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LETTER OF TRANSMITTIAL

U.S. SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES,
Washington, DC, March 26, 2015.

Hon. JOSEPH R. BIDEN, Jr.,
President of the Senate,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: Senate Rule XXVI.8(b) requires the submission of a report of the activities of the Senate Committee on Armed Services for the previous Congress.

In accordance with the requirements, I am submitting the report of the activities of the Committee during the 113th Congress. This report outlines the most noteworthy legislative achievements and other achievements and activities of our Committee.

Sincerely,

JOHN MCCAIN,
Chairman.

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February 19, 2013—JOE MANCHIN III, West Virginia, served as Chairman of the Subcommittee until March 27, 2014.

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DATES OF APPOINTMENT TO THE COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

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| CARL LEVIN, <i>January 23, 1979</i> | JAMES M. INHOFE, <i>January 4, 1995</i> |
| JACK REED, <i>January 7, 1999</i> | JOHN McCAIN, <i>January 6, 1987</i> |
| BILL NELSON, <i>January 24, 2013</i> | JEFF SESSIONS, <i>January 7, 1999</i> |
| CLAIRE McCASKILL, <i>January 12, 2007</i> | SAXBY CHAMBLISS, <i>January 15, 2003</i> |
| MARK UDALL, <i>January 21, 2009</i> | ROGER F. WICKER, <i>January 24, 2008</i> |
| KAY R. HAGAN, <i>January 21, 2009</i> | KELLY AYOTTE, <i>February 3, 2011</i> |
| JOE MANCHIN III, <i>November 15, 2010</i> | DEB FISCHER, <i>January 24, 2013</i> |
| JEANNE SHAHEEN, <i>February 3, 2011</i> | LINDSEY GRAHAM, <i>January 15, 2003</i> |
| KIRSTEN E. GILLIBRAND, <i>February 3, 2011</i> | DAVID VITTER, <i>January 21, 2009</i> |
| RICHARD BLUMENTHAL, <i>February 3, 2011</i> | ROY BLUNT, <i>January 24, 2013</i> |
| JOE DONNELLY, <i>January 24, 2013</i> | MIKE LEE, <i>January 24, 2013</i> |
| MAZIE K. HIRONO, <i>January 24, 2013</i> | TED CRUZ, <i>January 24, 2013</i> |
| TIM Kaine, <i>January 24, 2013</i> | |
| ANGUS S. KING, JR., <i>January 24, 2013</i> | |

JURISDICTION AND HISTORY

The Committee on Armed Services jurisdiction is set forth in Rule XXV(c) of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

(1) Committee on Armed Services, to which committee shall be referred all proposed legislation, messages, petitions, memorials, and other matters relating to the following subjects:

1. Aeronautical and space activities peculiar to or primarily associated with the development of weapons systems or military operations.

2. Common defense.

3. Department of Defense, the Department of the Army, the Department of the Navy, and the Department of the Air Force, generally.

4. Maintenance and operation of the Panama Canal, including administration, sanitation, and government of the Canal Zone.

5. Military research and development.

6. National security aspects of nuclear energy.

7. Naval petroleum reserves, except those in Alaska.

8. Pay, promotion, retirement, and other benefits and privileges of members of the Armed Forces, including overseas education of civilian and military dependents.

9. Selective service system.

10. Strategic and critical materials necessary for the common defense.

(2) Such committee shall also study and review, on a comprehensive basis, matters relating to the common defense policy of the United States, and report thereon from time to time.

The Senate Committees on Military Affairs; the Militia; and Naval Affairs were established on December 10, 1816. The Committee on the Militia was merged with the Committee on Military Affairs in 1858 to form the Military Affairs and Militia Committee. In 1872 the Committee dropped "Militia" from its name. The Military Affairs and Naval Affairs Committees existed until 1947 when they were combined by the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (Public Law 601 of the Seventy-ninth Congress, approved August 2, 1946, as amended by Public Law 510 of the Ninety-first Congress, approved October 26, 1970) into a new standing committee, the current Committee on Armed Services.

Part 1 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 created the standing committees of the Senate and provided that the Committee on Armed Services should consist of 13 Senators. The history of changes in the Committee on Armed Services membership since 1946 is as follows:

| Congress: | Year: | Under Authority of: | Number of Senators: |
|-----------|-------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| 82nd | 1953 | S. Res. 18 | 15 |
| 86th | 1959 | S. Res. 24 | 17 |
| 90th | 1967 | S. Res. 11 | 18 |
| 91st | 1970 | H.R. 17654 | 15 |
| 92nd | 1971 | S. Res. 15 | 16 |
| 93rd | 1973 | S. Res. 10 | 15 |
| 94th | 1975 | S. Res. 17 | 16 |
| 95th | 1977 | S. Res. 4 & S. Res. 82 | 18 |
| 100th | 1987 | S. Res. 14 | 20 |
| 103rd | 1993 | S. Res. 130 | 22 |
| 104th | 1995 | S. Res. 14 | 21 |
| 105th | 1997 | S. Res. 9 | 18 |
| 107th | 2001 | in part by S. Res. 8 | 25 |
| 109th | 2005 | S. Res. 5 & S. Res. 6 | 24 |
| 110th | 2007 | S. Res. 27 & S. Res. 28 | 25 |
| 111th | 2009 | S. Res. 18 & S. Res. 19 | 26 |
| 111th | 2010 | S. Res. 429 & S. Res. 450 | 28 |
| 112th | 2011 | S. Res. 42 and S. Res. 43 | 26 |
| 113th | 2013 | S. Res. 17 & S. Res. 18 | 26 |

RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

1. **REGULAR MEETING DAY**—The Committee shall meet at least once a month when Congress is in session. The regular meeting days of the Committee shall be Tuesday and Thursday, unless the Chairman, after consultation with the Ranking Minority Member, directs otherwise.

2. **ADDITIONAL MEETINGS**—The Chairman, after consultation with the Ranking Minority Member, may call such additional meetings as he deems necessary.

3. **SPECIAL MEETINGS**—Special meetings of the Committee may be called by a majority of the members of the Committee in accordance with paragraph 3 of Rule XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

4. **OPEN MEETINGS**—Each meeting of the Committee, or any subcommittee thereof, including meetings to conduct hearings, shall be open to the public, except that a meeting or series of meetings by the Committee or a subcommittee thereof on the same subject for a period of no more than fourteen (14) calendar days may be closed to the public on a motion made and seconded to go into closed session to discuss only whether the matters enumerated below in clauses (a) through (f) would require the meeting to be closed, followed immediately by a record vote in open session by a majority of the members of the Committee or subcommittee when it is determined that the matters to be discussed or the testimony to be taken at such meeting or meetings—

(a) will disclose matters necessary to be kept secret in the interests of national defense or the confidential conduct of the foreign relations of the United States;

(b) will relate solely to matters of Committee staff personnel or internal staff management or procedure;

(c) will tend to charge an individual with a crime or misconduct, to disgrace or injure the professional standing of an individual, or otherwise to expose an individual to public contempt or obloquy or will represent a clearly unwarranted invasion of the privacy of an individual;

(d) will disclose the identity of any informer or law enforcement agent or will disclose any information relating to the investigation or prosecution of a criminal offense that is required to be kept secret in the interests of effective law enforcement;

(e) will disclose information relating to the trade secrets or financial or commercial information pertaining specifically to a given person if—

(1) an Act of Congress requires the information to be kept confidential by Government officers and employees; or

(2) the information has been obtained by the Government on a confidential basis, other than through an application by such person for a specific Government financial or other benefit, and is required to be kept secret in order to prevent undue injury to the competitive position of such person; or

(f) may divulge matters required to be kept confidential under other provisions of law or Government regulations.

5. **PRESIDING OFFICER**—The Chairman shall preside at all meetings and hearings of the Committee except that in his absence the Ranking Majority Member present at the meeting or hearing shall preside unless by majority vote the Committee provides otherwise.

6. **QUORUM**—(a) A majority of the members of the Committee are required to be actually present to report a matter or measure from the Committee. (See Standing Rules of the Senate 26.7(a)(1)).

(b) Except as provided in subsections (a) and (c), and other than for the conduct of hearings, nine members of the Committee, including one member of the minority party; or a majority of the members of the Committee, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of such business as may be considered by the Committee.

(c) Three members of the Committee, one of whom shall be a member of the minority party, shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of taking sworn testimony, unless otherwise ordered by a majority of the full Committee.

(d) Proxy votes may not be considered for the purpose of establishing a quorum.

7. **PROXY VOTING**—Proxy voting shall be allowed on all measures and matters before the Committee. The vote by proxy of any member of the Committee may be counted for the purpose of reporting any measure or matter to the Senate if the absent member casting such vote has been informed of the matter on which the member is being recorded and has affirmatively requested that he or she be so recorded. Proxy must be given in writing.

8. **ANNOUNCEMENT OF VOTES**—The results of all roll call votes taken in any meeting of the Committee on any measure, or amendment thereto, shall be announced in the Committee report, unless previously announced by the Committee. The announcement shall include a tabulation of the votes cast in favor and votes cast in opposition to each such measure and amendment by each member of the Committee who was present at such meeting. The Chairman, after consultation with the Ranking Minority Member, may hold open a roll call vote on any measure or matter which is before the Committee until no later than midnight of the day on which the Committee votes on such measure or matter.

9. **SUBPOENAS**—Subpoenas for attendance of witnesses and for the production of memoranda, documents, records, and the like may be issued, after consultation with the Ranking Minority Member, by the Chairman or any other member designated by the Chairman, but only when authorized by a majority of the members of the Committee. The subpoena shall briefly state the matter to which the witness is expected to testify or the documents to be produced.

10. HEARINGS—(a) Public notice shall be given of the date, place and subject matter of any hearing to be held by the Committee, or any subcommittee thereof, at least 1 week in advance of such hearing, unless the Committee or subcommittee determines that good cause exists for beginning such hearings at an earlier time.

(b) Hearings may be initiated only by the specified authorization of the Committee or subcommittee.

(c) Hearings shall be held only in the District of Columbia unless specifically authorized to be held elsewhere by a majority vote of the Committee or subcommittee conducting such hearings.

(d) The Chairman of the Committee or subcommittee shall consult with the Ranking Minority Member thereof before naming witnesses for a hearing.

(e) Witnesses appearing before the Committee shall file with the clerk of the Committee a written statement of their proposed testimony prior to the hearing at which they are to appear unless the Chairman and the Ranking Minority Member determine that there is good cause not to file such a statement. Witnesses testifying on behalf of the Administration shall furnish an additional 50 copies of their statement to the Committee. All statements must be received by the Committee at least 48 hours (not including weekends or holidays) before the hearing.

(f) Confidential testimony taken or confidential material presented in a closed hearing of the Committee or subcommittee or any report of the proceedings of such hearing shall not be made public in whole or in part or by way of summary unless authorized by a majority vote of the Committee or subcommittee.

(g) Any witness summoned to give testimony or evidence at a public or closed hearing of the Committee or subcommittee may be accompanied by counsel of his own choosing who shall be permitted at all times during such hearing to advise such witness of his legal rights.

(h) Witnesses providing unsworn testimony to the Committee may be given a transcript of such testimony for the purpose of making minor grammatical corrections. Such witnesses will not, however, be permitted to alter the substance of their testimony. Any question involving such corrections shall be decided by the Chairman.

11. NOMINATIONS—Unless otherwise ordered by the Committee, nominations referred to the Committee shall be held for at least seven (7) days before being voted on by the Committee. Each member of the Committee shall be furnished a copy of all nominations referred to the Committee.

12. REAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS—Each member of the Committee shall be furnished with a copy of the proposals of the Secretaries of the Army, Navy, and Air Force, submitted pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2662 and with a copy of the proposals of the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, submitted pursuant to 50 U.S.C. App. 2285, regarding the proposed acquisition or disposition of property of an estimated price or rental of more than \$50,000. Any member of the Committee objecting to or requesting information on a proposed acquisition or disposal shall communicate his objection or request to the Chairman of the Committee within thirty (30) days from the date of submission.

13. LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR—(a) The clerk of the Committee shall keep a printed calendar for the information of each Committee member showing the bills introduced and referred to the Committee and the status of such bills. Such calendar shall be revised from time to time to show pertinent changes in such bills, the current status thereof, and new bills introduced and referred to the Committee. A copy of each new revision shall be furnished to each member of the Committee.

