

HONORING WILLIAM TRAUGOTT  
HENRY BRUNE II

**HON. SAM GRAVES**

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, January 16, 2008

Mr. GRAVES. Madam Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize William Traugott Henry Brune II of Kansas City, Missouri. William is a very special young man who has exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 351, and earning the most prestigious award of Eagle Scout.

William has been very active with his troop, participating in many scout activities. Over the many years William has been involved with scouting, he has not only earned numerous merit badges, but also the respect of his family, peers, and community.

Madam Speaker, I proudly ask you to join me in commending William Traugott Henry Brune II for his accomplishments with the Boy Scouts of America and for his efforts put forth in achieving the highest distinction of Eagle Scout.

**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 Com-

mittee—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 Thursday, January 17, 2008 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

**MEETINGS SCHEDULED**

**JANUARY 22**

2 p.m.

Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Kevin J. O'Connor, of Connecticut, to be Associate Attorney General, and Gregory G. Katsas, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

SD-226

**JANUARY 23**

10 a.m.

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Justice for All Act (Public Law 108-405), focusing on the administration of the Bloodworth and Coverdell DNA Grant Programs by the Department of Justice.

SD-226

**JANUARY 24**

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold oversight hearings to examine ways to reform the Mining Law of 1872.

SD-366

Veterans' Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine the report of the Veterans' Disability Benefits Commission, focusing on veterans disability compensation.

SD-562

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine S. 1843, to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 to clarify that an unlawful practice occurs each time compensation is paid pursuant to a discriminatory compensation decision or other practice.

SD-430

2 p.m.

Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Ed Schafer, of North Dakota, to be Secretary of Agriculture.

SR-328A

**JANUARY 30**

10 a.m.

Judiciary

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Department of Justice.

SH-216

**FEBRUARY 5**

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To continue oversight hearings to examine veterans disability compensation.

SR-418

**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