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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:16 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 27, 2016. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2464.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the F–35 Joint Strike Fighter program in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2017 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from Frank Kendall III, Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, J. Michael Gilmore, Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, Lieutenant General Christopher C. Bogdan, USAF, Program Executive Officer for the F–35 Lightning II Joint Program, all of the Department of Defense; and Michael J. Sullivan, Director of Acquisition and Sourcing Management, Government Accountability Office.

OIL AND GAS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine challenges and opportunities for oil and gas development in different price environments, after receiving testimony from Michael Ratner, Specialist in Energy Policy, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Jason E. Bordoff, Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs Center on Global Energy Policy, and Oren M. Cass, Manhattan Institute for Policy Research, both of New York, New York; Suzanne Minter, Platts Analytics, Denver, Colorado; and Leslie Palti-Guzman, The Rapidan Group LLC, Bethesda, Maryland.

BUSINESS TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded a hearing to examine navigating business tax reform, after re-

ceiving testimony from Thomas Barthold, Chief of Staff, Joint Committee on Taxation; James R. Hines Jr., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Sanford Zinman, National Conference of CPA Practitioners, Tarrytown, New York; Gayle Goschie, Goschie Farms, Inc., Silverton, Oregon, on behalf of the Hop Growers of America; and Eric J. Toder, Urban Institute and Brookings Institution Tax Policy Center, Washington, D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUDGET

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Transnational Crime, Civilian Security, Democracy, Human Rights, and Global Women's Issues concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2017 for the Department of State, focusing on a review of resources, priorities, and programs, after receiving testimony from Tom Malinowski, Assistant Secretary, Democracy, Human Rights and Labor Bureau, and Francisco L. Palmieri, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs, both of the Department of State; and Elizabeth Hogan, Acting Assistant Administrator for Latin America and the Caribbean, United States Agency for International Development.

PSOB PROGRAM OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Public Safety Officers' Benefits Program, focusing on the need for more timeliness, transparency, and information on performance goals, after receiving testimony from Karol V. Mason, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs, and Robert P. Storch, Deputy Inspector General, Office of the Inspector General, both of the Department of Justice; Andrew Sherrill, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security Issues, Government Accountability Office; Jay Langenbau, Worth County Sheriff's Office, Northwood, Iowa; and Donald J. Mihalek, Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association Foundation, and Robert Ganley, Sergeants Benevolent Association, both of New York, New York.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on certain intelligence matters from officials of the intelligence community.