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This report provides data on the number of full committee hearings conducted by the standing committees of the House of Representatives during the 107<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2018), as indicated by the activity reports that committees are required to file pursuant to House Rule XI, clause 1. The information listed in this report's tables is from individual committee activity reports produced during each Congress.

This report does not attempt to provide an assessment of the productivity for individual House standing committees, but rather provides a historical account of the number of full hearings—including legislative, oversight, field, and investigative hearings—conducted by these committees. Also, the report does not include numbers of subcommittee hearings, and in several committees, more hearings took place in subcommittees than in the full committee.

For additional information concerning the type of information found in committee activity reports and types of congressional hearings, see CRS Report R45104, *Guide to Committee Activity Reports: Purpose, Rules, and Contents*, by Ida A. Brudnick; and CRS Report 98-317, *Types of Committee Hearings*, by Valerie Heitshusen.

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## Introduction and Methodology

The House of Representatives currently has 20 standing committees. This report provides data for the standing committees that conducted full committee hearings during the 107<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2018).<sup>1</sup> This information is presented in a series of tables. Some of these standing committees have changed their names during this period, and when these changes occurred, it is mentioned in the note section of the tables.<sup>2</sup>

The information listed in this report's tables is derived from individual committee activity reports produced by the committees during each Congress. These reports are cited in the table notes. In cases where multiple committee reports were released during a Congress, hearings from each committee report have been added to produce the total number of hearings that occurred during that Congress.

Legislative, oversight, field, and investigative hearings are included in the total number of hearings for each committee and Congress listed. Multiple-part hearings (e.g., Part I and Part II) are counted separately. Hearings held jointly by multiple House committees are counted as a hearing for each committee involved. Multiple-day hearings are counted as single hearings unless they were labeled by the committee as "multi-part" hearings.

This report does not attempt to provide an assessment of the productivity for individual House standing committees, but rather provides an historical account of the number of full hearings conducted by these committees based on the information in committee activity reports. Other notable exclusions include the following:

- Subcommittee hearings are not counted, and for some committees, more hearings took place in subcommittees than in the full committee.
- Various organizational meetings, briefings, business meetings, markups, or roundtables are not counted.
- This report only attempted to identify and count full committee hearings and not whether these hearings were open or closed.<sup>3</sup>

For additional information on committee activity reports and types of congressional hearings, see CRS Report R45104, *Guide to Committee Activity Reports: Purpose, Rules, and Contents*, by Ida A. Brudnick; and CRS Report 98-317, *Types of Committee Hearings*, by Valerie Heitshusen.

**Table 1. House Committee on Agriculture**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 23 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 20 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 30 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 15 <sup>d</sup>    |

<sup>1</sup> The House Ethics Committee, House select committees, and joint committees are not included.

<sup>2</sup> A complete committee name history can be found on Congress.gov.

<sup>3</sup> In three instances, available information on open and closed hearings in the activity reports was deemed to have an unknown but potentially material impact on the count of full committee hearings in this report; those instances are mentioned in the notes sections of the respective committees' tables.

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 23 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 16 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 5 <sup>g</sup>     |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 39 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 20 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 107<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-796 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2001), p. 16.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-804 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 17.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-746 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 23.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-933 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 19.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-703 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 19.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Fourth Semiannual Report on Activities during the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-749 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), p. 23.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-679 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 25.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-896 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), p. 20.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Agriculture, *Report on Activities during the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1108 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), p. 20.

**Table 2. House Committee on Appropriations**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings  |
|-------------------------------|---|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>a</sup> |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>b</sup> |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>c</sup> |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>d</sup> |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>e</sup> |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>f</sup> |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>g</sup> |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>h</sup> |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>i</sup> |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** Many responsibilities of the House Committee on Appropriations are carried out through its subcommittees, which in turn report to the full committee. In some instances, the hearing numbers noted in the activity reports for the committee explicitly, and only report hearings that took place within subcommittees; in other instances, hearings are reported without an explicit full or subcommittee qualifier. After a CRS review of the latter instances, the activity reports appear to be reporting subcommittee hearings.

