

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Monday, February 9, 2004 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

FEBRUARY 10

9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
 To resume hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for Fiscal Year 2005 and the future years defense program. SR-325

10 a.m.
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine proposals for improving the regulatory regime of government sponsored enterprises. SD-538

Energy and Natural Resources
 To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed fiscal year 2005 budget for the Department of Energy. SD-366

Finance
 To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Samuel W. Bodman, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury. SD-215

Appropriations
Homeland Security Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2005 for the Department of Homeland Security. SD-106

Aging
 To hold hearings to examine tax relief strategies for eldercare. SD-628

2:30 p.m.
Joint Economic Committee
 To hold hearings to examine the economic report of the President. SD-628

3 p.m.
Veterans' Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine the Administration's proposed fiscal year 2005 Department of Veterans Affairs' budget. SR-418

FEBRUARY 11

9:30 a.m.
Commerce, Science, and Transportation
 To hold hearings to examine protecting children from violent and indecent programming. SR-253

Indian Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine the President's fiscal year 2005 budget request. SR-485

10 a.m.
Judiciary
Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine cable industry competition. SD-226

Energy and Natural Resources
 Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-366

Foreign Relations
 Business meeting to consider United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, with Annexes, done at Montego Bay, December 10, 1982 (the "Convention"), and the Agreement Relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982, with Annex, adopted at New York, July 28, 1994 (the "Agreement"), and signed by the United States, subject to ratification, on July 29, 1994 (Treaty Doc. 103-39). SD-419

1 p.m.
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
International Trade and Finance Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine economic and financial reconstruction in Iraq. SD-538

2 p.m.
Judiciary
 To hold hearings to examine judicial nominations. SD-226

FEBRUARY 12

9:30 a.m.
Foreign Relations
 To hold hearings to examine policy and programs relating to the State Department. SR-325

Governmental Affairs
Investigations Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine Department of Defense contractors who are abusing the federal tax system by either failing to file tax returns or not paying their taxes. SD-342

Small Business and Entrepreneurship
 To hold hearings to examine the President's fiscal year 2005 budget request for the Small Business Administration. SR-428A

10 a.m.
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine the first monetary policy report to Congress for 2004. SD-538

Budget

To hold hearings to examine the President's fiscal year 2005 budget proposals. SD-608

Energy and Natural Resources
 To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed fiscal year 2005 budget for the Department of the Interior. SD-366

Judiciary
 Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-226

2 p.m.
Finance
 To hold hearings to examine revenue proposals in the President's fiscal year 2005 budget. SD-215

2:30 p.m.
Judiciary
Immigration, Border Security and Citizenship Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine evaluating a temporary guest worker proposal. SD-226

Energy and Natural Resources
Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee
 To hold hearings to examine S. 1466, to facilitate the transfer of land in the State of Alaska, S. 1421, to authorize the subdivision and dedication of restricted land owned by Alaska Natives, S. 1649, to designate the Ojito Wilderness Study Area as wilderness, to take certain land into trust for the Pueblo of Zia, and S. 1910, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to carry out an inventory and management program for forests derived from public domain land. SD-366

Intelligence
 Closed business meeting to consider pending intelligence matters. SH-219

FEBRUARY 24

2 p.m.
Veterans' Affairs
 To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentation of the Disabled American Veterans. SH-216

FEBRUARY 25

9:30 a.m.
Indian Affairs
 To hold hearings to examine the President's fiscal year 2005 budget request. SR-485

MARCH 2

9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
 To hold hearings to examine the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2005 and the future years defense program. SH-216

10 a.m.
Energy and Natural Resources
 To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed fiscal year 2005 budget for the Forest Service. SD-366

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MARCH 4

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold open and closed hearings to examine the Defense Authorization Request for Fiscal Year 2005, focusing on military strategy and operational requirements (closed in SH-219).

SH-216

10 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of the Non-Commissioned Officers Association, the Military Order of the Purple Heart, the Paralyzed Veterans of America, the Jewish War Veterans, and the Blinded Veterans Association.

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MARCH 10

10 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentation of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

SH-216

MARCH 18

10 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of the Air Force Sergeants Association, the Retired Enlisted Association, Gold Star Wives of America, and the Fleet Reserve Association.

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MARCH 25

10 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentations of the National Association of State Directors of Veterans' Affairs, AMVETS, American Ex-Prisoners of War, the Vietnam Veterans of America, and the Military Officers Association of America.

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SEPTEMBER 21

10 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to examine the legislative presentation of the American Legion.

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