

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

AIR FORCE NUCLEAR SECURITY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded open and closed hearings to examine Air Force nuclear security, focusing on the August 2007 weapons-transfer incident, after receiving testimony from Lieutenant General Daniel J. Darnell, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff for Air, Space and Information Operations, Plans and Requirements, Major General Douglas L. Raaberg, USAF, Director, Air and Space Operations, Air Combat Command, Major General Polly A. Peyer, USAF, Director, Resource Integration, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Installation, and Mission Support, all of the Department of Defense; and General Larry D. Welch, USAF (Ret.), Institute for Defense Analysis, Alexandria, Virginia.

DEFENSE AND WAR COSTS BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2009 for the Department of Defense and war costs, after receiving testimony from Gordon England, Deputy Secretary, General James Cartwright, USMC, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Tina Jonas, Under Secretary (Comptroller), all of the Department of Defense.

HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE ISSUES

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded a hearing to examine ways to address healthcare workforce issues for the future, focusing on primary care professionals, after receiving testimony from A. Bruce Steinwald, Director, Health Care, Government Accountability Office; Kevin Grumbach, University of California Department of Family and Community Medicine, San Francisco; Roderick S. Hooker, Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Dallas, Texas; Edward Salsberg, Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC), Washington, D.C.; James Q. Swift, American Dental Education Association (ADEA), Minneapolis, Minnesota; Bruce Auerbach, Massachusetts Medical Society, Waltham; Beth Landon, Alaska Center for Rural Health, Anchorage, on behalf of the National Rural Health Association (NRHA); Jennifer S. Laurent, Vermont Nurse and Practitioner Association, Burlington; and John E. Maupin, Jr., Morehouse School of Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, on behalf of the Association of Minority Health Professions Schools.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.