- a. “The 13 subcommittees conducted 365 days of hearings, receiving testimony from 4,014 witnesses. In the process, 160 volumes of hearings were generated, comprising 174,748 printed pages.” U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report on Activities of the Committee on Appropriations*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-795 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 3.
- b. “The 13 subcommittees conducted 313 days of hearings, receiving testimony from 3,063 witnesses. In the process, 161 volumes of hearings were generated, comprising 156,503 printed pages.” U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report of Committee on Activities*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-801 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 3.
- c. “The 10 subcommittees conducted 304 hearings, receiving testimony from 2,463 witnesses. In the process, 165 volumes of hearings were generated, comprising 155,056 printed pages.” U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report of Committee Activities*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-734 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), p. 3.
- d. “The 12 subcommittees conducted a total of 402 hearings, took testimony from 3,076 witnesses and published 184 volumes of hearing totaling 165,868 printed pages.” U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report of Committee Activities*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-932 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 13.
- e. “The 12 subcommittees conducted a total of 332 hearings, took testimony from 2,481 witnesses and published 160 volumes of hearings totaling 139,278 printed pages.” U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report of Committee Activities*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-700 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 9.
- f. According to the activity report, 108 hearings took place during the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress (2011-2012), and it appears that these hearings were conducted by subcommittees. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Semiannual Report of Committee Activities (January 5, 2011-January 3, 2013)*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-748 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), p. 2.
- g. According to the activity reports, a total of 212 hearings took place during the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress (2013-2014), and it appears that these hearings were conducted by subcommittees. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Annual Report of Committee Activities (January 3, 2013-January 2, 2014)*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-724 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 3; and U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Annual Report of Committee Activities (January 3, 2014-January 2, 2015)*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-724 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015), p. 3.
- h. According to the activity report, 191 hearings took place during the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress (2015-2016), and it appears that these hearings were conducted by subcommittees. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Report of Committee Activities*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-902 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), p. 4.
- i. According to the activity report, 193 hearings took place during the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress (2016-2017), and it appears that these hearings were conducted by subcommittees. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Appropriations, *Annual Report on Committee Activities*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1121 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 5.

**Table 3. House Committee on Armed Services**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 11 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 18 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 55 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 62 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 55 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 48 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 49 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 39 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 36 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** The number of hearings for the House Committee on Armed Services are based on a count of published hearings listed in the activity reports. CRS relied on counting published hearings because during the 108<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2003-2018), the activity reports provide summary numbers under a category called “meetings,” which is more inclusive (e.g., includes markups) than the hearing category used in this report (see “Introduction and Methodology” section for more on inclusions and exclusions). Closed hearings held by the full committee may have been excluded from the committee activity reports and so would not have been included in the committee’s hearing totals in this report.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-791 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2002), pp. 61-64.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-807 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 67-70.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-731 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), pp. 101-109.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-942 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 137-148.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-710 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 149-160.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Fourth Semiannual Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-744 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 137-147.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Second Annual Report on the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-714 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 120-129.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report on the Activities, of the Committee on Armed Services*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-942 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 123-132.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Armed Services, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1100 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), pp. 127-134.

**Table 4. House Committee on the Budget**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 35 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 28 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 20 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 43 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 30 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 28 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 20 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 22 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 14 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-811 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 25-28.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-818 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 31-33.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-750 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 19-20.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities of the Committee on the Budget*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-928 (Washington: GPO, 2009), pp. 6-10.

- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-704 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 7-9.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-713 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 46-49.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-704 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 39-41.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-897 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 34-37.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on the Budget, *Activities and Summary Report of the Committee on the Budget*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1124 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), pp. 26-27.

