

## MILITARY INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM AND GENERAL DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM FY 2012 BUDGET OVERVIEW

*House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Full Committee held a hearing on Military Intelligence Program and General Defense Intelligence Program FY2012 Budget Overview. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses. This was a Closed hearing.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2011

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

### House

No hearings are scheduled.

### Joint Meetings

*Joint Economic Committee:* to hold hearings to examine the employment situation for April 2011, 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of May 9 through May 14, 2011

### Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at 4:30 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of James Michael Cole, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Attorney General. At approximately 5:30 p.m., Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of James Michael Cole, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Attorney General.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Appropriations:* May 10, Subcommittee on Department of Homeland Security, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2012 for the Coast Guard, focusing on an examination of operational and recapitalization requirements, 10 a.m., SD-138.

May 11, Subcommittee on Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget

estimates for fiscal year 2012 for the National Institutes of Health, 10 a.m., SD-124.

May 11, Subcommittee on Department of Defense, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2012 for the Guard and Reserve, 10 a.m., SD-192.

May 12, Subcommittee on Department of Defense, to receive a closed briefing on the proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2012 for the United States Special Operations Command, and the United States European Command, 10:30 a.m., SVC-217.

May 12, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2012 for the Secretary of the Senate, the Senate Sergeant at Arms, and the United States Capitol Police, 2:30 p.m., SD-138.

*Committee on Armed Services:* May 10, Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold closed hearings to examine proliferation prevention programs at the Department of Energy and the Department of Defense in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program; to be immediately followed by an open hearing in SR-232A, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

May 11, Subcommittee on Personnel, to resume hearings to examine the Active, Guard, Reserve, and civilian personnel programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program, 1:30 p.m., SR-232A.

May 11, Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, to hold hearings to examine military space programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session, 2:30 p.m., SD-106.

May 12, Subcommittee on SeaPower, to receive a closed briefing on threats faced by our naval forces and the capabilities of our naval forces to respond to those threats in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* May 10, to hold hearings to examine reviewing the Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission's final report, 10 a.m., SD-538.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Dodd-Frank implementation, focusing on monitoring systemic risk and promoting financial stability, 10 a.m., SD-538.

May 12, Subcommittee on Housing, Transportation and Community Development, to hold hearings to examine the need for national mortgage servicing standards, 2 p.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* May 10, to hold hearings to examine the Transportation Worker Identification Credential Program, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

May 11, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine manufacturing our way to a stronger economy, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine economic ramifications of cyber threats and vulnerabilities to the private sector, 10 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* May 10, to hold hearings to examine new developments in upstream oil and gas technologies, 10 a.m., SD-366.

May 11, Subcommittee on National Parks, to hold hearings to examine S. 114, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into a cooperative agreement for a park headquarters at San Antonio Missions National Historical Park, to expand the boundary of the Park, to conduct a study of potential land acquisitions, S. 127, to establish the Buffalo Bayou National Heritage Area in the State of Texas, S. 140, to designate as wilderness certain land and inland water within the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore in the State of Michigan, S. 161, to establish Pinnacles National Park in the State of California as a unit of the National Park System, S. 177, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the Gold Hill Ranch in Coloma, California, S. 247, to establish the Harriet Tubman National Historical Park in Auburn, New York, and the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad National Historical Park in Caroline, Dorchester, and Talbot Counties, Maryland, S. 279, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing Camp Hale as a unit of the National Park System, S. 302, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue right-of-way permits for a natural gas transmission pipeline in nonwilderness areas within the boundary of Denali National Park, S. 313, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue permits for a microhydro project in nonwilderness areas within the boundaries of Denali National Park and Preserve, to acquire land for Denali National Park and Preserve from Doyon Tourism, Inc, S. 323, to establish the First State National Historical Park in the State of Delaware, S. 403, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate segments of the Molalla River in the State of Oregon, as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, S. 404, to modify a land grant patent issued by the Secretary of the Interior, S. 508, to establish the Chimney Rock National Monument in the State of Colorado, S. 535, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to lease certain lands within Fort Pulaski National Monument, S. 564, to designate the Valles Caldera National Preserve as a unit of the National Park System, S. 599, to establish a commission to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the American Civil War, S. 713, to modify the boundary of Petersburg National Battlefield in the Commonwealth of Virginia, S. 765, to modify the boundary of the Oregon Caves National Monument, S. 779, to authorize the acquisition and protection of nationally significant battlefields and associated sites of the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 under the American Battlefield Protection Program, S. 849, to establish the Waco Mammoth National Monument in the State of Texas, and S. 858, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the suitability and feasibility of designating the Colonel Charles Young Home in Xenia, Ohio as a unit of the National Park System, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine carbon capture and sequestration legislation, including S. 699, to authorize the Secretary of Energy to carry out a program to demonstrate the commercial application of integrated systems for long-term geological storage of carbon dioxide, and S. 757, to provide incentives to encourage the development and implementation of technology to capture carbon dioxide from dilute sources on a significant scale using direct air capture technologies, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Finance:* May 10, to hold hearings to examine perspectives on deficit reduction, focusing on Social Security, 10 a.m., SD-215.

