

**EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS**

**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 Thursday, October 2, 1997, may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

**MEETINGS SCHEDULED**

**OCTOBER 6**

- 10:00 a.m.  
Governmental Affairs  
Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations  
To hold hearings to examine traditional frauds perpetrated over the Internet. SD-342
- Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings on S. 1079, to permit the leasing of mineral rights within the Fort Berthold Reservation. SR-485

**OCTOBER 7**

- 9:00 a.m.  
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Sally Thompson, of Kansas, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Agriculture, and on other pending nominations. SR-332
- 10:00 a.m.  
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs  
Securities Subcommittee  
To hold joint hearings with the Committee on Finance's Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy and Subcommittee on Health Care to examine investment based alternatives to the current pay-as-you-go method of financing Social Security and Medicare. SD-215
- Finance  
Social Security and Family Policy Subcommittee  
To hold joint hearings with the Committee on Finance's Subcommittee on Health Care and the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs' Subcommittee on Securities to exam-

ine investment based alternatives to the current pay-as-you-go method of financing Social Security and Medicare. SD-215

- Finance  
Health Care Subcommittee  
To hold joint hearings with the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs' Subcommittee on Securities and the Committee on Finance's Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy to examine investment based alternatives to the current pay-as-you-go method of financing Social Security and Medicare. SD-215
- Foreign Relations  
To hold hearings to examine the strategic rationale for NATO enlargement. SD-419
- Governmental Affairs  
To resume hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing. SH-216
- Judiciary  
To hold hearings on improving citizens' access to justice, focusing on vindication of property rights. SD-226
- Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Charles N. Jeffress, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor. SD-430
- 2:00 p.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
Water and Power Subcommittee  
To hold hearings on S. 725, to convey the Collbran Reclamation Project to the Ute Water Conservancy District and the Collbran Conservancy District, S. 777, to authorize the construction of the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System and to authorize assistance to the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System, Inc., H.R. 848, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of the AuSable Hydroelectric Project in New York, H.R. 1184, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act for the construction of the Bear Creek Hydroelectric Project in the State of Washington, H.R. 1217, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act for the construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Washington, S. 1230, to provide for Federal cooperation in non-Federal reclamation projects, and S. 841, to authorize construction of the Fort Peck Reservation Rural Water System in the State of Montana. SD-366
- Foreign Relations  
To hold hearings on the Taxation Convention with Austria (Treaty Doc. 104-31), Tax Convention with Ireland (Treaty Doc. 105-31), Taxation Convention with Luxembourg (Treaty Doc. 104-33), Tax Convention with South Africa (Treaty Doc. 105-9), Tax Convention with Swiss Confederation (Treaty Doc. 105-8), Taxation Convention with Thai-

land (Treaty Doc. 105-2), Taxation Agreement with Turkey (Treaty Doc. 104-30), and Protocol Amending Tax Convention with Canada (Treaty Doc. 105-29). SD-419

- 3:00 p.m.  
Veterans' Affairs  
Business meeting, to mark up miscellaneous veterans health and benefits bills, including S. 987, S. 714, S. 986, S. 309, S. 464, S. 623, S. 730, S. 801, S. 813, and S. 999. SR-418

**OCTOBER 8**

- 9:00 a.m.  
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry  
To hold hearings on proposed legislation relating to food safety. SR-332
- 9:30 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings on the proposed settlement between State Attorneys General and tobacco companies, focusing on the proposed Indian provision. SR-485
- 10:00 a.m.  
Governmental Affairs  
To continue hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing. SH-216
- Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings on the nomination of David Satcher, of Tennessee, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services and Medical Director and Surgeon General of the Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services. SD-430
- Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings on the nomination of David Satcher, of Tennessee, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services and Medical Director and Surgeon General of the Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services. SD-106

- 2:00 p.m.  
Judiciary  
Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine issues with regard to competition in the cable and video markets. SD-226

**OCTOBER 9**

- 9:30 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
To hold hearings on the nomination of M. John Berry, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Policy, Management, and Budget. SD-366

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Matter set in **this typeface** indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.

- Labor and Human Resources  
Public Health and Safety Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine the National Institutes of Health clinical research.  
SD-430
- 10:00 a.m.  
Governmental Affairs  
To continue hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing.  
SH-216
- 2:00 p.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee  
To hold oversight hearings on the feasibility of using bonding techniques to finance large-scale capital projects in the National Park System.  
SD-366
- OCTOBER 20
- 10:00 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings on H.R. 79, to provide for the conveyance of certain land in the Six Rivers National Forest in the State of California for the benefit of the Hoopa Valley Tribe, and S. 156, to provide certain benefits of the Pick-Sloan Missouri River Basin program to the Lower Brule Sioux Tribe.  
SR-485
- OCTOBER 21
- 9:30 a.m.  
Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings on S. 1124, to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to establish provisions with respect to religious accommodation in employment.  
SD-430
- 10:00 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings on H.R. 700, to remove the restriction on the distribution of certain revenues from the Mineral Springs parcel to certain members of the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, and H.R. 976, to provide for the disposition of certain funds appropriated to pay judgment in favor of the Mississippi Sioux Indians.  
SR-485
- OCTOBER 22
- 9:30 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.  
SD-366
- Labor and Human Resources  
Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.  
SD-430
- OCTOBER 23
- 9:30 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold hearings on S. 1077, to amend the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.  
SD-106
- 10:00 a.m.  
Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings on S. 869, to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.  
SD-430
- OCTOBER 27
- 10:00 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold oversight hearings on the contemporary status of the Bureau of Indian Affairs of the Department of the Interior.  
Room to be announced
- 2:00 p.m.  
Labor and Human Resources  
Public Health and Safety Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine proposals to deter youth from using tobacco products.  
SD-430
- OCTOBER 28
- 10:00 a.m.  
Labor and Human Resources  
To resume hearings to examine an Administration study on the confidentiality of medical information and recommendations on ways to protect the privacy of individually identifiable information and to establish strong penalties for those who disclose such information.  
SD-430
- OCTOBER 30
- 10:00 a.m.  
Labor and Human Resources  
To hold hearings to examine recent developments and current issues in HIV/AIDS.  
SD-430
- NOVEMBER 5
- 9:30 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To hold oversight hearings on proposals to extend compacting to agencies of the Department of Health and Human Services.  
SR-485
- CANCELLATIONS
- OCTOBER 2
- 10:00 a.m.  
Governmental Affairs  
To continue hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing.  
SH-216
- OCTOBER 8
- 9:30 a.m.  
Energy and Natural Resources  
To hold hearings on S. 1064, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act to more effectively manage visitor service and fishing activity in Glacier Bay National Park.  
SD-366
- OCTOBER 29
- 9:30 a.m.  
Indian Affairs  
To resume oversight hearings on proposals to reform the management of Indian trust funds.  
Room to be announced