**Table 5. House Committee on Education and Labor**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 22 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 21 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 22 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 45 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 41 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 27 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 20 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 18 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 17 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** House Committee on Education and Labor is the name of this committee in the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress. During the 107<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses, the name of this committee changed twice: during the 107<sup>th</sup>-109<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2006), the name was Committee on Education and the Workforce; during the 110<sup>th</sup>-111<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2007-2010), the name was Committee on Education and Labor; and during the 112<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congress (2011-2018), the name was Committee on Education and the Workforce.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-797 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 58.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-813 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 53.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-745 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 13-14.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and Labor, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and Labor*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-923 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2008), pp. 9-11.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and Labor, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and Labor*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-696 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2010), pp. 12-13.
- f. During the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress (2011-2012), the committee provided full committee hearing information separated by four legislative quarters: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce together with Minority views first quarter of the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-133 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 23; (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce together with Minority views second quarter of the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-338 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 2; (3) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the*



- Workforce together with Minority views third quarter of the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-569 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), p. 3; (4) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce together with Minority views fourth quarter of the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-714 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), p. 3.*
- g. During the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress (2003-2004), the committee provided full committee hearing information separated by the first and second session: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce for the first session, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-313 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 3; and (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce in the second session, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess. (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 4.*
  - h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-904 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), p. 4.*
  - i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Education and the Workforce for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1123 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 2.*

**Table 6. House Committee on Energy and Commerce**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 4 <sup>a</sup>     |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 8 <sup>b</sup>     |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 19 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 6 <sup>d</sup>     |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 6 <sup>e</sup>     |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 1 <sup>f</sup>     |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 4 <sup>g</sup>     |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 0 <sup>h</sup>     |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 3 <sup>i</sup>     |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 107<sup>th</sup> Congress, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-802 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 36.*
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-803 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 31-32.*
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-751 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 33-34.*
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-937 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 20.*
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-706 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 27.*
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Activity Report of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-746 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), p. 19.*

- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Activity Report of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the Second Session*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-716 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 22.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-906 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), p. 19.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Energy and Commerce, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1126 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 19.

**Table 7. House Committee on Financial Services**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 14 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 23 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 24 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 70 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 71 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 25 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 32 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 31 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 27 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services for the 107<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-798 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2002), pp. 39-40.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services for the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-802 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 46-47.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services for the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-742 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 91-93.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services for the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-929 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 86-87.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services for the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-702 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 86-88.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Fourth Semiannual Report on the Activity of the Committee on Financial Services*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-742 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 151-152.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Second Annual Activity Report of the Committee on Financial Services*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-722 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 3.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Financial Services*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-903 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), pp. 55-56.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Financial Services, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Financial Services*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1122 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 55.

**Table 8. House Committee on Foreign Affairs**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 37 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 62 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 65 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 79 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 35 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 42 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 43 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 44 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 33 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** During the 107<sup>th</sup>-109<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2006), the committee was named Committee on International Relations. It has been named Committee on Foreign Affairs since the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress (2007-2008). The number of hearings during the 107<sup>th</sup>-113<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2014) are based on a CRS review of “listed meetings” from the activity reports. CRS relied on a review of these listed meetings to identify hearings because the activity reports provide summary numbers for hearings under a category called “hearings and markups,” which is more inclusive (i.e., includes markups) than the hearing category used in this report (see “Introduction and Methodology” section for more on inclusions and exclusions). Closed hearings held by the full committee may have been excluded from the committee activity reports and so would not have been included in the committee’s hearing totals in this report.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on International Relations, *Legislative Review Activities of the Committee on International Relations*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-803 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 26-32.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on International Relations, *Legislative Review Activities of the Committee on International Relations*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-809 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 33.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on International Relations, *Legislative Review Activities of the Committee on International Relations*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-747 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 30.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review Activities of the Committee on Foreign Affairs*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-939 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 47.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review Activities of the Committee on Foreign Affairs*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-713 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 65-71.
- f. During the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress (2011-2012), the committee provided full committee hearing information separated by four legislative quarters: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-126 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 21-23; (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-350 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 22-24; (3) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-552 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 8-10; and (4) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-743 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 7-8.
- g. During the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress (2013-2014), the committee provided full committee hearings information separated by the first and second session: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-318 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 19-21; and (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-728 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015), pp. 13-17.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-898 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 17-23.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, *Legislative Review and Oversight Activities*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1113 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), pp. 18-22.