(b) Unless otherwise ordered, measures referred to the Committee shall be referred by the clerk of the Committee to the appropriate department or agency of the Government for reports thereon.

14. Except as otherwise specified herein, the Standing Rules of the Senate shall govern the actions of the Committee. Each subcommittee of the Committee is part of the Committee, and is therefore subject to the Committee's rules so far as applicable.

15. POWERS AND DUTIES OF SUBCOMMITTEES—Each subcommittee is authorized to meet, hold hearings, receive evidence, and report to the full Committee on all matters referred to it. Subcommittee chairmen, after consultation with Ranking Minority Members of the subcommittees, shall set dates for hearings and meetings of their respective subcommittees after consultation with the Chairman and other subcommittee chairmen with a view toward avoiding simultaneous scheduling of full Committee and subcommittee meetings or hearings whenever possible.

RELATIONSHIP OF ANNUAL AUTHORIZATION TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

History of Section 114, Title 10, United States Code

The jurisdiction of the committee so far as specific annual authorizations are concerned was increased significantly in 1959 by the enactment of section 412(b) of Public Law 86-149 which required annual congressional authorization of appropriations for the procurement of aircraft, missiles and naval vessels. That law was amended and expanded as follows:

- In 1962 (Public Law 88-436) to require similar authorization of appropriations for research, development, test, or evaluation associated with aircraft, missiles and naval vessels;
- In 1963 (Public Law 88-174) to require similar authorization of appropriations for all research, development, test, or evaluation carried on by the Department of Defense;
- In 1965 (Public Law 89-37) to require authorization of appropriations for the procurement of tracked combat vehicles;
- In 1967 (Public Law 90-168) to require annual authorization of the personnel strengths of each of the Selected Reserves of the Reserve components as a prior condition for the appropriation of funds for the pay and allowances for the Reserve components;
- In 1969 (Public Law 91-121) to require authorization of appropriations for the procurement of other weapons to or for the use of any armed force of the United States. (Essentially, heavy, medium, and light artillery, anti-aircraft artillery, rifles, machine-guns, mortars, small arms weapons, and any crew-fired piece using fixed ammunition);
- In 1970 (Public Law 91-441) to require authorization of appropriations to or for the use of the Navy for the procurement of torpedoes and related support equipment; and to require authorization of the average annual active duty personnel strength for each component of the Armed Forces as a condition precedent to the appropriation of funds for this purpose;
- In 1971 (Public Law 92-436) to require annual authorization for the average military training student loads for each component of the Armed Forces, and modified the provision relating to authorization for active duty personnel strength;
- In 1973 (Public Law 93-155) to require authorization for end strength civilian employment for each component of the Defense Department in each fiscal year;
- In 1975 (Public Law 94-106) to require the annual authorization of military construction of ammunition facilities;

- In 1980 (Public Law 96–342) to require the annual authorization of appropriations of funds for the operation and maintenance of any armed force of the activities and agencies of the Department of Defense (other than the military departments) for fiscal years beginning after September 30, 1981; and
- In 1982 (Public Law 97–86) to require the annual authorization of appropriations of funds for procurement of ammunition or other procurement for any armed force or for agencies of the Department of Defense (other than military departments).

Also, in 1973 these enactments were codified by section 803(a) of Public Law 93–155 into Title 10, United States Code, as section 138. Section 138 was amended on several occasions and, in 1986, was divided into two sections redesignated as sections 114 and 115 of title 10, United States Code, by the Goldwater-Nichols Department of Defense Reorganization Act of 1986 (Public Law 99–433). Both sections have subsequently been amended several times. The law today reads as follows:

§ 114. Annual authorization of appropriations

(a) No funds may be appropriated for any fiscal year to or for the use of any armed force or obligated or expended for—

- (1) procurement of aircraft, missiles, or naval vessels;
- (2) any research, development, test, or evaluation, or procurement or production related thereto;
- (3) procurement of tracked combat vehicles;
- (4) procurement of other weapons;
- (5) procurement of naval torpedoes and related support equipment;
- (6) military construction;
- (7) the operation and maintenance of any armed force or of the activities and agencies of the Department of Defense (other than the military departments);
- (8) procurement of ammunition; or
- (9) other procurement by any armed force or by the activities and agencies of the Department of Defense (other than the military departments); unless funds therefor have been specifically authorized by law.

(b) In subsection (a)(6), the term “military construction” includes any construction, development, conversion, or extension of any kind which is carried out with respect to any military facility or installation (including any Government-owned or Government-leased industrial facility used for the production of defense articles and any facility to which section 2353 of this title [10 USCS § 2353] applies), any activity to which section 2807 of this title [10 USCS § 2807] applies, any activity to which chapter 1803 of this title [10 USCS §§ 18231 et seq.] applies, and advances to the Secretary of Transportation for the construction of defense access roads under section 210 of title 23. Such term does not include any activity to which section § 2821 or 2854 of this title [10 USCS 2821 or 2854] applies.

(c)(1) The size of the Special Defense Acquisition Fund established pursuant to chapter 5 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2795 et seq.) may not exceed \$1,070,000,000.

(2) Notwithstanding section 37(a) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2777(a)), amounts received by the United States pursuant to subparagraph (A) of section 21(a)(1) of that Act (22 U.S.C. 2761(a)(1))—

(A) shall be credited to the Special Defense Acquisition Fund established pursuant to chapter 5 of that Act (22 U.S.C. 2795 et seq.), as authorized by section 51(b)(1) of that Act (22 U.S.C. 2795(b)(1)), but subject to the limitation in paragraph (1) and other applicable law; and

(B) to the extent not so credited, shall be deposited in the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts as provided in section 3302(b) of title 31.

(d) Funds may be appropriated for the armed forces for use as an emergency fund for research, development, test, and evaluation, or related procurement or production, only if the appropriation of the funds is authorized by law after June 30, 1966.

(e) In each budget submitted by the President to Congress under section 1105 of title 31, amounts requested for procurement of equipment for the reserve components of the armed forces (including the National Guard) shall be set forth separately from other amounts requested for procurement for the armed forces.

(f) In each budget submitted by the President to Congress under section 1105 of title 31, amounts requested for procurement of ammunition for the Navy and Marine Corps, and for procurement of ammunition for the Air Force, shall be set forth separately from other amounts requested for procurement.

§ 115. Personnel strengths: requirement for annual authorization

(a) Active-duty and Selected Reserve end strengths to be authorized by law. Congress shall authorize personnel strength levels for each fiscal year for each of the following:

(1) The end strength for each of the armed forces (other than the Coast Guard) for (A) active-duty personnel who are to be paid from funds appropriated for active-duty personnel unless on active duty pursuant to subsection (b), and (B) active-duty personnel and full-time National Guard duty personnel who are to be paid from funds appropriated for reserve personnel unless on active duty or full-time National Guard duty pursuant to subsection (b).

(2) The end strength for the Selected Reserve of each reserve component of the armed forces.

(b) Certain reserves on active duty to be authorized by law.

(1) Congress shall annually authorize the maximum number of members of a reserve component permitted to be on active duty or full-time National Guard duty at any given time who are called or ordered to—

(A) active duty under section 12301(d) of this title [10 USCS § 12301(d)] for the purpose of providing operational support, as prescribed in regulation issued by the Secretary of Defense;

(B) full-time National Guard duty under section 502(f)(2) of title 32 for the purpose of providing operational support when authorized by the Secretary of Defense;

(C) active duty under section 12301(d) of this title [10 USCS § 12301(d)] or full-time National Guard duty under section 502(f)(2) of title 32 for the purpose of preparing for and performing funeral honors functions for funerals of veterans under section 1491 of this title [10 USCS § 1491];

(D) active duty or retained on active duty under sections 12301(g) of this title [10 USCS § 12301(g)] while in a captive status; or

(E) active duty or retained on active duty under 12301(h) or 12322 of this title [10 USCS § 12301(h) or 12322] for the purpose of medical evaluation or treatment.

(2) A member of a reserve component who exceeds either of the following limits shall be included in the strength authorized under subparagraph (A) or subparagraph (B), as appropriate, of subsection (a)(1):

(A) A call or order to active duty or full-time National Guard duty that specifies a period greater than three years.

(B) The cumulative periods of active duty and full-time National Guard duty performed by the member exceed 1095 days in the previous 1460 days.

(3) In determining the period of active service under paragraph (2), the following periods of active service performed by a member shall not be included:

(A) All periods of active duty performed by a member who has not previously served in the Selected Reserve of the Ready Reserve.

(B) All periods of active duty or full-time National Guard duty for which the member is exempt from strength accounting under paragraphs (1) through (8) of subsection (i).

(4) As part of the budget justification materials submitted by the Secretary of Defense to Congress in support of the end strength authorizations required under subparagraphs (A) and (B) of subsection (a)(1) for fiscal year 2009 and each fiscal year thereafter, the Secretary shall provide the following:

(A) The number of members, specified by reserve component, authorized under subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (1) who were serving on active duty or full-time National Guard duty for operational support beyond each of the limits specified under subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (2) at the end of the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year for which the budget justification materials are submitted.

(B) The number of members, specified by reserve component, on active duty for operational support who, at the end of the fiscal year for which the budget justification materials are submitted, are projected to be serving on active duty or full-time National Guard duty for operational support beyond such limits.

(C) The number of members, specified by reserve component, on active duty or full-time National Guard duty for operational support who are included in, and counted against, the end strength authorizations requested under subparagraphs (A) and (B) of subsection (a)(1).

- (D) A summary of the missions being performed by members identified under subparagraphs (A) and (B).
- (c) Limitation on appropriations for military personnel. No funds may be appropriated for any fiscal year to or for—
- (1) the use of active-duty personnel or full-time National Guard duty personnel of any of the armed forces (other than the Coast Guard) unless the end strength for such personnel of that armed force for that fiscal year has been authorized by law;
 - (2) the use of the Selected Reserve of any reserve component of the armed forces unless the end strength for the Selected Reserve of that component for that fiscal year has been authorized by law; or
 - (3) the use of reserve component personnel to perform active duty or full-time National Guard duty under subsection (b) unless the strength for such personnel for that reserve component for that fiscal year has been authorized by law.
- (d) Military technician (dual status) end strengths to be authorized by law. Congress shall authorize for each fiscal year the end strength for military technicians (dual status) for each reserve component of the Army and Air Force. Funds available to the Department of Defense for any fiscal year may not be used for the pay of a military technician (dual status) during that fiscal year unless the technician fills a position that is within the number of such positions authorized by law for that fiscal year for the reserve component of that technician. This subsection applies without regard to section 129 of this title [10 USCS § 129]. In each budget submitted by the President to Congress under section 1105 of title 31, the end strength requested for military technicians (dual status) for each reserve component of the Army and Air Force shall be specifically set forth.
- (e) End-of-quarter strength levels.
- (1) The Secretary of Defense shall prescribe and include in the budget justification documents submitted to Congress in support of the President's budget for the Department of Defense for any fiscal year the Secretary's proposed end-of-quarter strengths for each of the first three quarters of the fiscal year for which the budget is submitted, in addition to the Secretary's proposed fiscal-year end-strengths for that fiscal year. Such end-of-quarter strengths shall be submitted for each category of personnel for which end strengths are required to be authorized by law under subsection (a) or (d). The Secretary shall ensure that resources are provided in the budget at a level sufficient to support the end-of-quarter and fiscal-year end-strengths as submitted.
 - (2)(A) After annual end-strength levels required by subsections (a) and (d) are authorized by law for a fiscal year, the Secretary of Defense shall promptly prescribe end-of-quarter strength levels for the first three quarters of that fiscal year applicable to each such end-strength level. Such end-of-quarter strength levels shall be established for any fiscal year as levels to be achieved in meeting each of those annual end-strength levels authorized by law in accordance with subsection (a) (as

such levels may be adjusted pursuant to subsection (f) and subsection (d).

