

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,
MAY 19, 2016

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Farm Credit System, focusing on the outlook of the current economic climate, 10:15 a.m., SR-328A.

Committee on Appropriations: business meeting to mark up an original bill entitled, “Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017”, and an original bill entitled, “Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2017”, 10:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities, Insurance, and Investment, to hold hearings to examine improving communities’ and businesses’ access to capital and economic development, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management’s 2017–2022 OCS Oil and Gas Leasing Program, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the international Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture, adopted by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations on November 3, 2001, and signed by the United States on November 1, 2002 (the “Treaty”) (Treaty Doc. 110–19), and the Convention on the Law Applicable to Certain Rights in Respect of Securities Held with an Intermediary (the “Convention”), done at The Hague on July 5, 2006, and signed by the United States on that same day (Treaty Doc. 112–06), 10 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 2942, to extend certain privileges and immunities to the Gulf Cooperation Council, an original resolution entitled, “Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the 1916 Easter Rising, a seminal moment in the journey of Ireland to independence”, and routine lists in the Foreign Service, 11:30 a.m., S-116, Capitol.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 247, to amend section 349 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to deem specified activities in support of terrorism as renunciation of United States nationality, S. 356, to improve the provisions relating to the privacy of electronic communications, and the nominations of Ronald G. Russell, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah, Inga S. Bernstein, to be United States District Judge for the District of Massachusetts, Stephanie A. Gallagher, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, and Suzanne Mitchell, and Scott L. Palk, both to be a United States District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Subcommittee on Immigration and the National Interest, to hold hearings to examine the Administration’s immigration policies, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

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

House

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Health, hearing entitled “Examining H.R. 3299, Strengthening Public Health Response Act”, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled “Settling the Question: Did Bank Settlement Agreements Subvert Congressional Appropriations Powers?”, 9:15 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice, hearing entitled “Examining Legislation to Promote the Effective Enforcement of the ADA’s Public Accommodation Provisions”, 9 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, hearing entitled “Examining Deficiencies in Transparency at the Department of the Interior”, 9 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Small Business, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Help Wanted: Small Business Providing Opportunities for All”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.