nominations of William J. Kayatta, Jr., of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, John Thomas Fowlkes, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee, Kevin McNulty, and Michael A. Shipp, both to be a United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, Stephanie Marie Rose, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Iowa, Michael P. Shea, of Connecticut, to be United States District Judge for the District of Connecticut, Gonzalo P. Curiel, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, and Robert J. Shelby, of Utah, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah.

SD-226

2 p.m.

Appropriations

Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2013 for the Food and Drug Administration.

SD-124

2:15 p.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 1684, to amend the Indian Tribal Energy Development and Self-Determination Act of 2005.

SD-628

APRIL 24

2:30 p.m.

Armed Services

Airland Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine tactical aircraft programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program.

SR-232A

APRIL 25

10 a.m.

Finance

To hold hearings to examine tax reform, focusing on what it means for state and local tax and fiscal policy.

SD-215

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine Veterans' Affairs mental health care, focusing on evaluating access and assessing care.

SD-138

2 p.m.

Armed Services

Personnel Subcommittee

To resume hearings to examine the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program.

SD-106

2:30 p.m.

Armed Services

Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine current readiness of U.S. forces in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program.

SR-232A

Armed Services

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine ballistic missile defense policies and programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session.

SR-222

APRIL 26

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine weather related electrical outages.

SD-366

10 a.m.

Finance

To hold hearings to examine tax filing season, focusing on improving the taxpayer experience.

SD-215

Armed Services

SeaPower Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Marine Corps acquisition programs in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program.

SR-222