(B) At least annually, the Secretary of Defense shall establish for each of the armed forces (other than the Coast Guard) the maximum permissible variance of actual strength for an armed force at the end of any given quarter from the end-of-quarter strength established pursuant to subparagraph (A). Such variance shall be such that it promotes the maintaining of the strength necessary to achieve the end-strength levels authorized in accordance with subsection (a) (as adjusted pursuant to subsection (f) and subsection (d).

(3) Whenever the Secretary establishes an end-of-quarter strength level under subparagraph (A) of paragraph (2), or modifies a strength level under the authority provided in subparagraph (B) of paragraph (2), the Secretary shall notify the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate and the Committee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives of that strength level or of that modification, as the case may be.

(f) Authority for Secretary of Defense variances for active-duty and Selected Reserve strengths. Upon determination by the Secretary of Defense that such action is in the national interest, the Secretary may—

(1) increase the end strength authorized pursuant to subsection (a)(1)(A) for a fiscal year for any of the armed forces by a number equal to not more than 3 percent of that end strength;

(2) increase the end strength authorized pursuant to subsection (a)(1)(B) for a fiscal year for any of the armed forces by a number equal to not more than 2 percent of that end strength;

(3) vary the end strength authorized pursuant to subsection (a)(2) for a fiscal year for the Selected Reserve of any of the reserve components by a number equal to not more than 3 percent of that end strength; and

(4) increase the maximum strength authorized pursuant to subsection (b)(1) for a fiscal year for certain reserves on active duty for any of the reserve components by a number equal to not more than 10 percent of that strength.

(g) Authority for service Secretary variances for active-duty end strengths. Upon determination by the Secretary of a military department that such action would enhance manning and readiness in essential units or in critical specialties or ratings, the Secretary may increase the end strength authorized pursuant to subsection (a)(1)(A) for a fiscal year for the armed force under the jurisdiction of that Secretary or, in the case of the Secretary of the Navy, for any of the armed forces under the jurisdiction of that Secretary. Any such increase for a fiscal year—

(1) shall be by a number equal to not more than 2 percent of such authorized end strength; and

(2) shall be counted as part of the increase for that armed force for that fiscal year authorized under subsection (f)(1).

(h) Adjustment when Coast Guard is operating as a service in the Navy. The authorized strength of the Navy under subsection (a)(1) is increased by the authorized strength of the Coast Guard

during any period when the Coast Guard is operating as a service in the Navy.

(i) Certain personnel excluded from counting for active-duty end strengths. In counting personnel for the purpose of the end strengths authorized pursuant to subsection (a)(1), persons in the following categories shall be excluded:

(1) Members of a reserve component ordered to active duty under section 12301(a) of this title [10 USCS § 12301(a)].

(2) Members of a reserve component in an active status ordered to active duty under section 12301(b) of this title [10 USCS § 12301(b)].

(3) Members of the Ready Reserve ordered to active duty under section 12302 of this title [10 USCS § 12302].

(4) Members of the Selected Reserve of the Ready Reserve or members of the Individual Ready Reserve mobilization category described in section 10144(b) of this title [10 USCS § 10144(b)] ordered to active duty under section 12304 of this title [10 USCS § 12304].

(5) Members of the National Guard called into Federal service under section 12406 of this title [10 USCS § 12406].

(6) Members of the militia called into Federal service under chapter 15 of this title [10 USCS §§ 331 et seq.].

(7) Members of the National Guard on full-time National Guard duty under section 502(f)(1) of title 32.

(8) Members of reserve components on active duty for training or full-time National Guard duty for training.

(9) Members of the Selected Reserve of the Ready Reserve on active duty to support programs described in section 1203(b) of the Cooperative Threat Reduction Act of 1993 (22 U.S.C. 5952(b)).

(10) Members of the National Guard on active duty or full-time National Guard duty for the purpose of carrying out drug interdiction and counter-drug activities under section 112 of title 32.

(11) Members of a reserve component on active duty under section 10(b)(2) of the Military Selective Service Act (50 U.S.C. App. 460(b)(2)) for the administration of the Selective Service System.

(12) Members of the National Guard on full-time National Guard duty for the purpose of providing command, administrative, training, or support services for the National Guard Challenge Program authorized by section 509 of title 32.

(13) Members of the National Guard on full-time National Guard duty involuntarily and performing homeland defense activities under chapter 9 of title 32 [USCS §§ 901 et seq.].

KEY ACTIVITIES DURING THE 113TH CONGRESS

NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014

The committee began the First Session of the 113th Congress with a series of oversight and review hearings and briefings on a variety of issues, including the impact of sequestration on the Department of Defense, sexual assaults in the military, the current and future worldwide threats to National security, continued involvement in Afghanistan, and developments in Libya and Syria.

The committee's nine full committee and 17 subcommittee hearings, with a total of 98 witnesses, on the President's budget request for national defense for fiscal year 2014 were structured to address the following 10 committee priorities to:

- Sustain the quality of life of the men and women of the all-volunteer force (active duty, National Guard, and Reserves) and their families, as well as Department of Defense civilian personnel, through fair pay, policies, and benefits, and addresses the needs of the wounded, ill, and injured service members and their families.
- Reduce our Nation's strategic risk by taking action aimed at restoring, as soon as possible, the readiness of the military services to conduct the full range of their assigned missions.
- Provide our servicemen and women with the resources, training, technology, equipment, and authorities they will need to succeed in combat, counterinsurgency, and stability operations.
- Enhance the capability of the U.S. armed forces to support the Afghanistan National Security Forces (ANSF) and Afghan Local Police as the lead responsibility for security throughout Afghanistan's transition to the ANSF.
- Enhance the capability of the U.S. armed forces and the security forces of allied and friendly nations to defeat al Qaeda, its affiliates, and other violent extremist organizations.
- Improve the ability of the armed forces to counter emerging and nontraditional threats, focusing on terrorism, cyber warfare, and the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery (including ballistic missiles).
- Address the threats from nuclear weapons and materials by strengthening nonproliferation programs, maintaining a credible nuclear deterrent, reducing the size of the nuclear weapons stockpile, and ensuring the safety, security, and reliability of the stockpile, the delivery systems, and the nuclear infrastructure.
- Terminate troubled or unnecessary programs and activities, identifies efficiencies, and reduces defense expenditures in light of the Nation's budget deficit problems. Ensures the future capability, viability, and fiscal sustainability of the all-volunteer force.
- Emphasize the reduction of dependency on fossil fuels and seeks greater energy security and independence, pursues techno-

logical advances in traditional and alternative energy storage, power systems, operational energy tactical advantages, renewable energy production, and more energy efficient ground, air, and naval systems.

- Promote aggressive and thorough oversight of DOD's programs and activities to ensure proper stewardship of taxpayer's dollars and compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

Following a 2-day markup in mid-June, the committee reported as an original bill S. 1197, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014, to the Senate on June 20, 2013 with an accompanying report, S. Rept. 113-44.

Senate debate on the bill began on November 18 and concluded on December 9. During 5 days of floor debate, the Senate considered 2 amendments. On November 21, 2013, the Senate failed to invoke cloture and was not able to complete consideration of the bill. The chairmen and ranking members of the Committees on Armed Services of the Senate and House of Representatives reconciled provisions of H.R. 3304, as passed by the House of Representatives on June 14, 2013, and S. 1197, as reported by the Senate Committee on Armed Services.

The negotiated agreement, which included a number of amendments submitted during the Senate's consideration of S. 1197 which were cleared by both sides but not adopted by the Senate, was introduced as a House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3304, and was considered and passed as amended by the House of Representatives under suspension of the rules on December 12, 2013, by a vote of 350-69. The Senate considered the House amendment and concurred on December 19, 2013, by a vote of 84-15. The President signed the legislation on December 26, 2013, and it became Public Law 113-66.

Because the Senate did not pass S. 1197, there was no conference and thus no conference report and formal joint explanatory statement of the conference committee for H.R. 3304. Rather, the House Committee on Armed Services filed a committee print (No. 2, dated December 2013) containing the legislative text and joint explanatory statement to accompany H.R. 3304.

INQUIRY INTO U.S. COSTS AND ALLIED CONTRIBUTIONS TO SUPPORT THE U.S. MILITARY PRESENCE OVERSEAS

The United States spends more than \$10 billion a year to support our permanent military presence overseas. That does not include military personnel costs or spending to support the war in Afghanistan. The cost of maintaining that presence in Germany, South Korea, and Japan—three critical allies makes up about 70% of that total, costing American taxpayers nearly \$7 billion a year. The United States is engaged in several force posture changes in Europe and the Asia Pacific that will affect our presence in those three countries and have long-term strategic and fiscal impacts. In March 2012, the committee initiated a review of U.S. costs in Germany, South Korea, and Japan, including how the burden of costs is shared between the U.S. and our allies, the impact of planned posture changes on those costs, and the spending and oversight of foreign government payments—particularly in-kind payments used for military construction projects.

Over the course of the review, committee staff reviewed thousands of pages of documents, the majority of which were provided by the Department of Defense (DOD). Staff also traveled to Germany, South Korea, and Japan where they visited military installations and met with members of U.S. European Command (EUCOM), U.S. Forces Korea, U.S. Forces Japan, and the Army's Installation Management Command (IMCOM). In Japan, staff also met with representatives of the U.S. Department of State and the Government of Japan. In addition, staff conducted meetings and interviews in the United States with officials from the Department of Defense and the Military Services.

The committee's report (S. Rept. 113-12), was adopted by the committee on March 20, 2013, and reported to the Senate on April 5, 2013, and consists of three sections examining specific issues in Germany, South Korea, and Japan respectively.

Section I of the report discusses so-called residual value payments in Germany. Residual value payments result from negotiations between the U.S. and certain host countries to determine compensation to be paid for the return of U.S. facilities to the host country. Force reductions in Germany have resulted in the return of a large number of U.S. facilities to the German government, and will continue to do so in the future. These returns will likely generate significant residual value payments from Germany. Section I describes the use and oversight of residual value payments from previous facility returns and discusses whether DOD practices are in accordance with law and regulations.

Section II examines U.S. costs associated with our military presence in South Korea and South Korean burden-sharing contributions made pursuant to the bilateral Special Measures Agreement (SMA). The section focuses on U.S. costs associated with planned posture changes in South Korea, assesses whether South Korea's SMA contributions are keeping pace with the growth in U.S. costs, and reviews the use and oversight of Korean SMA contributions. The section also discusses potential long-term costs associated with the U.S. Army's proposal to construct military family housing at Camp Humphreys.

Section III assesses Japan's burden-sharing contributions to the U.S. under the bilateral Special Measures Agreement (SMA) and the Japanese Facilities Improvement Program (FIP). It describes the challenges of securing FIP funding for U.S. priorities and the risks associated with potential shifts in Japanese contributions from SMA to FIP. Section III also identifies potentially large U.S. costs associated with planned force posture changes in the Asia Pacific. It discusses reductions in Japan's financial support for those changes and describes pressing construction and renovation needs at Marine Corps Air Station Futenma, a critical U.S. asset in the region.

NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015

The committee began the Second Session of the 113th Congress with a series of oversight and review hearings and briefings on a variety of issues, including recent changes to the military retirement system, defense acquisition reform, military compensation, and updates on Afghanistan and Ukraine.

The committee's 12 full committee and 18 subcommittee hearings, with a total of 121 witnesses, on the President's budget request for national defense for fiscal year 2015 were structured to address the following 10 committee priorities to:

- Ensure the long-term viability of the all-volunteer force by sustaining the quality of life of the men and women of the total force (active duty, National Guard and Reserves) and their families, as well as Department of Defense civilian personnel, through fair pay, policies and benefits, and by addressing the needs of the wounded, ill and injured service members and their families.

- Reduce our Nation's strategic risk by taking action aimed at restoring, as soon as possible, the readiness of the military services to conduct the full range of their assigned missions.

- Provide our servicemen and women with the resources, training, technology, equipment, facilities, and authorities they will need to succeed in future combat, counterinsurgency, and stability operations.

- Successfully conclude the U.S. combat mission in Afghanistan, while enhancing the capability of the U.S. armed forces to support other nations in their efforts to increase their capacity to provide for their domestic and regional security and contribute to international security.

- Enhance the capability of the U.S. armed forces and the security forces of allied and friendly nations to defeat al Qaeda, its affiliates and other violent extremist organizations.

