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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of March 5 through March 7, 2014

### Senate Chamber

On *Wednesday*, at 10 a.m., Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Debo P. Adegbile, of New York, to be an Assistant Attorney General, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination at 11:45 a.m. If cloture is invoked, Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination. Following disposition of the nomination of Debo P. Adegbile, or if cloture is not invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Pedro A. Delgado Hernandez, of Puerto Rico, to be United States District Judge for the District of Puerto Rico.

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

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* March 6, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Timothy G. Massad, of Connecticut, to be Chairman, Sharon Y. Bowen, of New York, and J. Christopher Giancarlo, of New Jersey, all to be a Commissioner, all of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, 10 a.m., SR-328A.

*Committee on Appropriations:* March 5, Subcommittee on Department of Defense, to hold hearings to examine national security space launch programs, 10 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Armed Services:* March 5, to hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

March 5, Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, to hold hearings to examine nuclear forces and policies in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, 2:30 p.m., SR-222.

March 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine United States Central Command and United States Africa Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* March 6, to hold hearings to examine Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21) reauthorization, focusing on the Federal role and current challenges to public transportation, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on the Budget:* March 5, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2015, 10 a.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* March 6, Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety, and Security, to hold hearings to examine enhancing our rail safety, focusing on current challenges for passenger and freight rail, 11 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* March 6, to hold hearings to examine preventing potential chemical threats and improving safety, focusing on oversight of the President's executive order on improving chemical facility safety and security, 10 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance:* March 5, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2015; to be immediately followed by a business meeting to consider subcommittee vacancies and other organizational matters, 10:30 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* March 6, to hold hearings to examine Syria spillover, focusing on the growing threat of terrorism and sectarianism in the Middle East, 11 a.m., SD-419.

March 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Deborah L. Birx, of Maryland, to be Ambassador at Large and Coordinator of United States Government Activities to Combat HIV/AIDS Globally, Suzan G. LeVine, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Swiss Confederation, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Principality of Liechtenstein, Maureen Elizabeth Cormack, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Peter A. Selfridge, of Minnesota, to be Chief of Protocol, and to have the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service, all of the Department of State, 2:15 p.m., SD-419.

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Secretary for Science and Technology, and Francis Xavier Taylor, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Intelligence and Analysis, both of the Department of Homeland Security, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

March 6, Subcommittee on Financial and Contracting Oversight, to hold an oversight hearing to examine contractor performance information, 10:30 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary*: March 6, business meeting to consider S. 1675, to reduce recidivism and increase public safety, and the nominations of Robin S. Rosenbaum, of Florida, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eleventh Circuit, Bruce Howe Hendricks, to be United States District Judge for the District of South Carolina, Mark G. Mastroianni, to be United States District Judge for the District of Massachusetts, and Leslie Ragon Caldwell, of New York, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*: March 5, business meeting to consider the nomination of Maria Contreras-Sweet, of California, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration, 10:30 a.m., SR-428A.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: March 6, to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

*Special Committee on Aging*: March 5, to hold hearings to examine income security and the elderly, focusing on securing gains made in the war on poverty, 2:15 p.m., SD-562.

### House Committees

*Committee on Appropriations*, March 5, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies, hearing on Department of Agriculture FY 2015 Budget, 10 a.m., 2362-A Rayburn.

March 5, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on Library of Congress FY 2015 Budget, 10 a.m., HT-2, Capitol.

March 5, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on Government Accountability Office FY 2015 Budget, 11 a.m., HT-2, Capitol.

March 6, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on House Officers FY 2015 Budget, 10 a.m., HT-2, Capitol.

March 6, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, FDA, and Related Agencies, hearing on Commodity Futures Trading Commission FY 2015 Budget, 10 a.m., 2362-A Rayburn.

*Committee on Armed Services*, March 5, Full Committee, hearing entitled "The Fiscal Year 2015 National Defense Authorization Budget Requests from the U.S. Pacific Command, U.S. Central Command, and U.S. Africa Command", 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

March 6, Full Committee, hearing entitled "The Fiscal Year 2015 National Defense Authorization Budget Request from the Department of Defense", 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Budget*, March 5, Full Committee, hearing entitled "The President's Fiscal Year 2015 Budget", 2 p.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce*, March 5, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Culture of Union Favoritism: The Return of the NLRB's Ambush Election Rule", 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, March 6, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, hearing entitled "Benefits of and Challenges to Energy Access in the 21st Century: Fuel Supply and Infrastructure", 9 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, March 5, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit, hearing entitled "Data Security: Examining Efforts to Protect Americans' Financial Information", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

March 5, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "The Growth of Financial Regulation and its Impact on International Competitiveness", 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, March 5, Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade, hearing entitled "Threats to Israel: Terrorist Funding and Trade Boycotts", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

