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# House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 4, 1997, at 12:30 p.m.

# Senate

Monday, January 27, 1997

The Senate met at 9:59 and 15 seconds a.m., on the expiration of the adjournment, and was called to order by the President pro tempore [Mr. Thurmond].

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M., TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1997

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left($ 

adjourned until 10 a.m., Tuesday, January 28, 1997.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 9:59 and 30 seconds a.m., adjourned until Tuesday, January 28, 1997, at 10 a.m.

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### 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 Tuesday, January 28, 1997, may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

#### MEETINGS SCHEDULED

#### JANUARY 29

9:30 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Business meeting, to consider the nomination of William M. Daley, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Commerce, and pending Coast Guard nominations.

SR-253

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Energy and Natural Resources To hold an organizational meeting. SD-366

Small Business

To hold an organizational meeting.

SR-428A

10:00 a.m.

Budget

To hold hearings on proposals for longterm Social Security reform. SD-608

Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings on the nomination of
Rodney E. Slater, of Arkansas, to be
Secretary of Transportation.

To hold hearings on the nomination of Charlene Barshefsky, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Trade Representative; to be followed by a business meeting to consider the nomination of Ms. Barshefsky and S.J. Res. 5, waiving certain provisions of the Trade Act of 1974 relating to the ap-

pointment of the United States Trade Representative. SD-215

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings on the nomination of Bill Richardson, of New Mexico, to be the Representative of the United States to the United Nations with the rank of Ambassador, and the Representative of the United States in the Security Council of the United Nations.

SD-419

Governmental Affairs

To hold an organizational meeting.

SD-342

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

SD-430

11:15 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To resume hearings to examine Persian Gulf War illnesses.

2:00 p.m.

Select on Intelligence

To hold closed hearings on intelligence matters.

SH-219

Special on Aging

To hold an organizational meeting.

SD-628

SD-608

#### JANUARY 30

9:00 a.m.

Budget

To hold hearings on the consumer price index.

9:30 a.m.

Rules and Administration

To hold hearings to examine campaign finance reform proposals, including S. 57, and on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Federal Election Commission (FEC).

SR-301

10:00 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings on the nomination of Federico Pena, to be Secretary of Energy.

SD-366

Finance

To resume hearings on the final report of the Advisory Commission to Study the Consumer Price Index.

SD-215

Foreign Relations

To hold an organizational meeting.

Judiciary

Business meeting, to consider pending committee business.

SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold an organizational meeting.

SR-485

#### JANUARY 31

9:30 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings on the nomination of Rodney E. Slater, of Arkansas, to be Secretary of Transportation.

SD-406

#### FEBRUARY 4

9:30 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

Employment and Training Subcommittee
To hold oversight hearings on the imple-

mentation of the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA).

SD-430

Rules and Administration

To hold hearings on proposed committee resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses for 1997 and 1998.

SR-301

#### FEBRUARY 5

9:30 a.m.

**Energy and Natural Resources** 

To hold hearings on S. 104, to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982.

SD-366

Environment and Public Works

Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety Subcommittee

To hold hearings on ozone particulate matter standards proposed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

SD-406

Rules and Administration

To continue hearings on proposed committee resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses for 1997 and 1998.

SR-301

#### FEBRUARY 6

9:30 a.m.

Rules and Administration

To continue hearings on proposed committee resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses for 1997 and 1998.

SR-301

#### FEBRUARY 11

9:30 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings on the implementation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.

SD-430

Rules and Administration

Business meeting, to mark up proposed legislation authorizing biennial expenditures by standing, select, and special committees of the Senate, and to consider other pending legislative and administrative business.

SR-301

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on the legislative recommendations of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

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#### FEBRUARY 12

9:30 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings on the ozone and particulate matter standards proposed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

SD-406

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings on the implementation of the Teamwork for Employees and Managers Act (TEAM).

SD-430

#### FEBRUARY 13

2:00 p.m.

Environment and Public Works

Transportation and Infrastructure Subcommittee

To hold hearings on the implementation of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act and transportation trends, infrastructure funding

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requirements, and transportation's impact on the economy.

SD-406

#### FEBRUARY 26

9:30 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.

SD-430

#### FEBRUARY 27

9:30 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Higher Education Act.

SD-430

#### MARCH 6

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on the legislative recommendations of the Paralyzed Veterans of America, the Jewish War Veterans, the Retired Officers Association, the Association of the U.S. Army, the Non-Commissioned Officers Association, and the Blinded Veterans Association.

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#### MARCH 19

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on the legislative recommendations of the Disabled American Veterans.

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MARCH 20

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on the legislative recommendations of AMVETS, the American Ex-Prisoners of War, the Veterans of World War I, the Vietnam Veterans of America, and the Military Order of the Purple Heart.

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# Daily Digest

# Senate

### Chamber Action

Senate met at 9:59:15 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 9:59:30 a.m. until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, January 28, 1997.

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### Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House will next meet on Tuesday, February 4.

## Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

#### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1997

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

Committee on Appropriations, to hold an organizational meeting, 10:30 a.m., S–128, Capitol.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, business meeting, to consider the nomination of Andrew M. Cuomo, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, 11 a.m., SD–538.

Committee on the Budget, to hold hearings on the Congressional Budget Office economic and budget outlook, 10 a.m., SD-608.

Committee on Environment and Public Works, to hold an organizational meeting, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance, to hold an organizational meeting; to be followed by hearings on the final report of the Advisory Commission to Study the Consumer Price Index, 10 a.m., SD–215.

Committee on Rules and Administration, to hold hearings on the nomination of Alan M. Hantman, of New Jersey, to be Architect of the Capitol, 9:30 a.m., SR–301.

Full Committee, business meeting, to consider the nomination of Alan M. Hantman, of New Jersey, to be Architect of the Capitol, 10:15a.m., SR–301.

Select Committee on Intelligence, closed business meeting, to consider pending committee business, 2:30 p.m., SH–219.

#### **NOTICE**

For a listing of Senate Committee Meetings scheduled ahead, see pages E115–16 in today's Record.

#### House

No committee meetings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE 10 a.m., Tuesday, January 28

#### Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 4

#### Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: After the recognition of three Senators for speeches and the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 12:30 p.m.), Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

(Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for respective party conferences.)

#### House Chamber

Program for Tuesday, February 4: The House will meet in Joint Session with the Senate to receive the President's State of the Union Address.