- Improve the ability of the armed forces to counter emerging and nontraditional threats, focusing on terrorism, cyber warfare, and the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery.

- Address the threats from nuclear weapons and materials by strengthening nonproliferation programs, maintaining a credible nuclear deterrent, reducing the size of the nuclear weapons stockpile, and ensuring the safety, security and reliability of the stockpile, the delivery systems, and the nuclear infrastructure.

- Terminate troubled or unnecessary programs and activities, identify efficiencies, and reduce defense expenditures in light of the Nation's budget deficit problems. Ensure the future capability, viability, and fiscal sustainability of the all-volunteer force.

- Emphasize the reduction of dependency on fossil fuels and seek greater energy security and independence and pursue technological advances in traditional and alternative energy storage, power systems, operational energy tactical advantages, renewable energy production, and more energy efficient ground, air, and naval systems.

- Promote aggressive and thorough oversight of the Department's programs and activities to ensure proper stewardship of taxpayer dollars and compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

Following a 2-day markup in mid-May, the committee reported as an original bill S. 2410, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015, to the Senate on June 2, 2014 with an accompanying report, S. Rept. 113-176. The chairmen and ranking members of the Committees on Armed Services of the Senate and House of Representatives reconciled provisions of H.R. 4435, as passed by

the House of Representatives on May 22, 2014, and S. 1197, as reported by the Senate Committee on Armed Services.

The negotiated agreement, which included a number of proposed Senate amendments to S. 1197 that were cleared by both sides but not adopted by the Senate, was introduced as a House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3979, and was considered and passed as amended by the House of Representatives on December 4, 2014, by a vote of 300–119. The Senate considered the House amendment and concurred on December 12, 2014, by a vote of 89–11. The President signed the legislation on December 19, 2014, and it became Public Law 113–291.

Because the Senate did not pass S. 2410, there was no conference and thus no conference report and formal joint explanatory statement of the conference committee for H.R. 3979. Rather, the House Committee on Armed Services filed a committee print (No. 4, dated December 2014) containing the legislative text and joint explanatory statement to accompany H.R. 3979.

INQUIRY INTO CYBERSECURITY INTRUSIONS AFFECTING U.S. TRANSPORTATION COMMAND CONTRACTORS

In April 2013, the committee initiated an inquiry into how much information was known to the U.S. Transportation Command (TRANSCOM) about successful cyber intrusions affecting command contractors. The committee focused on TRANSCOM because of the central role that the command plays in mobilization, deployment, and sustainment operations and the critical capabilities that private companies contribute to TRANSCOM's ability to meet military requirements in contingencies.

Over the course of the inquiry, the committee reviewed information provided by TRANSCOM, 11 command contractors, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), the Defense Security Service (DSS), the Defense Cyber Crime Center (DC3), and the U.S. Air Force Office of Special Investigations (AFOSI). The committee also reviewed TRANSCOM's cyber incident reporting requirement, cyber intrusion reporting provisions included in the Fiscal Year 2013 National Defense Authorization Act (NOAA), and a number of executive branch guidelines, directives, and agreements to assess their effectiveness in promoting information sharing.

The committee's inquiry identified approximately 50 successful intrusions or other cyber events targeting TRANSCOM contractors between June 1, 2012 and May 30, 2013. Of those 50, at least 20 were successful intrusions into contractor networks attributed to an "advanced persistent threat" (APT), a term used to distinguish sophisticated cyber threats that are frequently associated with foreign governments. Of those APT-linked intrusions, TRANSCOM was made aware of only two, a troubling finding given the potential impact of cyber intrusions on defense information and operations.

Of the at least 20 successful cyber intrusions attributed to an APT, all were attributed to China. As to the reasons for TRANSCOM's lack of knowledge regarding these intrusions, the committee found gaps in requirements that result in many cyber intrusions not being reported to the command and a lack of common understanding between TRANSCOM and its contractors as to the scope of cyber intrusions that must be reported. The committee

also found that FBI and Department of Defense (DOD) components were frequently unaware that companies they had identified as victims of cyber intrusions were TRANSCOM contractors. In addition, the inquiry revealed misperceptions about the rules governing how cyber intrusion-related information identifying a particular victim may be shared and a lack of communication between TRANSCOM and other DOD components regarding TRANSCOM's need to know about cyber intrusions. In the end, these shortcomings left TRANSCOM uninformed about the overwhelming majority of cyber intrusions affecting contractor networks by APT actors.

The committee's report (S. Rept. 113-258), was adopted by the committee on March 26, 2014, declassified by the Department of Defense, and released publicly at a press conference on September 17, 2014.

**SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES
DURING THE 113TH CONGRESS**

| | 1 st Session | 2 nd Session | Total |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| National Defense Authorization Acts | | | |
| Days in markup | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Days on floor | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Amendments disposed of | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Roll call votes | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Hours of debate | 23 | 21 | 44 |
| Hearings and Other Meetings | 80 | 82 | 162 |
| Full Committee | 52 | 47 | 99 |
| Airland Subcommittee | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee | 5 | 9 | 14 |
| Personnel Subcommittee | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee | 4 | 5 | 9 |
| Seapower Subcommittee | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Strategic Subcommittee | 8 | 8 | 16 |
| Nominations | 16,860 | 15,583 | 32,443 |
| Civilian | 20 | 24 | 44 |
| Military (total) | 16,840 | 15,559 | 32,399 |
| Army | 6,726 | 6,379 | 13,105 |
| Navy | 3,881 | 3,877 | 7,758 |
| Marine Corps | 762 | 879 | 1,641 |
| Air Force | 5,471 | 4,424 | 9,895 |
| Bills and Resolutions | 58 | 50 | 108 |
| Referred to Committee | 57 | 49 | 106 |
| Original from Committee | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Reported / Discharged | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Passed Senate | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Became Public Law | 1 | 0 | 1 |

FULL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

1. January 31, 2013—Civilian nomination hearing.
Nominee: Hagel.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
2. February 7, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the Department of Defense’s response to the attack on U.S. facilities in Benghazi, Libya, and the findings of its internal review following the attack.
Witnesses: Panetta and Dempsey.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–164).
3. February 12, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the impacts of sequestration and/or a full-year continuing resolution on the Department of Defense.
Witnesses: Carter, Hale, Dempsey, Odierno, Ferguson, Amos, Welsh, and Grass.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–173).
4. February 12, 2013—Executive session to consider the Hagel nomination.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
5. February 14, 2013—Military nominations hearing.
Nominees: Austin and Rodriguez.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
6. February 26, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations and committee funding.
Closed. Not recorded.
7. February 28, 2013—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Estevez, Vollrath, and Fanning.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
8. March 5, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Central Command and U.S. Special Operations Command in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Mattis and McRaven.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
9. March 7, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Africa Command and U.S. Transportation Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Ham and Fraser.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
10. March 12, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Strategic Command and U.S. Cyber Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Kehler and Alexander.

- Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
11. March 19, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. European Command, U.S. Northern Command, and U.S. Southern Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Stavridis, Jacoby, and Kelly.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
12. March 20, 2013—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations and the report on the Committee’s inquiry into U.S. costs and allied contributions to support the U.S. military presence overseas.
Closed. Not recorded.
13. April 9, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Pacific Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witness: Locklear.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
14. April 11, 2013—Military nomination hearing.
Nominee: Breedlove.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
15. April 16, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the situation in Afghanistan.
Witness: Dunford.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–174).
16. April 17, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Hagel, Dempsey, and Hale.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
17. April 17, 2013—Briefing on the situation in Syria.
Briefers: Hagel and Dempsey.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–110).
18. April 18, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the current and future worldwide threats to the national security of the United States.
Witnesses: Clapper and Flynn.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–374).
19. April 23, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the Department of the Army in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: McHugh and Odierno.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
20. April 24, 2013—Met informally with His Majesty King Abdullah II of Jordan to discuss U.S.-Jordanian security relations and other regional issues.
Closed. Not recorded.
21. April 25, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the Department of the Navy in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Mabus, Greenert, and Amos.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
22. May 7, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the Department of the Air Force in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

- Witnesses: Donley and Welsh.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 1).
23. May 14, 2013—Classified briefing on the situation in Syria.
Briefers: Miller, Wolff, Lansdown, Truluck, and Asmar.
Closed. Not printed.
24. May 16, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the law of armed conflict, the use of military force, and the 2001 Authorization for the Use of Military Force.
Witnesses: Taylor, Sheehan, Nagata, Gross, Brooks, Roth, Corn, Stimson, and Goldsmith.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–282).
25. May 16, 2013—Met informally with members of the British House of Commons Defence Committee to discuss U.S.-U.K. security relations and other bilateral issues.
Closed. Not recorded.
26. May 17, 2013—Met informally with French Minister of Defence Jean-Yves Le Drian to discuss the U.S.-France transatlantic partnership U.S.-France cooperation in Mali and elsewhere, the upcoming French White Paper on defense and security strategy, and other bilateral issues.
Closed. Not recorded.
27. May 22, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
28. June 4, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on pending legislation regarding sexual assaults in the military.
Witnesses: Dempsey, Odierno, Greenert, Amos, Welsh, Papp, Chipman, DeRenzi, Harding, Ary, Kenney, Gross, Martin, Coughlin, King, Leavitt, Parrish, Bhagwati, Altenburg, and Morris.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–320).
29. June 6, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
30. June 12, 2013—Met to mark up the sexual assault provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2014.
Open. Not printed.
31. June 12, 2013—Met to begin mark up on the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2014.
Closed. Not printed.
32. June 13, 2013—Met to continue mark-up on the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2014.
Closed. Not printed.
33. June 20, 2013—Classified briefing on the National Security Agency’s electronic surveillance programs.
Briefers: Inglis, Litt, Cole, and Douglas.
Closed. Not printed.
34. June 26, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
35. July 11, 2013—Classified briefing on Department of Defense operations conducted pursuant to the 2001 Authorization for the Use of Military Force and the presidential policy guidance on counterterrorism.

- Briefers: Vickers, Sheehan, and Tidd.
Closed. Not printed.
36. July 16, 2013—Classified briefing on the situation in Syria.
Briefers: Miller and Winnefeld.
Closed. Not printed.
37. July 18, 2013—Military nominations hearing.
Nominees: Dempsey and Winnefeld.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
38. July 25, 2013—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Preston, Rymer, Rabern, and McGinn.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
39. July 30, 2013—Military nominations hearing.
Nominees: Haney and Scaparrotti.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
40. July 30, 2013—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
41. September 4, 2013—Classified briefing on the situation in Syria.
Briefers: Hagel, Dempsey, and McCord.
Closed. Not printed.
42. September 17, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations and committee funding.
Closed. Not recorded.
43. September 19, 2013—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: James, Wright, Klotz, Lettre, and Ohlson.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
44. September 24, 2013—Executive session to consider civilian nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
45. October 3, 2013—Classified briefing on the situation in Syria.
Briefers: Miller, Countryman, Ford, Winnefeld, and Becker.
Closed. Not printed.
46. October 10, 2013—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Lumpkin, Morin, and Rooney.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–270).
47. October 17, 2013—Classified briefing on United States military operations in Libya and Somalia.
Briefers: Thomas-Greenfield, Jones, Reid, Howell, Holley, Rasmussen, and Park.
Closed. Not printed.
48. October 31, 2013—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
49. November 7, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the impact of sequestration on the national defense.
Witnesses: Odierno, Greenert, Amos, and Welsh.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–321).
50. November 15, 2013—Classified informal briefing on the text of the US-Afghanistan Bilateral Security Agreement.
Briefers: Miller, Dumont, Hill, and White.
Closed. Not recorded.
51. December 9, 2013—Met informally to discuss the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

- Closed. Not recorded.
52. December 16, 2013—Executive session to consider military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
53. January 9, 2014—Executive session to consider civilian nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
54. January 15, 2014—Classified briefing on the situation in Iraq and Syria.
Briefers: Chollet, Pandolfe, Feierstein, Pino, and Peck.
Closed. Not printed.
55. January 16, 2014—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Creedon, Carson, and LaPlante.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)
56. January 28, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on recent changes to the U.S. military retirement system.
Witnesses: Fox, Winnefeld, Tilelli, Sullivan, Delaney, and Chu.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–467).
57. February 4, 2014—Classified briefing on the situation in Afghanistan.
Briefers: Walsh, White, Breedlove, and Blanc.
Closed. Not printed.
58. February 4, 2014—Closed session to consider the way forward in addressing legislation that reduces the cost of living adjustment (COLA) for working-age military retirees.
Closed. Not recorded.
59. February 6, 2014—Classified hearing to receive testimony on counterterrorism policy in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Vickers, Lumpkin, Votel, and Taylor.
Closed. Not printed.
60. February 11, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on current and future worldwide threats to the national security of the United States.
Witnesses: Clapper and Flynn.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–571)
61. February 12, 2014—Met informally with His Majesty King Abdullah II of Jordan to discuss U.S.-Jordanian security relations and other regional issues.
Closed. Not recorded.
62. February 25, 2014—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Work, McCord, Wormuth, McKeon, Shear, and Rosenbach.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)
63. February 27, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Strategic Command and U.S. Cyber Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Haney and Alexander.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).
64. February 27, 2014—Executive session to consider military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.

