

former Commissioner, SEC; Christian S. Johansson, Secretary, Department of Business and Economic Development, State of Maryland; and public witnesses.

### NORTH MARIANA ISLANDS AND GUAM FEDERALIZATION

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Insular Affairs, Oceans and Wildlife held a hearing on the implementation of Public Law 110–229 to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands and Guam. Testimony was heard from David B. Gootnick, Director, International Affairs and Trade, GAO; Anthony M. Babauta, Assistant Secretary, Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior; Felix P. Camacho, Governor, Guam; the following officials of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands: Benigno Repeki Fitial, Governor; Paul Manglona, Senate President; and Frederick P. Deleon Guerrero, Chairman, Standing Committee on Federal and Foreign Relations, House of Representatives, both with the 17th Northern Mariana Commonwealth Legislature; and a public witness.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D509)

H.R. 5146, to provide that Members of Congress shall not receive a cost of living adjustment in pay during fiscal year 2011. Signed on May 14, 2010. (Public Law 111–165)

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (Metro), 3:30 p.m., SD–138.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine S. 3302, to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish new automobile safety standards, make better motor vehicle safety information available to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and the public, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine the proposed Constitution of the U.S. Virgin Islands, S. 2941, to provide supplemental ex gratia compensation to the Republic of the Marshall Islands for impacts of the nuclear testing program of the

United States, H.R. 3940, to amend Public Law 96–597 to clarify the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to extend grants and other assistance to facilitate political status public education programs for the peoples of the non-self-governing territories of the United States, and H.R. 2499, to provide for a federally sanctioned self-determination process for the people of Puerto Rico, 9:30 a.m., SD–366.

Subcommittee on National Parks, to hold hearings to examine S. 349, to establish the Susquehanna Gateway National Heritage Area in the State of Pennsylvania, S. 1596, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the Gold Hill Ranch in Coloma, California, S. 1651, to modify a land grant patent issued by the Secretary of the Interior, S. 1750, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of the General of the Army George Catlett Marshall National Historic Site at Dodona Manor in Leesburg, Virginia, S. 1801, to establish the First State National Historical Park in the State of Delaware, S. 1802 and H.R. 685, bills to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study regarding the proposed United States Civil Rights Trail, S. 2953 and H.R. 3388, bills to modify the boundary of Petersburg National Battlefield in the Commonwealth of Virginia, S. 2976, to designate as wilderness certain land and inland water within the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore in the State of Michigan, S. 3159 and H.R. 4395, bills to revise the boundaries of the Gettysburg National Military Park to include the Gettysburg Train Station, S. 3168, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain non-Federal land in the State of Pennsylvania for inclusion in the Fort Necessity National Battlefield, and S. 3303, to establish the Chimney Rock National Monument in the State of Colorado, 2:30 p.m., SD–366.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine empowering Haiti to rebuild better, 10 a.m., SD–419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the history and lessons of the Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START), 2:30 p.m., SD–419.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine renewing America's commitment to the refugee convention, focusing on the Refugee Protection Act of 2010, 10 a.m., SD–226.

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* to resume hearings to examine the filibuster, focusing on the filibuster today and its consequences, 10 a.m., SR–301.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship:* to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Marie Collins Johns, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration, 10 a.m., SR–428A.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the Small Business Administration (SBA) Disaster Assistance Program and the impact of the Deepwater Horizon oil spill on small businesses, 11 a.m., SR–428A.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine S. 1780, to amend title 38, United States Code, to deem certain service in the reserve components as active service for purposes of laws administered by the Secretary