

### DAMAGING REPERCUSSIONS: DOL'S OVERTIME RULE, SMALL EMPLOYERS, AND THEIR EMPLOYEES

*Committee on Small Business:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Damaging Repercussions: DOL’s Overtime Rule, Small Employers, and their Employees”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs:* Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 3216, the “VET Act”; H.R. 4150, the “Department of Veterans Affairs Emergency Medical Staffing Recruitment and Retention Act”; H.R. 4764, the “Puppies Assisting Wounded Servicemembers (PAWS) Act of 2016”; H.R. 5047, the “Protecting Veterans’ Educational Choice Act of 2016”; H.R. 5083, the “VA Appeals Modernization Act of 2016”; H.R. 5162, the “Vet Connect Act of 2016”; H.R. 5166, the “WINGMAN Act”; H.R. 5392, the “No Veterans Crisis Line Call Should Go Unanswered Act”; H.R. 5407, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Labor to prioritize the provision of services to homeless veterans with dependent children in carrying out homeless veterans reintegration programs, and for other purposes; H.R. 5416, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand burial benefits for veterans who die while receiving hospital care or medical services under the Veterans Choice Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; H.R. 5420, to authorize the American Battle Monuments Commission to acquire, operate,

and maintain the Lafayette Escadrille Memorial in Marne-la-Coquette, France; and H.R. 5428, the “Military Residency Choice Act”. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lamborn; Titus; Ruiz; O’Rourke; DeSantis; Yoho; Jody B. Hice of Georgia; Newhouse; and Young of Iowa; Sloan Gibson, Deputy Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

### *Joint Meetings*

#### TRANSPORTATION, AND HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT

On Wednesday, June 22, 2016, *Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 2577, making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016.

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#### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 2016

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

##### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

##### House

No hearings are scheduled.