65. February 27, 2014—Classified hearing to receive responses to questions from the open session on current and future worldwide threats to the national security of the United States that were deferred to a closed session.

Witnesses: Clapper and Flynn.

Closed. Not printed.

66. March 5, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Hagel, Dempsey, and Hale.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

67. March 6, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Central Command and U.S. Africa Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Austin and Rodriguez.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

68. March 11, 2014—Military nominations hearing.

Nominees: Selva and Rogers.

Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)

69. March 12, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the situation in Afghanistan.

Witness: Dunford.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–554).

70. March 13, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Northern Command and U.S. Southern Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Jacoby and Kelly.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

71. March 25, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Pacific Command and U.S. Forces Korea in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Locklear and Scaparrotti.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

72. March 26, 2014—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations and the report on the Committee's inquiry into cybersecurity intrusions affecting U.S. Transportation Command contractors.

Closed. Not recorded.

73. March 27, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the posture of the Department of the Navy in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Mabus, Greenert, and Amos.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

74. April 3, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the posture of the Department of the Army in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: McHugh and Odierno.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).

75. April 8, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Army Active and Reserve force mix in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Odierno, Grass, and Talley.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).
76. April 8, 2014—Met informally to discuss sequestration.
Closed. Not printed.
77. April 10, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the posture of the Department of the Air Force in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: James and Welsh.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).
78. April 29, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the National Commission on the Structure of the Air Force in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: James, Welsh, McCarthy, Brownlee, Davidson, Harrell, Johns, and Wyatt.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).
79. April 30, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on reform of the defense acquisition system in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Kendall, Sullivan, Etherton, Schwartz, and Berteau.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 1).
80. May 1, 2014—Classified briefing on the Ukrainian crisis and Russia.
Briefer: Breedlove.
Closed. Not printed.
81. May 6, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Department of Defense proposals relating to military compensation.
Witnesses: Dempsey, Winnefeld, Odierno, Greenert, Welsh, Amos, Grass, Sullivan, Tilelli, McKinley, and Totushek.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–572)
82. May 21, 2014—Met to begin mark up on the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2015.
Closed. Not printed.
83. May 21, 2014—Met to continue mark-up on the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2015.
Closed. Not printed.
84. June 10, 2014—Classified briefing on the Sergeant Bowe Bergdahl prisoner exchange.
Briefers: Work, Winnefeld, Preston, King, Lumpkin, Dumont, and Cardillo.
Closed. Not printed.
85. June 12, 2014—Classified briefing on the security situation in Iraq.
Briefers: Slotkin, Wolfe, Pryor, and Bednarek.
Closed. Not printed.
86. June 19, 2014—Civilian nominations hearing.
Nominees: Junor, Tanner, Wada, Ballentine, and Regalbuto.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)

87. June 19, 2014—Classified briefing on the security situation in Iraq.
Briefers: Slotkin, Pandolfe, Wolfe, and Gigliotti.
Closed. Not printed.
88. June 24, 2014—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
89. July 8, 2014—Classified hearing to receive testimony on the situations in Iraq and Afghanistan.
Witnesses: Hagel and Dempsey.
Closed. Not printed.
90. July 10, 2014—Military nominations hearing.
Nominees: Gortney, Campbell, and Votel.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)
91. July 17, 2014—Military nominations hearing.
Nominee: Dunford.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)
92. July 24, 2014—Classified informal briefing on the unaccompanied children crisis.
Briefer: Kelly.
Closed. Not recorded.
93. July 30, 2014—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.
94. July 30, 2014—Classified briefing on the situation in Ukraine.
Briefers: Chollet, DeLeon, and Pandolfe.
Closed. Not printed.
95. September 16, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. policy towards Iraq and Syria and the threat posed by the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL).
Witnesses: Hagel and Dempsey.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–589)
96. September 17, 2014—Met informally with the House Armed Services Committee to discuss provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.
Closed. Not recorded.
97. December 2, 2014—Civilian and military nominations hearing.
Nominees: Scher, Slotkin, Berteau, Starzak, and Harris.
Open. (S. Hrg. 113–611)
98. December 3, 2014—Met informally with His Majesty King Abdullah II of Jordan to discuss U.S.-Jordanian security relations and other regional issues.
Closed. Not recorded.
99. December 9, 2014—Executive session to consider civilian and military nominations.
Closed. Not recorded.

SUBCOMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AIRLAND

Responsibilities: Army programs (less special operations forces); Air Force programs (less strategic forces, strategic airlift, and special operations programs); Navy and Marine Corps tactical aviation programs; and National Guard and Reserve equipment.

Membership:

February 19, 2013—Senators Manchin (Chairman), Nelson, McCaskill, Gillibrand, Blumenthal, Donnelly, Wicker (Ranking Member), McCain, Sessions, Chambliss, and Blunt.

March 28, 2014—Senators Blumenthal (Chairman), Nelson, McCaskill, Manchin, Gillibrand, Donnelly, Wicker (Ranking Member), McCain, Sessions, Chambliss, and Blunt.

Meetings:

1. April 24, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on tactical aircraft programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Bogdan, Skinner, and Davis.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 4).

2. May 8, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on Army modernization in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Phillips and Barclay.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 4).

3. June 11, 2013—Met to mark up the airland portions of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Open. Not printed.

4. April 8, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on tactical aircraft programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Bogdan, Davis, Grosklags, and Schmidle.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 4).

5. April 9, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Army modernization in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Campbell, Barclay, and Williamson.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 4).

6. May 20, 2014—Met to mark up the airland portions of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Open. Not printed.

7. September 16, 2014—Met informally with the House Armed Services Committee Subcommittee on Tactical Air and Land Forces

to discuss provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Closed. Not recorded.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON EMERGING THREATS AND
CAPABILITIES

Responsibilities: Policies and programs to counter emerging threats including the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, terrorism, and illegal drugs; homeland defense; technology base programs; special operations programs; emerging operational concepts; Foreign Military Sales; technology export policies; Department of Defense (DOD) and Department of Energy (DOE) non-proliferation programs, including the Nunn-Lugar program; and nontraditional military operations, including peacekeeping and peace enforcement, low-intensity conflict, strategic communications and information operations, and building partner capacity.

Membership:

February 19, 2013—Senators Hagan (Chairman), Reed, Nelson, Udall, Manchin, Shaheen, Gillibrand, Fischer (Ranking Member), McCain, Wicker, Graham, Vitter, and Cruz.

Meetings:

1. March 19, 2013—Briefing on cybersecurity threats in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Briefers: Mandia, Sullivan, and Davis.

Open and closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 5), closed not printed.

2. April 9, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on Department of Defense programs and policies with respect to emerging counterterrorism threats in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Chollet, Sheehan, and McRaven.

Open and Closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–108 part 5), closed not printed.

3. April 18, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the role of the Department of Defense science and technology enterprise for innovation and affordability in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Shaffer, Prabhakar, Miller, Lacey, and Walker.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 5).

4. April 23, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on proliferation prevention programs at the Department of Energy and at the Department of Defense in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Creedon, Myers, and Harrington.

Open and Closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, part 5), closed not printed.

5. June 11, 2013—Met to mark up the emerging threats and capabilities portions of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Closed. Not printed.

6. January 14, 2014—Briefing on Department of Defense counterterrorism operations.
Briefers: Vickers, Reid, Mayville, and Gross.
Closed. Not printed.
7. March 11, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on U.S. Special Operations Command in review of the Defense authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: McRaven and Lumpkin.
Open and closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 5), closed not printed.
8. March 25, 2014—Briefing on challenges to maintaining U.S. military technology superiority.
Briefers: Kendall and Shaffer.
Closed. Not printed.
9. March 31, 2014—Briefing from staff on preparations for a joint hearing on counterterrorism policy with the Select Committee on Intelligence.
Closed. Not printed.
10. April 1, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on proliferation prevention programs at the Department of Energy and at the Department of Defense in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Harrington, Hersman, and Myers.
Open and closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 5), closed not printed.
11. April 8, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the role of the Department of Defense science and technology enterprise for innovation and affordability in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Shaffer, Prabhakar, Miller, Lacey, and Gooder.
Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 5).
12. April 29, 2014—Joint hearing with the Select Committee on Intelligence to receive testimony on counterterrorism policy in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.
Witnesses: Vickers, Lumpkin, Winnefeld, Votel, Haines, Krass, Higgins, and Thomas.
Closed. Not printed.
13. May 20, 2014—Met to mark up the emerging threats and capabilities programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.
Open. Not printed.
14. September 16, 2014—Met informally with the House Armed Services Committee Subcommittee on Intelligence, Emerging Threats and Capabilities to discuss provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.
Closed. Not recorded.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON PERSONNEL

Responsibilities: Military and DOD civilian personnel policies; end strengths for military personnel; military personnel compensation and benefits; military health care; military nominations; Professional Military Education; DOD schools; DOD child care and

family assistance; Civil-military programs; POW/MIA issues; Armed Forces Retirement Home; Morale, Welfare and Recreation; and military commissaries and exchanges.

Memberships:

February 19, 2013—Senators Gillibrand (Chairman), Hagan, Blumenthal, Hirono, Kaine, King, Graham (Ranking Member), Chambliss, Ayotte, Blunt, and Lee.

Meetings:

1. March 13, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on sexual assaults in the military.

Witnesses: Boxer, Bhagwati, McCoy, Havrilla, Lewis, Taylor, Chipman, DeRenzi, Harding, Ary, Patton, and Kenney.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–303).

2. April 17, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Wright, Hale, Woodson, Vollrath, Wightman, Barnes, Moakler, Strobridge, and Hanson.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 6).

3. April 24, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Lamont, Garcia, Ginsberg, Bromberg, Buskirk, Milstead, and Jones.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 6).

4. June 11, 2013—Met to mark up the personnel programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Open. Not printed.

5. February 26, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the relationships between military sexual assault, posttraumatic stress disorder and suicide, and on Department of Defense and Department of Veterans Affairs medical treatment and management of victims of sexual trauma.

Witnesses: Arbogast, Kenyon, Guice, Garrick, Galbreath, McCutcheon, and Bell.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–480).

6. March 26, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Hale, Wright, Woodson, Vollrath, Wightman, Hayden, Moakler, Davis, and Hanson.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 6).

7. April 9, 2014—Hearing to continue to receive testimony on the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Bromberg, Moran, Cox, Milstead, Chandler, Stevens, Cody, and Barrett.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 6).

8. May 21, 2014—Met to mark up the personnel programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Open. Not printed.

9. September 18, 2014—Met informally with the House Armed Services Committee Subcommittee on Military Personnel to discuss provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Closed. Not recorded.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON READINESS AND MANAGEMENT SUPPORT

Responsibilities: Military readiness including training, logistics, and maintenance; military construction; housing construction and privatization; contracting and acquisition policy; business and financial management; base realignment and closure; defense environmental programs; conventional ammunition procurement; RDT&E infrastructure policies and programs; National Defense Stockpile; defense industrial and technology base policies; facility and housing maintenance and repair; land and property management; information technology management policy; and industrial operations, including depots, shipyards, arsenals, and ammunition plants.

Membership:

February 19, 2013—Senators Shaheen (Chairman), McCaskill, Udall, Manchin, Donnelly, Hirono, Kaine, Ayotte (Ranking Member), Chambliss, Fischer, Blunt, Lee, and Cruz.

