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- HEARING NOTICE -

China - South Asia Relations

Hearing Co-Chairs: Chairman Dennis Shea and Commissioner Katherine Tobin, Ph.D.

WHAT: Public Hearing on "China - South Asia Relations." The hearing will explore the economic, geopolitical, and security elements of China's South Asia strategy, and examine in detail China's relations with India and Pakistan in particular. In addition, the hearing will assess how China's evolving engagement in the region impacts U.S. interests.

WHEN: Thursday, March 10, 2016, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Reservations are not required to attend – seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

WHERE: Rayburn House Office Building, Room 2325 Washington DC 20515

PANEL INFO: Panelists' bios and written statements will be available on the Commission's website at www.uscc.gov on Thursday, March 10, 2016.

HEARING AGENDA:

9:00am - 9:15am Co-chairs' remarks: Chairman Dennis Shea and Commissioner Katherine Tobin, Ph.D.

- Ms. Lisa Curtis, Senior Research Fellow, Heritage Foundation
- Ambassador James F. Moriarty, Senior Advisor for South Asia, BowerGroupAsia
- Dr. David Brewster, Senior Research Fellow, National Security College, Australian National University

10:45am - 11:00am Break

11:00am - 12:30pm Panel II: China and India

- Mr. Jeff M. Smith, Director, Asian Security Programs, and Kraemer Strategy Fellow, American Foreign Policy Council
- Dr. Tanvi Madan, Director, The India Project, and Fellow, Foreign Policy, The Brookings Institution
- Dr. Deepa M. Ollapally, Research Professor of International Affairs, and Associate Director, Sigur Center for Asian Studies, Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University

12:30pm – 1:30pm Lunch Break

1:30pm - 3:00pm Panel III: China and Pakistan

- Mr. Andrew Small, Transatlantic Fellow, German Marshall Fund of the United States
- Dr. Daniel S. Markey, Senior Research Professor in International Relations and Academic Director, Global Policy Program, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies; Adjunct Senior Fellow for India, Pakistan, and South Asia, Council on Foreign Relations
- Ms. Shamila Chaudhary, Senior South Asia Fellow, New America; Senior Advisor, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies

3:00 pm Adjourn

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