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- HEARING NOTICE -

Chinese Intelligence Services and Espionage Operations

Hearing Co-Chairs: Commissioner Peter Brookes and Senator Byron Dorgan

WHAT: Public Hearing on "Chinese Intelligence Services and Espionage

Operations." This hearing will examine the structure, capabilities, and recent reforms of Chinese intelligence services. It will describe how China conducts espionage and other forms of intelligence collection. It will assess the implications for U.S. national security of Chinese espionage operations in the United States and abroad that target U.S. national security organizations and actors, including U.S. defense industrial chains, military forces, and leading national security decision makers. Panelists will discuss recommendations for congressional action to address the threat of Chinese intelligence collection against the United States.

WHEN: Thursday, June 9, 2016, 9:00 am to 12:30 pm. Reservations are not required to attend – seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

WHERE: Room 285, Hall of States, 444 North Capitol Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20001

PANEL INFO: Panelists' bios and written statements will be available on the Commission's website at www.uscc.gov on Thursday, June 9, 2016.

HEARING AGENDA:

9:00 AM-9:15 AM: Opening Remarks: Commissioner Peter Brookes and Senator Byron Dorgan

9:15 am - 10:45 am Panel I: Structure, Reforms, and Capabilities of Chinese Intelligence Services

• Mr. Peter Mattis, Fellow, Jamestown Foundation

- Mr. John Costello, Congressional Innovation Fellow, New America
- Mr. Mark Stokes, Executive Director, Project 2049 Institute

10:45 am - 11:00 am Break

11:00 am – 12:15 pm Panel II: Chinese Intelligence Collection Operations and Implications for U.S.

National Security

- Ms. Michelle Van Cleave, Former National Counterintelligence Executive
- Mr. David Major, Founder and President, CI Centre

12:15 pm – **12:25** pm Closing Remarks

12:25 pm Adjourn

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