Meetings:

1. April 18, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on the current readiness of U.S. forces in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Campbell, Ferguson, Paxton, and Spencer.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 3).

2. April 24, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on military construction, environmental, and base closure programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Conger, Hammack, Natsuhara, and Ferguson.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 3).

3. June 11, 2013—Met to mark up the readiness and management support programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Open. Not printed.

4. November 5, 2013—Met with General Martin E. Dempsey, USA, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, regarding his concerns about sequestration and its impact on the Department of Defense.

Closed. Not printed.

5. February 26, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Department of Defense information technology acquisition processes, busi-

ness transformation, and management practices in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: McFarland, Scheid, Takai, and Powner.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, Part 3).

6. March 26, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on the current readiness of U.S. forces in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Campbell, Paxton, Spencer, and Cullom.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, Part 3).

7. April 2, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on military construction, environmental, energy, and base closure programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Burke, Conger, Hammack, McGinn, and Ferguson.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, Part 3).

8. May 20, 2014—Met to mark up the readiness and management support programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Open. Not printed.

9. September 17, 2014—Met informally with the House Armed Services Committee Subcommittee on Readiness to discuss provisions in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Closed. Not recorded.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON SEAPOWER

Responsibilities: Navy and Marine Corps program (less tactical aviation); strategic lift programs; and maritime issues.

Membership:

February 19, 2013—Senators Reed (Chairman), Nelson, Hagan, Shaheen, Blumenthal, Hirono, Kaine, King, McCain (Ranking Member), Sessions, Wicker, Ayotte, Graham, Vitter, and Cruz.

Meetings

1. May 8, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on Navy shipbuilding programs in review of the defense authorization request for Fiscal Year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Stackley, Hilarides, and Myers.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 2).

2. May 14, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on Marine Corps modernization in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Stackley and Mills.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 2).

3. June 12, 2013—Met to mark up the seapower programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Closed. Not printed.

4. July 17, 2013—Classified briefing on the major threats facing Navy forces and the Navy's current and projected capabilities to meet those threats.

Briefers: Aucoin, Barver, Reynolds, and Corless.

Closed. Not printed.

5. April 2, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Marine Corps modernization in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Paxton and Glueck.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, Part 2).

6. April 10, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on Navy ship-building programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Stackley, Hilarides, and Mulloy.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 2).

7. May 20, 2014—Met to mark up the seapower programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Closed. Not printed.

8. June 17, 2014—Classified briefing on the major threats facing Navy forces and the current and projected capabilities of the Navy to meet those threats.

Briefers: Aucoin, Barber, and Enright.

Closed. Not printed.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC FORCES

Responsibilities: Nuclear and strategic forces; intelligence programs; space programs; cyber space programs; Department of Energy defense nuclear and environmental programs; and ballistic missile defense.

Membership:

February 19, 2013—Senators Udall (Chairman), Reed, McCaskill, Donnelly, King, Sessions (Ranking Member), Fischer, Vitter, and Lee.

Meetings:

1. April 17, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on nuclear forces and policies in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Creedon, Weber, Kowalski, Harencak, Benedict, Wheeler, Bergeson, and Woods.

Open and closed. Open printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 7), closed not printed.

2. April 24, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on military space programs and views on Department of Defense usage of the Electromagnetic Spectrum in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Loverro, Zangardi, Shelton, Formica, Chaplain, Wheeler, Goldstein, and Guttman-McCabe.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 7).

3. May 7, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on National Nuclear Security Administration management of its National Security

Laboratories in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: McMillan, Hommert, Albright, and Shank.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 7).

4. May 8, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on strategic forces programs of the National Nuclear Security Administration and the Department of Energy’s Office of Environmental Management in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Miller, Cook, Richardson, Huizenga, and Trimble.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 7).

5. May 9, 2013—Hearing to receive testimony on ballistic missile defense policies and programs in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2014 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Creedon, Gilmore, Formica, Syring, and Chaplain.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–108, Part 7).

6. June 11, 2013—Met to mark up the strategic forces programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

Closed. Not printed.

7. June 26, 2013—Classified briefing on the Defense Science Board Task Force report “Resilient Military Systems and the Advanced Cyber Threat.”

Briefers: Thaer, Creedon, Baldwin, and Hale.

Closed. Not printed.

8. July 17, 2013—Classified briefing on revisions to the nuclear employment strategy.

Briefers: Creedon and Kehler.

Closed. Not printed.

9. March 5, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on nuclear forces and policies in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Bunn, Wilson, Harencak, and Benedict.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 7).

10. March 12, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on military space programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Loverro, Zangardi, Shelton, Mann, and Chaplain.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 7).

11. April 2, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on ballistic missile defense policies and programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Bunn, Gilmore, Syring, Mann, and Chaplain.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 7).

12. April 9, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on National Nuclear Security Administration management of its National Security Laboratories and the status of the Nuclear Security Enterprise in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: McMillan, Hommert, Goldstein, Augustine, and Mies.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 7).

13. April 10, 2014—Hearing to receive testimony on strategic forces programs of the National Nuclear Security Administration and the Office of Environmental Management of the Department of Energy in review of the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program.

Witnesses: Held, Cook, Richardson, and Owendoff.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–465, part 7).

14. May 20, 2014—Met to mark up the strategic forces programs contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

Closed. Not printed.

15. June 25, 2014—Classified briefing on U.S. nuclear deterrence policy.

Briefers: Samore, Payne, and Bracken.

Closed. Not printed.

16. July 16, 2014—Joint hearing with the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation to receive testimony on assured access to space.

Witnesses: Estevez, Shelton, Lightfoot, Chaplain, Mitchell, Dumbacher, and Kim.

Open. Printed (S. Hrg. 113–596).

NOMINATIONS

REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE

Slotkin, Elissa, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

November 13, 2014—Referred.

December 2, 2014—Hearing.

December 17, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

REPORTED TO THE SENATE

Regalbuto, Monica C., of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Environmental Management.

March 10, 2014—Referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

June 19, 2014—Hearing.

June 24, 2014—Reported.

December 17, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Roberson, Jessie Hill, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2018.

June 5, 2014—Referred.

July 30, 2014—Reported.

December 17, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Starzak, Alissa M., of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Army.

July 14, 2014—Referred.

December 2, 2014—Hearing.

December 9, 2014—Reported.

December 17, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

COMPLETED

Austin, General Lloyd J., III, USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States Central Command.

January 23, 2013—Referred.

February 14, 2013—Hearing.

February 26, 2013—Reported.

March 5, 2013—Confirmed.

Ballentine, Miranda A. A., of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations, Environment, and Logistics.

January 30, 2013—Referred.

June 19, 2014—Hearing.

June 24, 2014—Reported.

September 11, 2014—Confirmed.

Berteau, David J., of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Logistics and Materiel Readiness.

November 12, 2014—Referred.

December 2, 2014—Hearing.

December 9, 2014—Reported.

December 16, 2014—Confirmed.

Breedlove, General Philip M., USAF, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States European Command and Supreme Allied Commander, Europe.

April 8, 2013—Referred.

April 11, 2013—Hearing.

April 17, 2013—Reported.

April 18, 2013—Confirmed.

Campbell, General John F., USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, International Security Assistance Force and Commander, United States Forces, Afghanistan.

June 17, 2014—Referred.

July 10, 2014—Hearing.

July 22, 2014—Reported.

July 23, 2014—Confirmed.

Carson, Brad, of Oklahoma, to be Under Secretary of the Army.

November 21, 2013—Referred.

January 3, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

January 6, 2014—Referred.

January 16, 2014—Hearing.

January 28, 2014—Reported.

February 12, 2014—Confirmed.

Creedon, Madelyn R., of Indiana, to be Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration.

November 7, 2013—Referred.

January 3, 2013—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

January 6, 2014—Referred.

January 16, 2014—Hearing.

January 28, 2014—Reported.

July 23, 2014—Confirmed.

Dempsey, General Martin E., USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and reappointment as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

June 24, 2013—Referred.

July 18, 2013—Hearing.

July 30, 2013—Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

Dunford, General Joseph F., Jr., USMC, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commandant of the Marine Corps.

June 4, 2014—Referred.

July 17, 2014—Hearing.

July 22, 2014—Reported

July 23, 2014—Confirmed.

Estevez, Alan F., of the District of Columbia, to be Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics

January 22, 2013—Referred.

February 28, 2013—Hearing.

March 20, 2013—Reported.

October 28, 2013—Cloture motion presented.

October 30, 2013—Cloture invoked, 91–8. Confirmed.

Fanning, Eric K., of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force.

February 4, 2013—Referred.

February 28, 2013—Hearing.

March 20, 2013—Reported.

April 18, 2013—Confirmed.

Gortney, Admiral William E., USN, for reappointment to the grade of admiral and to be Commander, United States Northern Command and Commander, North American Aerospace Defense Command.

June 23, 2014—Referred.

July 10, 2014—Hearing.

July 22, 2014—Reported

July 23, 2014—Confirmed.

Hagel, Charles T., of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Defense.

January 22, 2013—Referred.

January 31, 2013—Hearing.

February 12, 2013—Reported.

February 13, 2013—Cloture motion presented.

February 14, 2013—Cloture not invoked, 58–40. Motion entered to reconsider.

February 26, 2013—Cloture invoked, 71–27. Confirmed, 58–41.

Haney, Admiral Cecil E.D., USN, for reappointment to the grade of admiral and to be Commander, United States Strategic Command.

June 20, 2013—Referred.

July 30, 2013—Hearing. Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

Harris, Admiral Harry B., Jr., USN, for reappointment to the grade of admiral and to be Commander, United States Pacific Command.

September 18, 2014—Referred.

December 2, 2014—Hearing.

December 9, 2014—Reported.

December 11, 2014—Confirmed.

James, Deborah Lee, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Air Force.

August 1, 2013—Referred.

September 19, 2013—Hearing.

September 24, 2013—Reported.
 December 9, 2013—Cloture motion presented.
 December 12, 2013—Cloture invoked, 58–39.
 December 13, 2013—Confirmed, 79–6.

Junor, Laura, of Virginia, to be Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.

February 27, 2014—Referred.
 June 19, 2014—Hearing.
 June 24, 2014—Reported.
 July 31, 2014—Confirmed.

Klotz, Frank G., of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Nuclear Security.

August 1, 2013—Referred.
 September 19, 2013—Hearing.
 September 24, 2013—Reported.
 January 3, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.
 January 6, 2014—Referred.
 January 9, 2013—Reported.
 April 8, 2014—Confirmed.

LaPlante, William A., Jr., of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition.

October 30, 2013—Referred.
 January 3, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.
 January 6, 2014—Referred.
 January 16, 2014—Hearing.
 January 28, 2014—Reported.
 February 12, 2014—Confirmed.

Lettre, Marcel J. II, of Maryland, to be Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence.

July 25, 2013—Referred.
 September 19, 2013—Hearing.
 September 24, 2013—Reported.
 October 31, 2013—Confirmed.

Lumpkin, Michael D., of California, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict.

September 11, 2013—Referred.
 October 10, 2013—Hearing.
 October 31, 2013—Reported.
 November 14, 2013—Confirmed.

McCord, Michael J., of Ohio, to be Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

January 30, 2014—Referred.
 February 25, 2014—Hearing.
 March 26, 2014—Reported.
 June 12, 2014—Confirmed.

McGinn, Dennis V., of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Energy, Installations, and Environment.

July 9, 2013—Referred.
 July 25, 2013—Hearing.
 July 30, 2013—Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

McKeon, Brian P., of New York, to be Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

January 30, 2014—Referred.

February 25, 2014—Hearing.

April 8, 2014—Reported.

July 28, 2014—Confirmed.

Morin, Jamie M., of Michigan, to be Director of Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation, Department of Defense.

September 11, 2013—Referred.

October 10, 2013—Hearing.

October 31, 2013—Reported.

January 3, 2013—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

January 6, 2014—Referred.

January 9, 2014—Reported.

June 25, 2014—Confirmed.

Mossman, Kenneth L., of Arizona, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2016.

July 31, 2013—Referred.

October 31, 2013—Reported.

