

focusing on human rights and democratic development, after receiving testimony from A. Elizabeth Jones, Assistant Secretary of State for the Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs; Lorne W. Craner, Assistant Secretary of State for the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor; Robert L. Barry, former Head of OSCE Mission to Bosnia-Herzegovina; and P. Terrence Hopmann, Brown University Department of Political Science/Thomas J. Watson, Jr. Institute for International Studies, Providence, Rhode Island.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2001

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold hearings to examine the Department of Defense's Quadrennial Defense Review, 11 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* business meeting to mark up the proposed International Money Laundering Abatement and Anti-Terrorist Financing Act of 2001, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation, to hold hearings to examine current transit safety issues, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Finance:* to hold hearings on the nomination of Jo Anne Barnhart, of Delaware, to be Commissioner of Social Security, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* business meeting to consider S.1465, to authorize the President to provide assistance to Pakistan and India through September 30, 2003; and the nomination of Patrick Francis Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations during his tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations for U.N. Management and Reform, 11:30 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* to resume hearings to examine the security of critical governmental infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* to hold hearings to examine current job training issues relative to a fragile economy, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* business meeting to mark up pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on pending nominations, 2 p.m., SD-226.

### House

*Committee on Education and the Workforce,* hearing on Over Identification Issues within the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and the Need for Reform, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, to mark up the following measures: H.R. 2983, Price-Anderson Reauthorization Act of 2001; and H. Res. 250, urging the Secretary of Energy to fill the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health, to mark up H.R. 2887, Best Pharmaceuticals for Children Act, 1 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform,* Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy, hearing on "Transforming the IT and Acquisition Workforces: Using Market-Based Pay, Recruiting Strategies to Make the Federal Government an Employer of Choice for IT and Acquisition Employees," 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations,* Subcommittee on the Middle East and South Asia, hearing on U.S. Policy Toward Iraq, 1 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources,* Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 38, Homestead National Monument of America Additions Act; and H.R. 1925, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Waco Mammoth Site Area in Waco, Texas, as a unity of the National Park System, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

*Committee on Science,* Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards, hearing on Arsenic in Drinking Water: An Update on the Science, Benefits and Cost, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing on Space Planes and X-Vehicles, 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs,* Subcommittee on Health, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 2716, Homeless Veterans Assistance Act of 2001; H.R. 936, Heather French Henry Homeless Veterans Assistance Act; and H.R. 2792, Disabled Veterans Service Dog and Health Care Improvement Act of 2001, 2 p.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means,* Subcommittee on Health, to mark up H.R. 2768, Medicare Regulatory and Contracting Reform Act of 2001, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.