U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
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THURSDAY, August 20, 2009

Homeland Security (Chairman Byrd)

Time and Location: **2:30 p.m.,** the United States District Court, Courtroom 1
222 West 7th Avenue. Anchorage, Alaska.

Agenda: The Strategic Importance of Arctic in U.S. Policy

Witnesses: Panel I:

Admiral Thad Allen
United States Coast Guard Commandant

Panel II:

Dr. Lawson Brigham
University of Fairbanks

David Benton
Executive Director, Marine Conservation Alliance

Edward Itta
Mayor, North Slope Borough

Mead Treadwell
Chairman, U.S. Arctic Research Commission

The Honorable Dan Sullivan
Attorney General, State of Alaska

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