

January 18, Full Committee, to receive a closed briefing on intelligence assessments on the situation in Iraq, 2:30 p.m., S-407, Capitol.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: January 18, organizational business meeting to consider an original resolution authorizing expenditures for committee operations, committee's rules of procedure for the 110th Congress, and subcommittee assignments; to be followed by a hearing to examine the state of transit security, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on the Budget: January 18, to hold hearings to examine long-term economic and budget challenges, 10 a.m., SD-608.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: January 17, to hold hearings to examine aviation security, focusing on the recommendations of the 9/11 Commission, 10 a.m., SR-253.

January 18, Full Committee, to hold oversight hearings to examine Federal efforts for rail and surface transportation security, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: January 18, to hold an oversight hearing to examine issues relating to oil and gas royalty management at the Department of the Interior, 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Finance: January 17, organizational business meeting to consider an original resolution authorizing expenditures for committee operations, committee's rules of procedure for the 110th Congress, and subcommittee assignments; committee will also consider The Small Business and Work Opportunity Act of 2007, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: January 17, to hold hearings to examine the remaining options and regional diplomatic strategy relating to securing America's interests in Iraq, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

January 18, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the military and security strategy relating to securing America's interests in Iraq, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: January 16, to hold hearings to examine economic opportunity and security for working families, 10 a.m., SD-430.

January 19, Full Committee, with the Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, to hold joint hearings to examine stem cell research, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

Committee on Indian Affairs: January 18, organizational business meeting to consider an original resolution authorizing expenditures for committee operations, committee's rules of procedure for the 110th Congress, and subcommittee assignments, 10 a.m., SR-485.

Committee on the Judiciary: January 16, to hold hearings to examine the plight of Iraqi refugees, 2 p.m., SD-226.

January 17, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine paying off generics to prevent competition with brand name drugs, 10 a.m., SD-226.

January 18, Full Committee, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Justice, 9:30 a.m., SDG-50.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: January 18, organizational business meeting to consider an original resolution authorizing expenditures for committee operations, committee's rules of procedure for the 110th Congress, and subcommittee assignments, 9 a.m., SR-428A.

Select Committee on Intelligence: January 17, to hold closed hearings to examine intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

January 18, Full Committee, to hold closed hearings to examine intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

House Committees

Committee on Appropriations, January 16, to meet for organizational purposes, 5:30 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

January 17, Subcommittee on Defense, executive, on Army and Marine Corps Readiness, 10 a.m., and, executive, on Army and Marine Operations and Equipment Reconstitution, 1:30 p.m., H-140 Capitol.

January 18, executive, on Navy and Air Force Readiness, 10 a.m., and, executive, on Guard and Reserve Readiness, 1:30 p.m., H-140 Capitol.

January 19, on Military Medical Readiness and Related Issues, 10 a.m., H-140 Capitol.

Committee on Armed Services, January 16, Subcommittee on Seapower and Expeditionary Forces, hearing on Marine Corps force protection equipment for Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, 3 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

January 17, full Committee, hearing on alternative perspectives on the President's strategy for Iraq, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

January 18, hearing on approaches to audit of reconstruction and support activities in Iraq, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

January 18, Subcommittee on Air and Land Forces, hearing on Army force protection equipment for Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, January 17, hearing on Iraq, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

January 18, hearing on North Korea, 1:30 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

January 19, hearing on the Baker-Hamilton Commission Report, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, January 18, to meet for organizational purposes, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, January 16, to consider the following: H.R. 5, College Student Relief Act of 2007; and H.R. 6, Creating Long-Term Energy Alternatives for the Nation Act of 2007, 4 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, January 17, to meet for organizational purposes, 10:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

January 19, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on the Need for Renewed Investment in Clean Water Infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, January 17, to meet for organizational purposes, 2 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 16

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 16

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Program for Tuesday: After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 1:00 p.m.), Senate will resume consideration of S.1, Ethics Bill at 1:00 p.m., with votes on certain amendments, to be followed by votes on the motions to invoke cloture on certain other amendments.

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: To be announced.

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