March 6, Full Committee, hearing entitled "U.S. Foreign Policy Toward Ukraine", 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, March 5, Full Committee, markup on the following legislation: H.R. 3732, the "Immigration Compliance Enforcement Act"; H.R. 3973, the "Faithful Execution of the Law Act of 2014"; and H.R. 4138, the "Executive Needs to Faithfully Observe and Respect Congressional Enactments Act", 10:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, March 5, Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans and Insular Affairs, hearing entitled "National Fish Hatchery System: Strategic Hatchery and Workforce Planning Report", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

March 6, Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation, hearing on the following legislation: H.R. 414, to provide for the continued lease or eventual conveyance of certain Federal land within the boundaries of Fort Wainwright Military Reservation in Fairbanks, Alaska; H.R. 1839, the "Hermosa Creek Watershed Protection Act of 2013"; H.R. 2430, the "Hinchliffe Stadium Heritage Act of 2013"; and H.R. 3606, the "Emigrant Wilderness Historical Use Preservation Act of 2013", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, March 5, Full Committee, continued hearing on "The IRS: Targeting Americans for Their Political Beliefs", 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules*, March 5, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 2641, the "Responsibly and Professionally Invigorating Development Act of 2013"; and H.R. 2824, the "Preventing Government Waste and Protecting Coal Mining Jobs in America", 3 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, March 6, Subcommittee on Oversight and Subcommittee on Research and Technology, joint hearing entitled "Can Technology Protect Americans from International Cybercriminals?", 9:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, March 5, Full Committee, markup on the following legislation: H.R. 4093, the “Greater Opportunities for Small Business Act of 2014”; H.R. 4094, the “Contracting Data and Bundling Accountability Act of 2014”; H.R. 2751, the “Commonsense Construction Contracting Act of 2013”; H.R. 2882, the “Improving Opportunities for Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Businesses Act of 2013”; H.R. 776, the “Security in Bonding Act of 2013”; H.R. 2452, the “Women’s Procurement Program Equalization Act of 2013”; and H.R. 4121, the “Small Business Development Centers Improvements Act of 2014”, 1 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

March 6, Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce, hearing entitled “ObamaCare and the Self-Employed: What About Us?”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, March 5, Panel on Public-Private Partnership, hearing entitled “Overview of Public-Private Partnerships for Highway and Transit Projects”, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, March 6, Full Committee, hearing on President Obama’s budget proposals for fiscal year 2015, 9:30 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, March 6, Full Committee, hearing on access to transcripts; member

access request; and ongoing intelligence activities, 9 a.m., 304–HVC. This is a closed hearing.

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March 6, Full Committee, to hold a joint hearing with the House Committee on Veterans’ Affairs to examine the legislative presentation of the American Veterans (AMVETS), Blinded Veterans Association, Jewish War Veterans, Military Officers Association of America, Military Order of the Purple Heart, National Association of State Directors of Veterans Affairs, National Guard Association of the United States, The Retired Enlisted Association, Vietnam Veterans of America, 9:30 a.m., 345, Cannon Building.

# Résumé of Congressional Activity

## SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

### DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through February 28, 2014

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session .....	29	28	..
Time in session .....	159 hrs., 09'	118 hrs., 31'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings .....	1,253	2,099	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	285	..
Public bills enacted into law .....	7	6	13
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	2	2	..
Measures passed, total .....	51	64	115
Senate bills .....	10	4	..
House bills .....	4	36	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	2	2	..
House joint resolutions .....	1	1	..
Senate concurrent .....	1	..	..
House concurrent .....	4	4	..
Simple resolutions .....	29	17	..
Measures reported, total .....	*9	*50	59
Senate bills .....	7	..	..
House bills .....	..	41	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent .....	..	..	..
House concurrent .....	..	..	..
Simple resolutions .....	2	9	..
Special reports .....	1	..	..
Conference reports .....	1	1	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	210	22	..
Measures introduced, total .....	226	398	624
Bills .....	180	328	..
Joint resolutions .....	2	6	..
Concurrent resolutions .....	3	16	..
Simple resolutions .....	41	48	..
Quorum calls .....	..	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes .....	47	42	..
Recorded votes .....	..	47	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden .....	..	..	..

### DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through February 28, 2014

Civilian nominations, totaling 410 (including 2 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	26
Unconfirmed .....	382
Withdrawn .....	2
Other Civilian nominations, totaling 1,862, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	1,862
Air Force nominations, totaling 1,203, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	632
Unconfirmed .....	571
Army nominations, totaling 654, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	459
Unconfirmed .....	195
Navy nominations, totaling 76, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	76
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 819, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed .....	819
<i>Summary</i>	
Total nominations carried over from the First Session .....	2
Total nominations received this Session .....	5,022
Total confirmed .....	1,117
Total unconfirmed .....	3,905
Total withdrawn .....	2
Total returned to the White House .....	0