

June 14, 1999

COMMEMORATING THE SONORA  
WOOL AND MOHAIR SHOW

**HON. HENRY BONILLA**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 14, 1999

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to salute the 62nd Annual Sonora Wool and Mohair Show and the 39th Annual National 4-H Wool Judging Contest. Both of these events are scheduled for June 15–17. The Sonora 4-H program serves as a model for the youngsters of rural America. Year after year the program has distinguished itself with entries from the nation's top youth. It is my honor to report this event today and I wish continued success to this outstanding organization.

The Sonora Wool and Mohair Show has been the foremost event of its type for more than half a century. The popularity of the youth's wool judging contest began when the program was added to the event in 1947. It remains popular with young people today. It is annually attended by many successful youth teams. The show is sponsored by the Sonora Lions Club and Sonora Chamber of Commerce, in cooperation with the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company and the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

A variety of activities fill the three-day event. These include an All-Texas Show for 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters, an open show for all U.S. producers and the National 4-H Wool Judging Contest.

Mr. Speaker, it is my hope that my colleagues from all areas of the United States join me in recognizing the Sonora 4-H program. Programs such as these give our young people many great skills. Wool judging requires hours of study and evaluation, equipping students with great research skills. More importantly, the competition gives participants a sense of accomplishment through a job well done. For the next few days all eyes will focus on Sonora.

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, June 15, 1999 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JUNE 16

9:30 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-366

Appropriations  
Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee  
To hold hearings on issues relating to prostate cancer. SD-192

10 a.m.  
Finance  
Business meeting to markup H.R. 1833, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2000 and 2001 for the United States Customs Service for drug interdiction and other operations, for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, for the United States International Trade Commission, the proposed Generalized System of Preferences Extension Act, the proposed Trade Adjustment Assistance Reauthorization Act, the proposed United States Caribbean Basin Trade Enhancement Act, and the proposed Steel Trade Enforcement Act. SD-215

Joint Economic Committee  
To continue hearings on issues relating to the High-Technology National Summit. SH-216

2:30 p.m.  
Indian Affairs  
Business meeting to markup S. 28, to authorize an interpretive center and related visitor facilities within the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park; S. 400, to provide technical corrections to the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996, to improve the delivery of housing assistance to Indian tribes in a manner that recognizes the right of tribal self-governance; S. 401, to provide for business development and trade promotion for native Americans, and for other purposes; S. 613, to encourage Indian economic development, to provide for the disclosure of Indian tribal sovereign immunity in contracts involving Indian tribes, and for other purposes; S. 614, to provide for regulatory reform in order to encourage investment, business, and economic development with respect to activities conducted on Indian lands; and S. 944, to amend Public Law 105-188 to provide for the mineral leasing of certain Indian lands in Oklahoma. SR-485

Foreign Relations  
To hold hearings on the nomination of David B. Dunn, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zambia; the nomination of Mark Wylea Erwin, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mauritius, and Ambassador to the Federal Islamic Republic of the Comoros and as Ambassador to the Republic of Seychelles; the nomination of Christopher E. Goldthwait, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad; and the nomination of Joyce E. Leader, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea. SD-562

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3 p.m.

Judiciary  
To hold hearings on pending nominations. SD-226

JUNE 17

9:30 a.m.  
Environment and Public Works  
To hold hearings on S. 533, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to authorize local governments and Governors to restrict receipt of out-of-State municipal solid waste; and S. 872, to impose certain limits on the receipt of out-of-State municipal solid waste, to authorize State and local controls over the flow of municipal solid waste. SD-406

Commerce, Science, and Transportation  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Johnnie E. Frazier, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Commerce; the nomination of Cheryl Shavers, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology; the nomination of Kelly H. Carnes, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Technology Policy; the nomination of Albert S. Jacquez, of California, to be Administrator of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; the nomination of Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be a Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission; and the nomination of Ann Brown, of Florida, to be a Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission. SR-253

10 a.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Education and Work Force on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, focusing on research and evaluation. SD-106

Finance  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Lawrence H. Summers, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Treasury. SH-216

Judiciary  
Business meeting to markup S. 467, to restate and improve section 7A of the Clayton Act; S. 692, to prohibit Internet gambling; and S. 768, to establish court-martial jurisdiction over civilians serving with the Armed Forces during contingency operations, and to establish Federal jurisdiction over crimes committed outside the United States by former members of the Armed Forces and civilians accompanying the Armed Forces outside the United States. SD-226

Foreign Relations  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Richard Holbrooke, of New York, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations with the rank and status of Ambassador; and the Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations.

Room to be announced  
Joint Economic Committee  
To hold hearings on monetary policy and the economic outlook.

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EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

June 14, 1999

2 p.m.  
 Judiciary  
 To resume closed oversight hearings on certain activities of the Department of Justice. S-407 Capitol

Intelligence  
 To hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters. SH-219

Finance  
 To hold hearings on Medicaid and school-based services. SD-215

Aging  
 To hold hearings on issues relating to income security. SD-106

JUNE 21

9 a.m.  
 United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control  
 To hold hearings to examine the black market peso exchange, focusing on how U.S. companies are used to launder money. SH-216

JUNE 23

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold oversight hearings on National Gambling Impact Study Commission report. SR-485

JUNE 24

9:30 a.m.  
 Energy and Natural Resources  
 To hold oversight hearings to examine the implications of the proposed acquisition of the Atlantic Richfield Company by BP Amoco, PLC. SD-366

JUNE 29

2:30 p.m.  
 Energy and Natural Resources  
 Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee  
 To hold hearings on fire preparedness by the Bureau of Land Management and the Forest Service on Federal lands. SD-366

JUNE 30

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold hearings on S.438, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Chippewa Cree Tribe of the Rocky Boy's Reservation; to be followed by a business meeting to consider pending calendar business. Room to be announced

2 p.m.  
 Energy and Natural Resources  
 Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee  
 To hold oversight hearings on the United States Forest Service Economic Action programs. SD-366

JULY 1

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold hearings to establish the American Indian Educational Foundation. SR-485

JULY 14

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 Energy and Natural Resources  
 To hold joint oversight hearings on the General Accounting Office report on Interior Department's trust funds reform. Room to be announced

JULY 21

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold hearings on S. 985, to amend the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act. SR-485

JULY 28

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold hearings on S. 979, to amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to provide for further self-governance by Indian tribes. SR-485

AUGUST 4

9:30 a.m.  
 Indian Affairs  
 To hold hearings on S. 299, to elevate the position of Director of the Indian Health Service within the Department of Health and Human Services to Assistant Secretary for Indian Health; and S. 406, to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to make permanent the demonstration program that allows for direct billing of medicare, medicaid, and other third party payors, and to expand the eligibility under such program to other tribes and tribal organizations; followed by a business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SR-485

SEPTEMBER 28

9:30 a.m.  
 Veterans Affairs  
 To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans Affairs to review the legislative recommendations of the American Legion. 345 Cannon Building

POSTPONEMENTS

JUNE 17

9:30 a.m.  
 Commerce, Science, and Transportation  
 To hold hearings on mergers and consolidations in the communications industry. SR-253

Energy and Natural Resources  
 To hold hearings on S. 1049, to improve the administration of oil and gas leases on Federal land. SD-366