

Board for a term of three years: Admiral William O. Studeman of Great Falls, VA. **Page H3148**

**Presidential Message:** Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress that the national emergency declared with respect to the stabilization of Iraq is to continue in effect beyond May 22, 2012—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 112–111). **Pages H3149–50**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes and 22 recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H3109–10, H3110, H3111, H3111–12, H3112–13, H3113, H3113–14, H3114–15, H3115, H3115–16, H3116–17, H3117, H3117–18, H3118–19, H3119, H3119–20, H3120–21, H3121, H3141–42, H3142–43, H3144, H3145, H3145–46, H3146. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### FORMULATION OF THE 2012 FARM BILL: ENERGY AND FORESTRY PROGRAMS

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry held a hearing entitled “Formulation of the 2012 Farm Bill: Energy and Forestry Programs”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Legislative Branch held a markup of Legislative Branch Appropriations Bill, FY 2013. The bill was forwarded, without amendment.

### IMPACT OF THE DODD-FRANK ACT: UNDERSTANDING HEIGHTENED REGULATORY CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

*Committee on Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing entitled “The Impact of the Dodd-Frank Act: Understanding Heightened Regulatory Capital Requirements”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### TERRORIST FINANCING SINCE 9/11: ASSESSING AN EVOLVING AL QAEDA AND STATE SPONSORS OF TERRORISM

*Committee on Homeland Security:* Subcommittee on Counterterrorism and Intelligence began a hearing entitled “Terrorist Financing Since 9/11: Assessing an Evolving al Qaeda and State Sponsors of Terrorism”.

### HEALTH CARE CONSOLIDATION AND COMPETITION AFTER PPACA

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, Competition and the Internet held a hearing entitled “Health Care Consolidation and Competition after PPACA”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Ethics:* Full Committee held a business meeting to consider proposed amendments to the Committee Rules. The amendments were adopted.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR MONDAY, MAY 21, 2012

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine national security, focusing on foreign language capabilities in the Federal government, 2:30 p.m., SD–342.

#### House

No hearings are scheduled.

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### CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of May 21 through May 25, 2012

#### Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at 2 p.m., The Majority Leader will be recognized. The Majority Leader intends to resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3187, FDA User Fee. At 4:30 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Paul J. Watford, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination at approximately 5:30 p.m. If the motion to invoke cloture is not agreed to, Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3187, FDA User Fee.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

#### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Appropriations:* May 22, Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, business meeting to mark up proposed budget estimates for