November 14, 2013—Confirmed.

Ohlson, Kevin A., of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces.

March 21, 2013—Referred.

September 19, 2013—Hearing.

September 24, 2013—Reported.

October 17, 2013—Confirmed.

Preston, Stephen W., of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense.

June 11, 2013—Referred.

July 25, 2013—Hearing.

July 30, 2013—Reported.

October 17, 2013—Confirmed.

Rabern, Susan J., of Kansas, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Financial Management and Comptroller.

June 27, 2013—Referred.

July 25, 2013—Hearing.

July 30, 2013—Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

Rodriguez, General David M., USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States Africa Command.

February 7, 2013—Referred.

February 14, 2013—Hearing.

February 26, 2013—Reported.

March 5, 2013—Confirmed.

Rogers, Vice Admiral Michael S., USN, to be admiral and Director, National Security Agency/Chief, Central Security Services/Commander, United States Cyber Command.

January 30, 2014—Referred.

March 11, 2013—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

March 31, 2014—Confirmed.

Rooney, Jo Ann, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Navy.

September 11, 2013—Referred.

October 10, 2013—Hearing.

October 31, 2013—Reported.

January 3, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

January 6, 2014—Referred.

January 9, 2014—Reported.

November 12, 2014—Withdrawn by the President.

Rosenbach, Eric, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Defense.

January 7, 2014—Referred.

February 25, 2014—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

September 18, 2014—Confirmed.

Rymer, Jon T., of Tennessee, to be Inspector General of the Department of Defense.

June 24, 2013—Referred.

July 25, 2013—Hearing.

July 30, 2013—Reported. Sequentially referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Government Affairs.

September 16, 2013—Committee on Homeland Security and Government Affairs discharged.

September 17, 2013—Confirmed.

Santos, Daniel J., of Virginia, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2017.

June 5, 2014—Referred.

July 30, 2014—Reported.

December 16, 2014—Confirmed.

Scaparrotti, Lieutenant General Curtis M., USA, to be general and Commander, United Nations Command/Combined Forces Command/United States Forces Korea.

May 20, 2013—Referred.

July 30, 2013—Hearing. Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

Scher, Robert M., of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Strategy, Plans, and Capabilities.

September 15, 2014—Referred.

December 2, 2014—Hearing.

December 9, 2014—Reported.

December 16, 2014—Confirmed.

Selva, General Paul J., USAF, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander, United States Transportation Command.

February 6, 2014—Referred.

March 11, 2014—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

April 8, 2014—Confirmed.

Shear, David B., of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Asian and Pacific Security Affairs.

January 7, 2014—Referred.

February 25, 2014—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

July 17, 2014—Confirmed.

Tanner, Gordon O., of Alabama, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force.

April 7, 2014—Referred.

June 19, 2014—Hearing.

June 24, 2014—Reported.

September 16, 2014—Confirmed.

Vollrath, Frederick E., of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Readiness and Force Management.

January 22, 2013—Referred.

February 28, 2013—Hearing.

March 20, 2013—Reported.

April 18, 2013—Confirmed.

Votel, Lieutenant General Joseph L., USA, to be general and Commander, United States Special Operations Command.

June 16, 2014—Referred.

July 10, 2014—Hearing.

July 22, 2014—Reported

July 23, 2014—Confirmed.

Wada, Debra S., of Hawaii, to be Assistant Secretary of the Army for Manpower and Reserve Affairs.

May 5, 2014—Referred.

June 19, 2014—Hearing.

June 24, 2014—Reported.

September 17, 2014—Confirmed.

Winnefeld, Admiral James A., Jr., USN, for reappointment to the grade of admiral and reappointment as Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

June 24, 2013—Referred.

July 18, 2013—Hearing.

July 30, 2013—Reported.

August 1, 2013—Confirmed.

Work, Robert O., of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense.

February 10, 2014—Referred.

February 25, 2014—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

April 30, 2014—Confirmed.

Wormuth, Christine E., of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

January 30, 2014—Referred.

February 25, 2014—Hearing.

March 26, 2014—Reported.

June 19, 2014—Confirmed.

Wright, Jessica G., of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.

July 18, 2013—Referred.

September 19, 2013—Hearing.

September 24, 2013—Reported.

December 16, 2013—Cloture motion presented.

December 19, 2013—Cloture motion withdrawn by unanimous consent.

January 3, 2014—Returned to the President under the provisions of Senate Rule XXXI, paragraph 6 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

January 6, 2014—Referred.

January 9, 2014—Reported.

June 25, 2014—Confirmed.

NOMINATIONS FOR PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMED SERVICES

The Committee considered nominations for promotions in the Armed Services. Nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for confirmation resulted in the following:

FIRST SESSION

January 3, 2013 through January 3, 2014

| | |
|---|-------|
| Air Force nominations, totaling 5,479, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 5,471 |
| Withdrawn | 1 |
| Returned to White House | 7 |
| Army nominations, totaling 6,729, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 6,712 |
| Returned to White House | 14 |
| Navy nominations, totaling 3,881, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 3,879 |
| Withdrawn | 1 |
| Returned to the White House | 1 |
| Marine Corps nominations, totaling 762, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 761 |
| Returned to the White House | 1 |

SECOND SESSION

January 3, 2014 through December 31, 2014

| | |
|---|-------|
| Air Force nominations, totaling 4,424, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 4,200 |
| Withdrawn | 1 |
| Returned to the White House | 223 |
| Army nominations, totaling 6,379, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 6,325 |
| Withdrawn | 1 |
| Returned to the White House | 53 |
| Navy nominations, totaling 3,877, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 3,875 |
| Returned to the White House | 2 |
| Marine Corps nominations, totaling 879, disposed of as follows: | |
| Confirmed | 878 |
| Returned to the White House | 1 |

PRIVILEGED NOMINATIONS

Nominations privileged under S. Res. 116, agreed to on June 29, 2011, are placed on the Senate Executive Calendar pending receipt of information requested by the Committee. Of the 2 privileged nominations referred during the 113th Congress, the Committee received the requested information on 2 and 2 were confirmed by the Senate.

PUBLICATIONS

S. Rept. 113–10—Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services, United States Senate, 112th Congress.

S. Rept. 113–12—Inquiry Into U.S. Costs and Allied Contributions to Support the U.S. Military Presence Overseas.

S. Rept. 113–44—National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014.

S. Rept. 113–176—Carl Levin National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015.

S. Rept. 113–258—Inquiry Into Cyber Intrusions Affecting U.S. Transportation Command Contractors.

S. Prt. 113–33—Committee on Armed Services Legislative Calendar, 113th Congress.

BOARDS OF VISITORS TO THE UNITED STATES MILITARY, NAVAL AND AIR FORCE ACADEMIES

Public Law 816 of the 80th Congress, now codified in Title 10, U.S.C., provides a uniform procedure for the appointment of members of the Boards of Visitors of the Military and Naval Academies, and provides that there shall be appointed on or before the last day of every year Boards of Visitors to each of the Academies to be constituted as follows:

Senate:

Chairman of the Armed Services Committee or his designee.
2 members of the Senate Appropriations Committee appointed by the Vice President.
1 Senator appointed by the Vice President.

House of Representatives:

Chairman of the Armed Services Committee or his designee.
2 members of the House Appropriations Committee appointed by the Speaker of the House.
2 Congressmen appointed by the Speaker of the House.

Presidential:

6 persons, to serve for a 3-year term, with 2 new members appointed each year.

Senate appointments to the Board of Visitors of the:

Military Academy: (Title 10, U.S.C., sec 4355(a).)
2013—Senator Kirsten E. Gillibrand (Armed Services)
Senator Mary L. Landrieu (Appropriations)
Naval Academy: (Title 10, U.S.C., sec. 6968(a).)
2013—Senator Barbara A. Mikulski (Appropriations)
Senator Benjamin L. Cardin (At Large)
Air Force Academy: (Title 10, U.S.C., sec. 9355(a).)
2013—Senator Michael F. Bennet (Armed Services)
Senator Tom Udall (Appropriations)
2014—Senator Jerry Moran (At Large)

**SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES FUNDING
FOR INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS**

| CONGRESS | SENATE RESOLUTION AND EFFECTIVE DATES | AMOUNT AUTHORIZED | AMOUNT EXPENDED | AMOUNT UNEXPENDED |
|------------------|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 80 th | S. Res. 263, June 19, 1948 to March 31, 1949 | \$25,000 | 0 | \$25,000 |
| 81 st | S. Res. 93, June 22, 1949 to December 31, 1950 | \$25,000 | \$24,998 | \$2 |
| | S. Res. 375 (extending S. Res. 93 to January 31, 1951) | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| 82 nd | S. Res. 18, February 1, 1951 to January 31, 1952 | \$190,000 | \$141,873 | \$48,127 |
| | S. Res. 263, February 1, 1952 to January 31, 1953 | \$190,000 | \$125,790 | \$64,210 |
| 83 rd | S. Res. 50 (extending S. Res. 263 to March 17, 1953) | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| | S. Res. 86, March 18, 1953 to January 31, 1954 | \$167,000 | \$91,525 | \$75,475 |
| | S. Res. 185, February 1, 1954 to January 31, 1955 | \$150,000 | \$95,834 | \$54,166 |
| 84 th | S. Res. 28 (extending S. Res. 185 to March 31, 1955) | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| | S. Res. 72, April 1, 1955 to January 31, 1956 | \$160,000 | \$79,146 | \$80,854 |
| | S. Res. 203 (extending S. Res. 72 to February 29, 1956) | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| | S. Res. 215, March 1, 1956 to January 31, 1957 | \$176,000 | \$86,695 | \$89,305 |
| 85 th | S. Res. 48, February 1, 1957 to January 31, 1958 | \$190,000 | \$108,217 | \$81,783 |
| | S. Res. 212, February 1, 1958 to January 31, 1959 | \$190,000 | \$126,362 | \$63,638 |
| 86 th | S. Res. 26, February 1, 1959 to January 31, 1960 | \$190,000 | \$151,290 | \$38,710 |
| | S. Res. 261, February 1, 1960 to January 31, 1961 | \$190,000 | \$159,841 | \$30,159 |
| 87 th | S. Res. 43, February 1, 1961 to January 31, 1962, \$190,000, amended by S. Res. 215 and increased to \$220,000 | \$220,000 | \$177,443 | \$42,557 |
| | S. Res. 270, February 1, 1962 to January 31, 1963 (S. Res. 88 of the 88 th Congress extended S. Res. 270 to February 28, 1963.) | \$220,000 | \$167,936 | \$52,064 |
| 88 th | S. Res. 75, March 1, 1963 to January 31, 1964 | \$175,000 | \$123,905 | \$51,095 |
| | S. Res. 286, February 1, 1964 to January 31, 1965 | \$190,000 | \$141,338 | \$48,662 |
| 89 th | S. Res. 37, February 1, 1965 to January 31, 1966 | \$175,000 | \$139,145 | \$35,855 |
| | S. Res. 212, February 1, 1966 to | \$175,000 | \$149,034 | \$25,966 |

