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Senate Committee on Armed Services Announces Subcommittee Assignments for 111th Congress

WASHINGTON — Senators Carl Levin (D-Mich.) and John McCain (R-Ariz.), chairman and ranking member of the Senate Committee on Armed Services, today announced a change in subcommittee assignments for the 111th Congress.

The change is to the Minority membership of the Strategic Forces Subcommittee. Effective today, Senator David Vitter (R-La.) assumes responsibility as the Ranking Member of the Strategic Forces Subcommittee vice Senator Jeff Sessions (R-Ala.). As the newly-named Ranking Member of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Senator Sessions had to give up his subcommittee ranking member position, in accordance with Senate Republican Conference rules.

A complete listing of all Committee on Armed Services subcommittee memberships appears below. Senators Levin and McCain serve as *ex-officio* members of all subcommittees.

Subcommittee on AirLand

Senator Lieberman, Chairman Senator Thune, Ranking Member

Senator BayhSenator InhofeSenator WebbSenator SessionsSenator McCaskillSenator ChamblissSenator HaganSenator Burr

Senator Begich Senator Burris

Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities

Senator Reed, Chairman Senator Wicker, Ranking Member

Senator Kennedy Senator Graham
Senator Byrd Senator Martinez
Senator Bill Nelson Senator Burr

Senator Ben Nelson Senator Collins

Senator Bayh Senator Udall

Subcommittee on Personnel

Senator Ben Nelson, Chairman Senator Graham, Ranking Member

Senator Kennedy
Senator Chambliss
Senator Lieberman
Senator Akaka
Senator Martinez
Senator Webb
Senator McCaskill
Senator Hagan
Senator Collins

Senator Begich Senator Burris

Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support

Senator Bayh, Chairman Senator Burr, Ranking Member

Senator Byrd Senator Inhofe Senator Akaka Senator Chambliss Senator McCaskill Senator Thune

Senator Udall Senator Burris

Subcommittee on Seapower

Senator Kennedy, Chairman Senator Martinez, Ranking Member

Senator LiebermanSenator SessionsSenator ReedSenator WickerSenator AkakaSenator VitterSenator Bill NelsonSenator Collins

Senator Webb Senator Hagan

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces

Senator Bill Nelson, Chairman Senator Vitter, Ranking Member

Senator Byrd Senator Sessions Senator Reed Senator Inhofe Senator Ben Nelson Senator Graham

Senator Udall Senator Begich