

SENATE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS  
ROOM 13-B, SENATE OFFICE BUILDING

357 Senate Office Building  
Hearings begin at 10 a.m.

CALENDAR OF HEARINGS  
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

Tuesday, May 8:

Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Commerce -  
Importance of Construction in the Economy

Dr. Robinson Newcomb, Director of Construction Research, WPB -  
Definition, Background and Present Status of the Industry

Wednesday, May 9:

Beardsley Ruml, Chairman of the Business Committee of the National  
Planning Association, accompanied by Miles Colean,  
Architectural Consultant -

Stabilizing the Construction Industry as Objective of  
National Policy

J. Frederick Dewhurst, Economist, Twentieth Century Fund -  
New Facilities Needed by the Economy

Thursday, May 10:

Malcolm Pirnie, Past President, American Society of Civil Engineers  
and Chairman of the CED Action and Advisory Committee on  
Construction -

Private Industry Plans for Postwar Construction

Major General Philip B. Fleming, Administrator, Federal Works Agency -  
Postwar Public Works Programs

Future hearings are planned to cover the possibility of timing construction to meet employment needs, the opportunities for veterans in construction, the flow of credit into construction, industrial relations in the construction industry, competition between existing and new construction, and technical research in relation to the cost of construction.