

Adjournment: The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power began a markup on H.R. 3826, the “Electricity Security and Affordability Act”.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2014

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to receive a closed briefing on Department of Defense counterterrorism operations, 10:15 a.m., SVC-217.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: business meeting to consider the nominations of John Roth, of Michigan, to be Inspector General, and Suzanne Eleanor Spaulding, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for National Protection and Programs, both of the Department of Homeland Security, and William Ward Nooter, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine conference and travel spending across the Federal government, 10:15 a.m., SD-342.

Subcommittee on Financial and Contracting Oversight, to hold hearings to examine management of air traffic controller training tactics, 2:30 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine the report of the President’s Review Group on Intelligence and Communications Technologies, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Seapower; and *Committee on Foreign Affairs*, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, hearing entitled “People’s Republic of China Maritime Disputes”, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, continued markup on H.R. 3826, the “Electricity Security and Affordability Act”, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit, hearing entitled “How Prospective and Current Homeowners Will Be Harmed by the CFPB’s Qualified Mortgage Rule”, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Internet, hearing entitled “The Scope of Copyright Protection”, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Oversight of the Obama Administration’s Ques-

tionable Application of Sequestration to the Secure Rural Schools Program and the Costs to States, Local Economies, and Rural School Children”, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Subcommittee on Government Operations, hearing entitled “TSA Oversight: Examining the Screening Partnership Program”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, Full Committee, hearing on Senate Amendment to H.R. 3547, a bill to extend Government liability, subject to appropriation, for certain third-party claims arising from commercial space launches, 3 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Research and Technology, hearing entitled “Scientific Research at the Smithsonian—More than a Museum”, 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Building the Foundation for Surface Transportation Reauthorization”, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Full Committee, business meeting on Member access to Benghazi investigation transcripts; member access request; and hearing entitled “Ongoing Intelligence Activities”, 2 p.m., 304-HVC. This is a closed hearing.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of January 14 through January 17, 2014

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, at 10 a.m., Senate will continue consideration of S. 1845, Unemployment Benefits Extension, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture on Reid (for Reed) Amendment No. 2631 to the bill, and the motion to invoke cloture on the bill at 2:30 p.m. The filing deadline for second-degree amendments to the bill is 11 a.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

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January 15, Full Committee, to receive a closed briefing on the situation in Iraq and Syria, 9:30 a.m., SVC-217.

January 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Madelyn R. Creedon, of Indiana, to be Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy, and Brad R. Carson, to be Under Secretary of the Army, and William A. LaPlante, Jr., to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, both of the Department of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.