

Homeland Security and Justice, GAO; and Raul G. Salinas, Mayor, Laredo, Texas.

MILITARY AND OVERSEAS VOTING

Committee on House Administration: Held a hearing on Military and Overseas Voting: Effectiveness of the MOVE Act in the 2010 Election. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Perez, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights, Department of Justice; Natalie E. Tennant, Secretary of State, West Virginia; J. Bradley King, Co-Director, Election Division, Secretary of State, Indiana; David Stafford, Supervisor of Elections, Escambia County, Florida; and public witnesses.

ADAM WALSH ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism and Homeland Security held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Adam Walsh Act. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Dawn Doran, Deputy Director, SMART Office; and Stacia A. Hylton, Director, U.S. Marshals Service; Representative Patricia Colloton, Chair, Corrections and Juvenile Justice Committee, House of Representatives, Kansas; and a public witness.

NET NEUTRALITY AND ANTITRUST

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, Competition and the Internet held a hearing on Ensuring Competition on the Internet: Net Neutrality and Antitrust. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

UNFUNDED MANDATES AND REGULATORY OVERREACH

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations and Procurement Reform held a hearing on Unfunded Mandates and Regulatory Overreach. Testimony was heard from Denise M. Fantone, Director, Strategic Issues, GAO; Patrice Douglas, Mayor, Edmond, Oklahoma; Anthony H. Griffin, County Executive, Fairfax, Virginia; and a public witness.

TO EXTEND EXPIRING PROVISIONS OF THE USA PATRIOT IMPROVEMENT AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2005 AND INTELLIGENCE REFORM AND TERRORISM PREVENTION ACT OF 2004 RELATING TO ACCESS TO BUSINESS RECORDS, INDIVIDUAL TERRORISTS AS AGENTS OF FOREIGN POWERS, AND ROVING WIRETAPS UNTIL DECEMBER 8, 2011

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a closed rule providing for the consideration of the Senate

amendment to H.R. 514, to extend expiring provisions of the USA PATRIOT Improvement and Reauthorization Act of 2005 and Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 relating to access to business records, individual terrorists as agents of foreign powers, and roving wiretaps until December 8, 2011. The rule makes in order a motion by the chair of the Committee on the Judiciary that the House concur in the Senate amendment. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The rule provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides on hour of debate on the motion with 40 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary and 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. No testimony was heard.

PROJECT DELIVERY PROCESS

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Highways and Transit held a hearing on Accelerating the Project Delivery Process: Eliminating Bureaucratic Red Tape and Making Every Dollar Count. Testimony was heard from Victor M. Mendez, Administrator, FHA, Department of Transportation; Debra L. Miller, Secretary, Department of Transportation, Kansas; and public witnesses.

PRESIDENT'S FISCAL YEAR 2012 BUDGET

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the President's Fiscal Year 2012 Budget Proposal. Testimony was heard from Timothy F. Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury.

Prior to the hearing, the Committee approved its Oversight Plan for the 112th Congress.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2011

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: To hold hearings to examine safeguarding our future, focusing on building a nationwide network for first responders, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: To hold hearings to examine the U.S. Department of Energy's budget for fiscal year 2012; to be immediately followed by an organizational business meeting to examine subcommittee assignments, revise recusal policy for executive nominees, and an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the

committee during the 112th Congress, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: To hold hearings to examine national leaders' call to action on transportation, 10 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: Organizational business meeting to consider committee rules, and an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the committee during the 112th Congress, Time to be announced, SD-215.

Full Committee, to continue hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2012, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Organizational business meeting to consider committee rules, an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the committee during the 112th Congress, Public Health Service nominations, and an original bill entitled Technical Amendment to the Education Sciences Reform Act, 10:30 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: To hold hearings to examine saving the D.C. Opportunity Scholarship Program, 9:15 a.m., SD-342.

Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine improving Federal employment of people with disabilities, 2:30 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: Organizational business meeting to consider electing Chairman and Vice Chairman, committee rules, and any other organizational business items during the 112th Congress, 11:30 a.m., SD-628.

Committee on the Judiciary: To hold hearings to examine targeting Web sites dedicated to stealing American intellectual property, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Jimmie V. Reyna, of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, John A. Kronstadt, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, Vincent L. Briccetti, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Arenda L. Wright Allen, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, and Michael Francis Urbanski, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Virginia, 3 p.m., SD-226.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: Organizational business meeting to consider committee rules, and an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the committee during the 112th Congress, Time to be announced, Room to be announced.

Select Committee on Intelligence: To hold hearings to examine the worldwide threat, 10 a.m., SH-216.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Nutrition and Horticulture and the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, joint hearing to consider reducing the regulatory burdens posed by the case *National Cotton Council v. EPA* (6th Cir. 2009) and to review related draft legislation, 1 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Armed Services, hearing on the Fiscal Year 2012 National Defense Authorization Budget request from the Department of Defense, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on the Budget, hearing on the Department of the Treasury Fiscal Year 2012 Budget, 2 p.m., 210 Cannon.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, hearing on Policies and Priorities at the U.S. Department of Labor, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Communications and Technology hearing entitled "Network Neutrality and Internet Regulation: Warranted or More Economic Harm Than Good?" 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Health Care Issues Involving the Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight," 9:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, hearing entitled "The Final Report of the Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission," 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity hearing entitled "Are There Government Barriers to the Housing Market Recovery?" 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, hearing on the Constitutionality of the Individual Mandate, 9:30 a.m., and to continue mark-up of H.R. 5, Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare (HEALTH) Act of 2011, 1 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Subcommittee on Government Organizations, Efficiency and Financial Management, hearing on Making Sense of the Numbers: Improving the Federal Financial Reporting Model, 1:30 p.m., 2203 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs, Stimulus Oversight and Government Spending, hearing on the Stimulus: Two Years Later, 9:30 a.m., 210-HVC.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics hearing on a review of the Federal Aviation Administration's Research and Development Budget for Fiscal Year 2012, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, hearing entitled "Putting Americans Back to Work: The State of the Small Business Economy," 1 p.m., 2360 Rayburn,

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, to mark up the following: a measure to reduce facility costs by consolidating National Gallery of Art and Federal Trade Commission operations in the District of Columbia; H.R. 690, Federal Trade Commission and National Gallery of Art Facility Consolidation, Savings, and Efficiency Act of 2011; H.R. 362, to redesignate the Federal building and United States Courthouse located at 200 East Wall Street in Midland, Texas, as the "George H.W. Bush and George W. Bush United States Courthouse and George Mahon Federal Building"; H.R. 658, to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Aviation Administration for fiscal years 2011 through 2014, to streamline programs, create efficiencies, reduce waste, and improve aviation safety and capacity, to provide stable funding for the national aviation system,

and for other purposes; and H.R. 662, to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund pending enactment of a multiyear law reauthorizing such programs, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, to continue hearings on the President's Fiscal Year 2012 Budget Proposal, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: To hold hearings to examine Lithuania's leadership of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE), focusing on the challenges that the Lithuanian chairmanship faces, 3:30 p.m., SD-562.