

H.R. 5689, Smuggled Tobacco Prevention Act of 2008, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, April 30, to markup the following bills: H.R. 3323, Goleta Water Distribution System Conveyance Act of 2007; H.R. 2649, To make amendments to the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992; H.R. 4841, Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians Settlement Act; H.R. 5618, National Sea Grant College Program Amendments Act of 2008; H.R. 1464, Great Cats and Rare Canids Act of 2007; H.R. 1771, Crane Conservation Act of 2007; H.R. 5540, Chesapeake Bay Gateways and Watertrails Network Continuing Authorization Act; H.R. 3667, Missisquoi and Trout Rivers Wild and Scenic River Study Act of 2007; H.R. 3981, Preserve America and Save America's Treasures Act; H.R. 3930, Lesser Prairie Chicken National Habitat Preservation Area Act of 2007; and H.R. 5680, To amend certain laws relating to Native Americans, 1 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, April 29, full Committee and the Subcommittee on National Security and Foreign Affairs, joint hearing on Oversight of Defense Department Acquisitions, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

April 29, Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Service and the District of Columbia, hearing on Catching Up: Benefits That Will Help Recruit and Retain Federal Employees; followed by a mark up of the following: H.R. 5550, To amend title 5, United States Code, to increase the maximum age to qualify for coverage as a "child" under the health benefits program for Federal employees; a measure to provide for automatic enrollment and automatic default to the Life Cycle Fund in the Thrift Savings Plan; a measure regarding nonprofit solicitations through the U.S. postal system; and a measure regarding the mailing of tobacco through the U.S. postal system, 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

April 30, Subcommittee on National Security and Foreign Affairs, hearing on Missile Defense, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Science and Technology, April 30, hearing on E-Waste: Can the Nation Handle Modern Refuse in the Digital Age? 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

May 1, Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing on NASA's Aeronautics Research and Development: Status and Issues, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, April 30, hearing entitled "The Effect of the Credit Crunch on Small Business Access to Capital," 10 a.m., 1539 Longworth.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, April 30, Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management, hearing on Saving Lives and Money through the Pre-disaster Mitigation Program, 9 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

April 30, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on Proposals for a Water Resources Development Act of 2008, 2 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

May 1, Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials, hearing on Amtrak Reauthorization, 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, April 30, to markup pending business, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, May 1, Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures, hearing on Education Tax Incentives, 10 a.m., Longworth.

Select Committee on Energy Independence and Global Warming, April 29, hearing entitled "Rising Tides, Rising Temperatures: Global Warming's Impact on the Oceans," 1:30 room to be announced.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: April 29, to hold hearings to examine challenges and opportunities of Europe's Black population, focusing on hate crimes and discrimination, anti-immigration and national identity debates, and growing security concerns, 10 a.m., B318, Rayburn Building.

Joint Economic Committee: May 1, to hold hearings to examine how high food prices are impacting American families, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Joint Economic Committee: May 2, to hold hearings to examine the employment-unemployment situation for April 2008, 9:30 a.m., SD-562.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

2 p.m., Monday, April 28

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Friday, April 25

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Program for Monday: After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 4:30 p.m.), Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 2881, FAA Reauthorization Act, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 5:30 p.m.

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