May 11, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the United States-Colombia Trade Promotion Agreement, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* May 10, to hold hearings to examine steps needed for a successful 2014 transition in Afghanistan, 10 a.m., SD-419.

May 11, Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South and Central Asian Affairs, to hold hearings to examine human rights and democratic reform in Iran, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* May 11, to hold hearings to examine diverting non-urgent emergency room use, focusing on if it can provide better care and lower costs, 10 a.m., SD-430.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the middle class, focusing on if the American dream is slipping out of reach for American families, 9:45 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* May 10, Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia, with the Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security, to hold joint hearings to examine a roadmap for a more efficient and accountable Federal government, focusing on implementing the "Government Performance and Results (GPRA) Modernization Act," 2:30 p.m., SD-562.

May 11, Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-342.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine ten years after 9/11, focusing on if intelligence reform is working, 2:30 p.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* May 10, Subcommittee on Privacy, Technology and the Law, to hold hearings to examine protecting mobile privacy, focusing on smartphones, tablets, cell phones and privacy, 10 a.m., SD-226.

May 11, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights, to hold hearings to examine the AT&T/T-Mobile merger, 10:15 a.m., SD-226.

May 12, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 350, to require restitution for victims of criminal violations of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, S. 623, to amend chapter 111 of title 28, United States Code, relating to protective orders, sealing of cases, disclosures of discovery information in civil actions, an original bill entitled "Fighting Fraud to Protect Taxpayers Act of 2011," and the nominations of Bernice Bouie

Donald, of Tennessee, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, Henry F. Floyd, of South Carolina, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, Kathleen M. Williams, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida, Nelva Gonzales Ramos, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, Richard Brooke Jackson, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, Sara Lynn Darrow, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of Illinois, and Virginia A. Seitz, of the District of Columbia, and Lisa O. Monaco, of the District of Columbia, both to be an Assistant Attorney General, Denise Ellen O'Donnell, of New York, to be Director of the Bureau of Justice Assistance, and Donald B. Verrilli, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Solicitor General of the United States, all of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* May 11, business meeting to consider the nomination of William J. Boarman, of Maryland, to be Public Printer, Government Printing Office, S. Res. 116, to provide for expedited Senate consideration of certain nominations subject to advice and consent, and S. 739, to authorize the Architect of the Capitol to establish battery recharging stations for privately owned vehicles in parking areas under the jurisdiction of the Senate at no net cost to the Federal Government, 2 p.m., SR-301.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* May 10, to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

May 12, Full Committee, to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

### House Committees

*Committee on Agriculture,* May 12, full Committee, hearing to review pending free trade agreements, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* May 11, Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, hearing on National Endowment for the Arts FY12 Budget, 9:30 a.m., B-308 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on Defense, hearing on Defense Health Program, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on the Government Printing Office, Congressional Budget Office, Members and Public Witnesses, 10 a.m., HT-2, Capitol.

May 11, Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, hearing on National Endowment for the Humanities FY12 Budget Oversight, 11 a.m., B-308 Rayburn.

May 12, Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, hearing on Smithsonian Institution FY12 Budget Oversight, 9:30 a.m., B-308 Rayburn.

May 12, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on the House of Representatives FY 2012, 11 a.m., HC-5, Capitol.

May 13, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on U.S. Capitol Police, FY 2012, 10 a.m., HT-2, Capitol.

*Committee on Armed Services,* May 11, full Committee, markup of the following: H. Res. 208, Directing the Secretary of Defense to transmit to the House of Representatives copies of any document, record, memo, correspondence, or other communication of the Department of Defense, or any portion of such communication, that refers or relates to any consultation with Congress regarding Operation Odyssey Dawn or military actions in or against Libya; and H.R. 1540, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2012 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2012, and for other purposes.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce,* May 11, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training, hearing on Removing Inefficiencies in the Nation's Job Training Programs, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

May 12, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing on Reviewing Workers' Compensation for Federal Employees, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

May 13, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, hearing on Examining the Costs of Federal Overreach into School Meals, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* May 13, Subcommittee on Communications and Technology, hearing FCC Process Reform, 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services,* May 11, Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy and Technology, hearing entitled "Monetary Policy and the Debt Ceiling: Examining the Relationship Between the Federal Reserve and Government Debt," 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on Capital Markets and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing entitled "Legislative Proposals to Address the Negative Consequences of the Dodd-Frank Whistleblower Provisions," 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs,* May 10, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, and Human Rights, hearing on Governance, Democracy, Human Rights, and the Millennium Challenge Corporation in Africa: The FY2012 Proposed Budget, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

May 11, full Committee, hearing on the Peace Corps at 50, 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on the Asia and the Pacific, hearing on Piercing Burma's Veil of Secrecy: The Truth Behind the Sham Election and the Difficult Road Ahead, 2:30 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on UN Climate Talks and Power Politics: It's Not about the Temperature, 2:30 p.m., 2200 Rayburn.

