Gender Inequality''. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXAMINING R&D PATHWAYS TO SUSTAINABLE AVIATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics held a hearing entitled ''Examining R&D Pathways to Sustainable Aviation''. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 610, the ''San Francisco Bay Restoration Act''; H.R. 1144, the ''Promoting United Government Efforts to Save our Sound Act''; H.R. 587, the ''Ocean Pollution Reduction Act II''; H.R. 1921, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Act to reauthorize the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Restoration Program, and for other purposes; H.R. 2008, the ''Local Water Protection Act''; H.R. 1765, the ''Washington Channel Public Access Act''; H.R. 468, the ''Expedited Delivery of Airport Infrastructure Act of 2021''; H.R. 1262, the ''Notice to Airman Improvement Act of 2021''; H.R. 390, to redesignate the Federal Building located at 167 North Main Street in Memphis, Tennessee as the ''Odell Horton Federal Building''; H.R. 1703, the ''National Children's Museum Act''; H.R. 1917, the ''Hazard Eligibility and Local Projects Act''; H.R. 539, the ''Preventing Disaster Revictimization Act''; H.R. 1951, the ''Increase Federal Disaster Cost Share Act of 2021''; H.R. 2016, the ''Federal Disaster Assistance Coordination Act''; and General Services Administration's Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions. General Services Administration's Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions were adopted. H.R. 468, H.R. 1262, H.R. 1144, H.R. 587, H.R. 1921, H.R. 1765, H.R. 2008, H.R. 539, H.R. 390, H.R. 1917, H.R. 1703, and H.R. 2016 were ordered reported, without amendment. H.R. 610 and H.R. 1951 were ordered reported, as amended.

THE PANDEMIC AND VA'S MEDICAL SUPPLY CHAIN: EVALUATING THE YEAR-LONG RESPONSE AND MODERNIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled ''The Pandemic and VA's Medical Supply Chain: Evaluating the Year-Long Response and Modernization''. Testimony was heard from Deborah Kramer, Acting Assistant Under Secretary for Health for Support, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Michael Missal, Inspector General, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Veterans Affairs; and Shelby Oakley, Director of Contracting and National Security Acquisitions, Government Accountability Office.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 2021

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: to hold hearings to examine Child Nutrition Reauthorization, focusing on healthy meals and healthy futures, 9:30 a.m., SR–301.

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine United States Special Operations Command and United States Cyber Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2022 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SD–G50.

Full Committee, to receive a closed briefing on United States Special Operations Command and United States Cyber Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2022 and the Future Years Defense Program, 12 noon, SVC–217.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the American Rescue Plan, focusing on shots in arms and money in pockets, 10 a.m., WEBEX.

Committee on the Budget: to hold hearings to examine the tax code, focusing on making the wealthiest people and largest corporations pay their fair share of taxes, 11 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine the latest developments in the nuclear energy sector, focusing on ways to maintain and expand the use of nuclear energy in the United States and abroad, 9:45 a.m., SD–366.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine how U.S. international tax policy impacts American workers, jobs, and investment, 9:30 a.m., WEBEX.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asia, the Pacific, and International Cybersecurity Policy, to hold hearings to examine the U.S. response to the coup in Burma, 10 a.m., VTC.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine our COVID–19 response, focusing on improving health equity and outcomes by addressing health disparities, 10 a.m., SD–430.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Deanne Bennett Criswell, of New York, to be Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security, 10:15 a.m., SD–342/VTC.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 632, to amend chapter 11 of title 35, United States Code, to require the voluntary collection of demographic information for patent inventors, S. 169, to amend title

17, United States Code, to require the Register of Copyrights to waive fees for filing an application for registration of a copyright claim in certain circumstances, and the nominations of Lisa O. Monaco, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Attorney General, and Vanita Gupta, of Virginia, to be Associate Attorney General, both of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD–106.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Full Committee, hearing entitled ''A Hearing to Review the State of Black Farmers in the U.S.'', 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, hearing entitled ''Leading by Action: The Fierce Urgency for Diversity and Inclusion in the Foreign Policy Workforce'', 11 a.m., Webex.

Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, hearing entitled ''The Effects of COVID–19 on Arts and Humanities Organizations'', 1 p.m., Webex.

Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, hearing entitled ''Creating Equitable Communities Through Transportation and Housing'', 2:30 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Education and Labor, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, hearing entitled ''Lessons Learned: Charting the Path to Educational Equity Post-COVID–19'', 1 p.m., Zoom.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Communications and Technology; and Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, joint hearing entitled ''Disinformation Nation: Social Media's Role in Promoting Extremism and Misinformation'', 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on National Security, International Development, and Monetary Policy, hearing entitled ''Ending Exploitation: How the Financial System Can Work to Dismantle the Business of Human Trafficking'', 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 391, the ''Global Health Security Act of 2021''; H.R. 1079, the ''Desert Locust Control Act''; H.R. 1145, to direct the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to regain observer status for Taiwan in the World Health Organization, and for other purposes; H.R. 1500, to direct the Administrator of the USAID to submit to Congress a report on the impact of the COVID–19 pandemic on global basic education programs; H.R. 1158, to provide women and girls safe access to sanitation facilities in refugee camps; H.R. 1083, the ''Southeast Asia Strategy Act''; H.R. 1392, the ''Protection of Saudi Dissidents Act of 2021''; H.R. 1464, the ''Khashoggi Accountability Act''; H.R. 256, to repeal the Authorization for Use of Military Force Against Iraq Resolution of 2002; H.R. 2118, the ''Securing America From Epidemics Act''; H. Res. 245, calling for renewed, decisive, and robust international collaboration and coordination to fight COVID–19 across Africa; and H.R. 1934, the ''Promoting United States International Leadership in 5G Act'', 1 p.m., Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet, hearing entitled ''The Importance of a Diverse Federal Judiciary'', 2 p.m., 2141 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis, hearing entitled ''Rooting Out Fraud in Small Business Relief Programs'', 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Energy, hearing entitled ''Building Technologies Research for a Sustainable Future'', 1 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Full Committee, hearing entitled ''The Administration's Priorities for Transportation Infrastructure'', 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Full Committee, hearing entitled ''Restoring Faith by Building Trust: VA's First 100 Days'', 2 p.m., Zoom.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Oversight, hearing entitled ''Examining Private Equity's Expanded Role in the U.S. Health Care System'', 1 p.m., Webex.