EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, February 5, 2008 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

FEBRUARY 6

9:30 a.m.
Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2009, the future years defense program, and for operations in Iraq and Afghanistan.
SD–106

Foreign Relations
To hold hearings to examine the Six Party Talks for the denuclearization of the Korean Peninsula.
SD–419

10 a.m.
Budget
To hold hearings to examine the President's Fiscal Year 2009 budget and revenue proposals.
SD–608

Energy and Natural Resources
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2009 for the Department of Energy.
SD–366

Environment and Public Works
To hold hearings to examine perspectives on the Surface Transportation Commission report.
SD–406

Finance
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 2009.
SD–215

10:05 a.m.
Environment and Public Works
Business meeting to consider S. 2146, to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to accept, as part of a settlement, diesel emission reduction Supplemental Environmental Projects.
SD–406

1 p.m.
Foreign Relations
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Margaret Scobey, of Tennessee, to be Ambassador to the Arab Republic of Egypt, James Francis Moriarty, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Bangladesh, and Deborah K. Jones, of New Mexico, to be Ambassador to the State of Kuwait, all of the Department of State.
SD–419

3 p.m.
Foreign Relations
To receive a closed briefing on Sudan.
S–116, Capitol

FEBRUARY 7

9:30 a.m.
Foreign Relations
African Affairs Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine the immediate and underlying causes and consequences of Kenya's flawed election.
SD–419

Armed Services
To hold hearings to examine the final report of the Commission on the National Guard and Reserves.
SD–106

Energy and Natural Resources
To hold an oversight hearing to examine the energy market effects of the recently-passed renewable fuel standard.
SD–366

Indian Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Robert G. McSwain, of Maryland, to be Director of the Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.
SD–628

10 a.m.
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
To hold hearings to examine ways to reform the regulation of government sponsored enterprises.
SD–538

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Robert A. Sturgell, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, and Simon Charles Gros, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs, both of the Department of Transportation.
SR–253

Finance
To hold hearings to examine selling to seniors, focusing on the need for accountability and oversight of marketing and sales by Medicare private plans.
SD–215

Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the Founding Fathers papers, focusing on ensuring public access to our national treasures.
SD–226

2:30 p.m.
Foreign Relations
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Hector E. Morales, of Texas, to be Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador, Department of State, Larry Woodrow Walther, of Arkansas, to be Director of the Trade and Development Agency, and Ana M. Guevara, of Florida, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.
SD–419

Armed Services
Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine business transformation and financial management at the Department of Defense.
SR–222

Intelligence
Closed business meeting to consider pending calendar business.
SH–219

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe
To continue hearings to examine anti-Semitism in the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) region.
SD–406

FEBRUARY 12

10 a.m.
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
To hold hearings to examine ways to address healthcare workforce issues for the future.
SD–430

Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of James Randal Hall, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Georgia, Richard H. Honaker, to be United States District Judge for the District of Wyoming, Gustavus Adolphus Puryear IV, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Tennessee, and Brian Stacy Miller, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas.
SD–226

2 p.m.
Judiciary
Crime and Drugs Subcommittee
To hold hearings to examine federal cocaine sentencing laws, focusing on reforming the 100-to-1 crack/powder disparity.
SD–226

FEBRUARY 13

9:30 a.m.
Veterans' Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2009 for veterans programs.
SR–418

9:45 a.m.
Energy and Natural Resources
To hold hearings to examine the President's budget request for fiscal year 2009 for the Department of the Interior.
SD–366

10 a.m.
Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the state secrets privilege, focusing on protecting national security while preserving accountability.
SD–226

FEBRUARY 14

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2009 for the Department of Agriculture Forest Service.

SD–366

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine one year to digital television transition, focusing on consumers, broadcasters, and converter boxes.

SR–253

FEBRUARY 27

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Space, Aeronautics, and Related Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2009 for the National Space and Aeronautics Administration (NASA).

SR–253

FEBRUARY 28

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2009, for the Department of the Navy, and the future years defense program; with the possibility of a closed session in SR–222 immediately following the open session.

SH–216

MARCH 12

2:30 p.m.

Armed Services

Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2009, the future years defense program, and military installation, environmental, and base closure programs.

SR–232A

POSTPONEMENTS

FEBRUARY 7

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine weathering the economic storm, focusing on helping working families in troubling times.

SD–430

2:30 p.m.

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH–219