May 12, full Committee, hearing on Export Controls, Arms Sales, and Reform: Balancing U.S. Interests, Part 1, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on Homeland Security,* May 11, Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Management, hearing entitled "On the Border and in the Line of Fire: U.S. Law Enforcement, Homeland Security and Drug Cartel Violence." 10 a.m., 311 Cannon.

May 12, Subcommittee on Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Communications, hearing entitled “Taking Measure of Countermeasures (Part 2): A Review of Efforts to Protect the Homeland Through Distribution and Dispensing of CBRN Medical Countermeasures.” 2 p.m., 311 Cannon.

*Committee on House Administration*, May 11, full Committee, hearing on GPO—Issues and Challenges: How Will GPO Transition to the Future? 1:30 p.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, May 11, Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism and Homeland Security, hearing on the USA PATRIOT Act: Dispelling the Myths, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on Immigration Policy and Enforcement, hearing on legislation regarding the Secure Visas Act, 1:30 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, May 11, full Committee, hearing on American Energy Initiative: Identifying Roadblocks to Wind and Solar Energy on Public Lands and Waters, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

May 12, Subcommittee on Water and Power, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 470, to further allocate and expand the availability of hydroelectric power generated at Hoover Dam, and for other purposes; H.R. 489, to clarify the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior with respect to the C.C. Cragin Dam and Reservoir, and for other purposes; and H.R. 818, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to allow for prepayment of repayment contracts between the United States and the Uintah Water Conservancy District, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

May 12, Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans, and Insular Affairs, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 295, to amend the Hydrographic Services Improvement Act of 1998 to authorize funds to acquire hydrographic data and provide hydrographic services specific to the Arctic for safe navigation, delineating the United States extended continental shelf, and the monitoring and description of coastal changes; H.R. 670, to convey certain submerged lands to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in order to give that territory the same benefits in its submerged lands as Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa have in their submerged lands; H.R. 991, to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to allow importation of polar bear trophies taken in sport hunts in Canada before the date the polar bear was determined to be a threatened species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973; H.R. 1160, McKinney Lake National Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act; H.R. 1670, Sikes Act Amendments Act, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, May 10, full Committee, hearing entitled “The Future of Capital Formation,” 12:30 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on National Security, Homeland Defense and Foreign Operations, hearing entitled

“USAID: Following the Money,” 1:30 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

May 11, Subcommittee on TARP, Financial Services and Bailouts of Public and Private Programs, hearing entitled “Transparency as an Alternative to the Federal Government’s Regulation of Risk Retention,” 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

May 12, Subcommittee on Health Care, DC, Census and the National Archives, hearing entitled “The District of Columbia’s Fiscal Year 2012 Budget: Ensuring Fiscal Sustainability,” 8:45 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

May 12, Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, U.S. Postal Service and Labor Policy, hearing entitled “Where Have All the Letters Gone?—The Mailing Industry and Its Future,” 1:30 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

May 12, full Committee and the Committee on Small Business, joint hearing entitled “Politicizing Procurement: Will President Obama’s Proposal Curb Free Speech and Hurt Small Business?” 1:30 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

May 13, Subcommittee on Government Organization, Efficiency, and Financial Management, hearing entitled “Department of Homeland Security Financial Management,” 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules*, May 10, full Committee, hearing on H.R. 1231, Reversing President Obama’s Offshore Moratorium Act, 5 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, May 11, full Committee, hearing on Review of Hydraulic Fracturing Technology and Practices, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

May 13, Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight and Subcommittee on Energy and Environment, joint hearing on Nuclear Energy Risk Management, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, May 12, Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations and Regulations, hearing entitled “Green Isn’t Always Gold: Are EPA Regulations Harming Small Businesses?” 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, May 11, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on EPA Mining Policies: Assault on Appalachian Jobs—Part II, 10:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs*, May 12, full Committee, markup of pending legislation, 3 p.m., 334 Cannon.

May 13, Subcommittee on Health, hearing on The Federal Recovery Coordination Program: From Concept to Reality, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, May 12, full Committee, hearing on the burdens that the tax code imposes on American companies and how such burdens place them at a competitive disadvantage as they try to sell goods and services around the world, 9 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, May 13, full Committee, hearing on FY 2012 Budget Overview, 10 a.m., HVC-304, Capitol. This is a closed hearing.