| CONGRESS | SENATE RESOLUTION AND EFFECTIVE DATES | AMOUNT AUTHORIZED | AMOUNT EXPENDED | AMOUNT UNEXPENDED |
|-------------------|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | January 31, 1967 | | | |
| 90 th | S. Res. 71, February 1, 1967 to January 31, 1968 | \$175,000 | \$148,690 | \$26,310 |
| | S. Res. 225, February 1, 1968 to January 31, 1969 | \$175,000 | \$166,447 | \$8,553 |
| 91 st | S. Res. 56, February 1, 1969 to January 31, 1970 | \$225,000 | \$223,394 | \$1,606 |
| | S. Res. 331, February 1, 1970 to January 31, 1971 | \$300,000 | \$266,314 | \$33,686 |
| 92 nd | S. Res. 30, February 1, 1971 through February 29, 1972 | \$420,000 | \$369,562 | \$50,438 |
| | S. Res. 253, March 1, 1972 through February 28, 1973 | \$455,000 | \$389,766 | \$65,234 |
| 93 rd | S. Res. 55, March 1, 1973 through February 28, 1974 | \$520,000 | \$379,965 | \$140,035 |
| | S. Res. 270, March 1, 1974 through February 28, 1975 | \$520,000 | \$366,001 | \$153,999 |
| 94 th | S. Res. 87, March 1, 1975 through February 29, 1976 | \$533,300 | \$376,098 | \$157,202 |
| | S. Res. 387, March 1, 1976 through February 28, 1977 | \$601,000 | \$498,976 | \$102,024 |
| 95 th | S. Res. 78, March 1, 1977 through June 30, 1977; S. Res. 142, July 1, 1977 through February 28, 1978, amended by S. Res. 297 and S. Res. 314 | \$728,700 | \$675,073 | \$53,627 |
| | S. Res. 385, March 1 1978 through February 28, 1979 | \$808,800 | \$605,888 | \$202,912 |
| 96 th | S. Res. 81, March 1, 1979 through February 29, 1980 | \$763,900 | \$626,728 | \$137,172 |
| | S. Res. 368, March 1, 1980 through February 28, 1981 | \$876,000 | \$763,602 | \$212,398 |
| 97 th | S. Res. 60, March 1, 1981 through February 28, 1982 | \$1,554,400 | \$1,351,771 | \$202,629 |
| | S. Res. 333, Sec. 5, March 1, 1982 through February 28, 1983 | \$1,607,807 | \$1,371,561 | \$236,246 |
| 98 th | S. Res. 76, Sec. 5, March 1, 1983 through February 29, 1984 | \$1,907,807 | \$1672,071 | \$235,736 |
| | S. Res. 354, Sec. 5, March 1, 1984 through February 28, 1985 | \$2,239,919 | \$1,906,356 | \$333,563 |
| 99 th | S. Res. 85, Sec. 5, as amended, March 1, 1985 through February 28, 1986 | \$2,158,810 | \$1,963,387 | \$195,423 |
| | S. Res. 353, Sec. 2(e), March 1, 1986 through September 30, 1986 | \$100,000 | \$100,000 | \$0 |
| | S. Res. 353, Sec. 5, March 1, 1986 through February 28, 1987 | \$2,097,190 | \$2,017,603 | \$79,587 |
| 100 th | S. Res. 80, Sec. 5, March 1, 1987 through February 29, 1988 | \$2,167,877 | see below | see below |
| | S. Res. 306, amended S. Res. 80, Sec. 5, March 1, 1987 through February 29, 1988 | \$2,447,184 | \$2,264,204 | \$182,980 |
| | S. Res. 381, Sec. 5, March 1, 1988 | \$2,490,812 | \$2,490,812 | \$0 |

| CONGRESS | SENATE RESOLUTION AND EFFECTIVE DATES | AMOUNT AUTHORIZED | AMOUNT EXPENDED | AMOUNT UNEXPENDED |
|-------------------|---|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | through February 29, 1989 | | | |
| 101 st | S. Res. 66, Sec. 5, March 1, 1989 through February 28, 1990 | \$2,728,969 | \$2,217,847 | \$11,122 |
| | S. Res. 66, Sec. 5, March 1, 1990 through February 28, 1991 | \$2,785,811 | \$2,785,811 | \$0 |
| 102 nd | S. Res. 62, Sec. 5(b), March 1, 1991 through February 29, 1992 | \$3,024,631 | \$3,013,591 | \$11,040 |
| | S. Res. 62, Sec. 5(c), March 1, 1992 through February 28, 1993 | \$3,269,596 | \$3,269,397 | \$199 |
| 103 rd | S. Res. 71, Sec. 5(b), March 1, 1993 through February 29, 1994 | \$2,819,419 | \$2,819,388 | \$31 |
| | S. Res. 71, Sec. 5(c), March 1, 1994 through February 28, 1995 | \$2,880,344 | \$2,609,065 | \$271,279 |
| 104 th | S. Res. 73, Sec. 5(b), March 1, 1995 through February 29, 1996 | \$2,641,704 | \$2,606,693 | \$34,709 |
| | S. Res. 73, Sec. 5(c), March 1, 1996 through February 28, 1997 | \$2,702,669 | \$2,690,142 | \$544 |
| 105 th | S. Res. 54, sec. 5(b), March 1, 1997 through September 30, 1998, as amended | \$2,732,772 | \$2,731,271 | \$1,501 |
| | S. Res. 54, Section 5(c), March 1, 1998 through February 28, 1999, as amended | \$2,839,495 | \$2,636,746 | \$202,749 |
| 106 th | S. Res. 49, March 1, 1999 through September 30, 1999 | \$1,709,219 | \$1,677,526 | \$31,693 |
| | S. Res. 189, Sec. 3(b), October 1, 1999 through September 30, 2000 | \$3,796,030 | \$3,663,945 | \$132,085 |
| | S. Res. 189, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2000 through February 28, 2001 | \$1,568,418 | \$1,489,351 | \$79,067 |
| 107 th | S. Res. 54, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2001 through September 30, 2001 | \$3,301,692 | \$2,566,662 | \$735,030 |
| | S. Res. 54, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2001 through September 30, 2002 | \$5,859,150 | \$4,605,178 | \$1,253,994 |
| | S. Res. 54, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2002 through February 28, 2003 | \$2,506,642 | \$1,789,140 | \$717,502 |
| 108 th | S. Res. 66, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2003 through September 30, 2003 | \$3,594,172 | \$2,749,770 | \$844,402 |
| | S. Res. 66, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2003 through September 30, 2004 | \$6,328,829 | \$4,868,524 | \$1,460,305 |
| | S. Res. 66, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2004 through February 28, 2005 | \$2,698,836 | \$2,040,965 | \$657,871 |
| 109 th | S. Res. 50, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2004 through September 30, 2005 | \$3,859,485 | \$3,125,784 | \$733,701 |
| | S. Res. 50, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2005 through September 30, 2006 | \$6,778,457 | \$5,425,730 | \$1,352,727 |
| | S. Res. 50, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2006 through February 28, 2007 | \$2,886,176 | \$2,335,129 | \$551,047 |
| 110 th | S. Res. 89, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007 | \$4,073,254 | \$3,531,547 | \$541,707 |
| | S. Res. 89, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008 | \$7,139,800 | \$6,202,384 | \$937,416 |
| | S. Res. 89, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2008 through February 29, 2009 | \$3,032,712 | \$2,519,759 | \$512,953 |

| CONGRESS | SENATE RESOLUTION AND EFFECTIVE DATES | AMOUNT AUTHORIZED | AMOUNT EXPENDED | AMOUNT UNEXPENDED |
|-------------------|--|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 111 th | S. Res. 73, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2009 through September 30, 2009 | \$4,639,258 | \$3,620,211 | \$1,019,047 |
| | S. Res. 73, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2010 | \$8,158,696 | \$6,489,685 | \$1,669,011 |
| | S. Res. 73, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011 | \$3,468,380 | \$2,698,701 | \$776,629 |
| 112 th | S. Res. 81, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2011 through September 30, 2011 | \$4,749,869 | \$3,789,425 | \$960,444 |
| | S. Res. 81, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012 | \$8,142,634 ⁱ | \$6,334,000 | \$1,808,634 |
| | S. Res. 81, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2012 through February 28, 2013 | \$3,392,765 ⁱⁱ | \$2,492,817 | \$899,948 |
| 113 th | S. Res. 64, Sec. 3(b), March 1, 2013 through September 30, 2013 | \$4,179,885 | \$3,398,627 | \$781,258 |
| | S. Res. 253, Sec. 3(c), October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014 | \$6,421,128 | \$5,922,601 | \$498,527 |
| | S. Res. 253, Sec. 3(d), October 1, 2014 through February 28, 2015 | \$2,675,471 | \$2,579,716 | \$95,755 |

ⁱ Amount authorized by S. Res. 81, Sec. 3(c) for Fiscal Year 2012 was reduced by the Rules Committee on January 4, 2012 to \$6,488,126, which was the amount spent by the Committee on Armed Services in Fiscal Year 2011.

ⁱⁱ Amount authorized by S. Res. 81, Sec. 3(d) for Fiscal Year 2013 was reduced by the Rules Committee on October 5, 2012 to \$2,703,386, which equated to five-twelfths of the Fiscal Year 2012 guidance (see footnote i above).

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Travis E. Smith, Chief Clerk
Robert M. Soofer, Professional Staff Member
William K. Sutey, Professional Staff Member
Robert T. Waisanen, Staff Assistant
Barry C. Walker, Security Officer

Appointments:

John A. Bonsell, Minority Staff Director, appointed January 3, 2013.
Steven M. Barney, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 3, 2013.
Allen M. Edwards, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 3, 2013.
Thomas W. Goffus, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 3, 2013.
Anthony J. Lazarski, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 3, 2013.
Robert M. Soofer, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 3, 2013.

Ambrose R. Hock, Professional Staff Member, appointed January 14, 2013.
 William S. Castle, Minority General Counsel, appointed January 28, 2013.
 Daniel J. Harder, Staff Assistant, appointed March 25, 2013.
 Brendan J. Sawyer, Staff Assistant, appointed April 22, 2013.
 Natalie M. Nicolas, Minority Staff Assistant, appointed April 29, 2013.
 Samantha L. Clark, Minority Associate Counsel, appointed May 20, 2013.
 Daniel C. Adams, Minority Associate Counsel, appointed June 28, 2013.
 Alexandra M. Hathaway, Staff Assistant, appointed September 3, 2013.
 Robert T. Waisanen, Staff Assistant, appointed December 30, 2013.
 M. Blake Souter, Staff Assistant, appointed February 24, 2014.
 John D. Cewe, Professional Staff Member, appointed March 3, 2014.
 Arun A. Seraphin, Professional Staff Member, appointed March 9, 2014.
 Sean J. Wolfe, Research Analyst, appointed March 10, 2014.

Resignations:

Pablo E. Carrillo, Minority General Counsel, resigned January 28, 2013.
 Diana G. Tabler, Professional Staff Member, resigned February 1, 2013.
 Lauren M. Davis, Minority Staff Assistant, resigned February 1, 2013.
 Brian F. Sebold, Staff Assistant, resigned February 8, 2013.
 Bryan D. Parker, Minority Investigative Counsel, resigned February 15, 2013.
 Richard D. DeBobes, Staff Director, resigned February 28, 2013.
 Paul C. Hutton IV, Professional Staff Member, resigned February 28, 2013.
 Elizabeth C. Lopez, Research Assistant, resigned February 28, 2013.
 Mary Louise Wagner, Professional Staff Member, resigned July 16, 2013.
 Bradley S. Watson, Special Assistant for Investigations, resigned July 21, 2013.
 Russell L. Shaffer, Counsel, resigned August 2, 2013.
 Jennifer R. Knowles, Staff Assistant, resigned August 18, 2013.
 Christian D. Brose, Professional Staff Member, resigned September 29, 2013.
 John L. Principato, Staff Assistant, resigned December 13, 2013.
 Lucian L. Niemeyer, Professional Staff Member, resigned January 23, 2014.
 Robie I. Samanta Roy, Professional Staff Member, resigned February 23, 2014.
 Kathleen A. Kulenkampff, Staff Assistant, resigned February 23, 2014.
 Sean J. Wolfe, Research Analyst, resigned July 9, 2014.
 Gabriella E. Fahrner, Counsel, resigned November 2, 2014.
 Joseph M. Bryan, Professional Staff Member, resigned November 9, 2014.
 M. Blake Souter, Staff Assistant, resigned November 16, 2014.

Title Changes:

Travis E. Smith, from Special Assistant to Chief Clerk, January 1, 2013.
 Steven M. Barney, from Professional Staff Member to Minority Counsel, January 16, 2013.
 Peter K. Levine, from General Counsel to Staff Director, March 1, 2013.
 Gerald J. Leeling, from Counsel to General Counsel, March 1, 2013.
 Mariah K. McNamara, from Staff Assistant to Special Assistant to the Staff Director, April 16, 2013.
 Bradley S. Watson, from Staff Assistant to Special Assistant for Investigations, April 16, 2013.
 Gregory R. Lilly, from Executive Assistant for the Minority to Minority Clerk, May 16, 2013.
 Natalie M. Nicolas, from Minority Staff Assistant to Minority Research Assistant, January 1, 2014.
 Natalie M. Nicolas, from Minority Research Assistant to Minority Research Analyst, September 1, 2014.