

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Commerce's Broadband Technology Opportunities Program funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on the Budget:* to hold hearings to examine the budget and economic outlook, focusing on fiscal years 2011-2020, 9 a.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* with the Subcommittee on Green Jobs and the New Economy, to hold joint hearings to examine solar energy technology and clean energy jobs, 9 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine Haiti, focusing on rescue, recovery and reconstruction, 9 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Ian Hoddy Solomon, of Maryland, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Walter Crawford Jones, of Maryland, to be United States Director of the African Development Bank, Douglas A. Rediker, of Massachusetts, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund, and Leocadia Irine Zak, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Trade and Development Agency, 3:30 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Lillian A. Sparks, of Maryland, to be Commissioner of the Administration for Native Americans, Department of Health and Human Services; to be immediately followed by an oversight hearing to examine unemployment on Indian reservations at 50%, focusing on the need to create jobs in Indian Country, 2:15 p.m., SD-628.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* business meeting to consider S. 2924, to reauthorize the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, in the wake of its Centennial, and its programs and activities, S. 1624, to amend title 11 of the United States Code, to provide protection for medical debt homeowners, to restore bankruptcy protections for individuals experiencing economic distress as caregivers to ill, injured, or disabled family members, and to exempt from means

testing debtors whose financial problems were caused by serious medical problems, S. 1765, to amend the Hate Crime Statistics Act to include crimes against the homeless, S. 1554, to amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to prevent later delinquency and improve the health and well-being of maltreated infants and toddlers through the development of local Court Teams for Maltreated Infants and Toddlers and the creation of a National Court Teams Resource Center to assist such Court Teams, S. 1789, to restore fairness to Federal cocaine sentencing, H.R. 1741, to require the Attorney General to make competitive grants to eligible State, tribal, and local governments to establish and maintain certain protection and witness assistance programs, S. 1749, to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the possession or use of cell phones and similar wireless devices by Federal prisoners, and the nominations of James A. Wynn, Jr., of North Carolina, and Albert Diaz, of North Carolina, both to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, Edward Milton Chen, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, and Louis B. Butler, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Wisconsin, and Willie Lee Richardson, Jr., to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Georgia, André Birotte, Jr., to be United States Attorney for the Central District of California, Richard S. Hartunian, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of New York, Ronald C. Machen, Jr., to be United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, and Christopher H. Schroeder, of North Carolina, Mary L. Smith, of Illinois, and Dawn Elizabeth Johnsen, of Indiana, all to be an Assistant Attorney General, all of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* business meeting to consider S. 1237, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the grant program for homeless veterans with special needs to include male homeless veterans with minor dependents and to establish a grant program for reintegration of homeless women veterans and homeless veterans with children, an original bill entitled Examination of Exposures to Environmental Hazards During Military Service and Health Care for Camp Lejeune and Atsugi Naval Air Facility Veterans and Their Families Act, and the nomination of Raul Perea-Henze, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Policy and Planning, 9:30 a.m., SR-418.

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

#### House

No Committee meetings are scheduled.

## Next Meeting of the SENATE

9:30 a.m., Thursday, January 28

## Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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## Senate Chamber

**Program for Thursday:** Senate will resume consideration of H.J. Res. 45, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, and after a period of debate, vote on or in relation to Brownback No. 3309 (to Amendment No. 3299), Sessions Amendment No. 3308 (to Amendment No. 3299), Reid Amendment No. 3305 (to Amendment No. 3299), Baucus (for Reid) Amendment No. 3299, and passage of the resolution; following which, Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Ben S. Bernanke, of New Jersey, to be Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and after a period of debate, vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon.

## House Chamber

**Program for Friday:** The House will meet in pro forma session at 12 noon.

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