

the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5339.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### NOMINATION

*Committee on Finance:* On Friday, May 8, 2009, committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomina-

tion of Neal S. Wolin, of Illinois, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Lieberman, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 1 public bill, H.R. 2342 was introduced. **Page H5406**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Page H5406**

**Report Filed:** A report was filed today as follows:

H.R. 2187, to direct the Secretary of Education to make grants to State educational agencies for the modernization, renovation, or repair of public school facilities, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111-100). **Page H5405**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative McGovern to act as Speaker Pro Tempore for today. **Page H5403**

**Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Reverend Eugene Hemrick, Washington Theological Union, Washington, DC. **Page H5403**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no Yea-and-Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 2:03 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

## Joint Meetings

### EMPLOYMENT

*Joint Economic Committee:* On Friday, May 8, 2009, committee concluded a hearing to examine the employment situation for April 2009, after receiving testimony Keith Hall, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D 446)

H.R. 1626, to make technical amendments to laws containing time periods affecting judicial proceedings. Signed on May 7, 2009. (Public Law 111-16)

S.J. Res. 8, providing for the appointment of David M. Rubenstein as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Signed on May 7, 2009. (Public Law 111-17)

S. 39, to repeal section 10(f) of Public Law 93-531, commonly known as the "Bennett Freeze". Signed on May 8, 2009. (Public Law 111-18)

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MAY 12, 2009

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget request for fiscal year 2010 for the Army, 10:30 a.m., SD-192.

Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, business meeting to mark up proposed budget request for fiscal year 2009 supplemental for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs, 2:30 p.m., SD-138.

Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget request for fiscal year 2010 for military construction, Veterans Affairs, and related agencies, 2:30 p.m., SD-124.

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Andrew Charles Weber, of Virginia, to be Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Nuclear and Chemical and Biological Defense Programs, Paul N. Stockton, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Homeland Defense and Americas' Security Affairs, Thomas R. Lamont, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Army for Manpower and Reserve Affairs, and Charles A.

Blanchard, of Arizona, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force, all of the Department of Defense, 10 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine S. 967, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to create a petroleum product reserve, and S. 283, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to modify the conditions for the release of products from the Northeast Home Heating Oil Reserve Account, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* to hold hearings to examine proposed budget request for fiscal year 2010 for the Environmental Protection Agency, 9:45 a.m., SD-406.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Peter Silva Silva, of California, to be Assistant Administrator, and Stephen Alan Owens, of Arizona, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances, both of the Environmental Protection Agency, and JoEllen Darcy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, Department of Defense, 2:30 p.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance:* to hold hearings to examine financing comprehensive health care reform; to be immediately followed by a business meeting to consider the nomination of Neal S. Wolin, of Illinois, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury, 10 a.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* business meeting to consider the nominations of Harold Hongju Koh, of Connecticut, to be Legal Adviser of the Department of State, and Susan Flood Burk, of Virginia, to be Special Representative of the President for nuclear non-proliferation; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the United States strategy toward Pakistan, 10:15 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine energy security, focusing on historical perspectives and modern challenges, 2 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Cass R. Sunstein, of Massachusetts, to be Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the proposed budget request for fiscal year 2010 for the Department of Homeland Security, 4 p.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine helping State and local law enforcement, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Gerard E. Lynch, of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, and Mary L. Smith, of Illinois, to be Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division, Department of Justice, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* business meeting to consider the nominations of Roger W. Baker, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Information and Technology, William A. Gunn, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, Jose D. Riojas, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary for Operations, Security, and Preparedness, and John U. Sepulveda, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Human Resources, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs, Time to be announced, room to be announced.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., S-407, Capitol.

## House

*Committee on Appropriations,* Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, and Related Agencies, on Army Corps of Engineers, 10 a.m., 2362-B Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Financial Services, General Government, and Related Agencies, on GSA, 2 p.m., 2220 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Homeland Security, on Secretary of Homeland Security, 1 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Interior and Environment, and Related Agencies, on Forest Service, 1:30 p.m., B-308 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies, on Secretary of Labor, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn, and on Members Requests, 2 p.m., 2358-C Rayburn.

*Committee on Education and Labor,* hearing on American's Competitiveness through High School Reform, 3 p.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection, hearing on the following: Consumer Credit Protection Improvement Act of 2009 and H.R. 2190, Mercury Pollution Reduction Act, 2 p.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health, hearing on H.R. 1346, Medical Device Safety Act of 2009, 2 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules,* to consider H.R. 2187, 21st Century Green High-Performing Public School Facilities Act, 5 p.m., H-313 Capitol.