**Table 9. House Committee on Homeland Security**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)                           | Number of Hearings |
|--|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) <sup>a</sup> | 2 <sup>b</sup>     |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004)              | 22 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) <sup>d</sup> | 12 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008)              | 34 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010)              | 19 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012)              | 15 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014)              | 23 <sup>i</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016)              | 19 <sup>j</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018)              | 12 <sup>k</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** During the 107<sup>th</sup>-108<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2004), the committee was a Select Committee on Homeland Security. It became a standing Committee on Homeland Security in the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress (2005-2006). Closed hearings held by the full committee may have been excluded from the committee activity reports and so would not have been included in the committee's hearing totals in this report.

- a. The select committee was created on June 19, 2002, by H.Res. 449.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Select Committee on Homeland Security, *Homeland Security Act of 2002*, report to accompany H.R. 5005, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., 2002, H.Rept. 107-609 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2002), pp. 68-69.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Select Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Select Committee on Homeland Security*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-812 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 134-136.
- d. The committee was established as a standing committee on January 4, 2005, by H.Res. 5.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-741 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 15.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-940 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 69-70.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-699 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2010), pp. 93-94.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-730 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), p. 20.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-719 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 25.
- j. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the House Committee on Homeland Security*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-907 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), p. 25.
- k. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Homeland Security, *Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Homeland Security for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess. (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 161.

**Table 10. Committee on House Administration**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)  | Number of Hearings  |
|-------------------|---|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> | 1 <sup>a</sup>  |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> | 10 <sup>b</sup>   |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> | 8 <sup>c</sup>  |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>d</sup> |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>e</sup> |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>f</sup> |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>g</sup> |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>h</sup> |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> | List of full committee hearings not provided <sup>i</sup> |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on Activities of the Committee on House Administration*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-810 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2002), pp. 1-2.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-816 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 11-18.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-752 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 11-12.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-924 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2008).
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-715 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011).
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Fourth Semiannual Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-738 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012).
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Second Annual Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-721 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015).
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-901 (Washington, D.C.: GPO, 2016).
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on House Administration, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on House Administration during the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1109 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018).

**Table 11. House Committee on Judiciary**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 14 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 10 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 11 <sup>c</sup>    |

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 29 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 24 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 19 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 30 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 20 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 22 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-807 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 4-7.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-805 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 4-8.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-749 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 3-8.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-941 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 5-12.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-712 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 4-9.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Final Activity Report of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-747 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), p. 2.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-682 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 2.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-895 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), p. 35.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Judiciary, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1112 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), p. 2.

**Table 12. House Committee on Natural Resources**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 25 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 34 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 32 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 26 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 28 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 44 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 31 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 22 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 16 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** House Committee on Natural Resources is the name of the committee in the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress. During the 107<sup>th</sup>-109<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2006), the committee was named Committee on Resources, and during the 110<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2007-2018), the name was Committee on Natural Resources.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Resources, *Report on Legislation and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Resources*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-800 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 4-17.

- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Resources, *Report on Legislation and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Resources*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-811 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 3-14.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Resources, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Resources*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-735 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), pp. 2-12.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-925 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 2-14.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-701 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 2-11.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources (Fourth Quarter)*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-752 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 17-29.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-720 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 22-37.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-886 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 15-23.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Natural Resources, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Natural Resources*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1128 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), pp. 5-19.

**Table 13. House Committee on Oversight and Reform**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 28 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 72 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 70 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 71 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 42 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 66 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 63 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 72 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 36 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** House Committee on Oversight and Reform is the name of the committee in the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress. During the 110<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2007-2018), it was named Committee on Oversight and Reform. During the 107<sup>th</sup>-109<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2006), the name was Committee on Government Reform.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Government Reform, *Activities of the House Committee on Government Reform*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-805 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 218-219.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Government Reform, *Activities of the House Committee on Government Reform*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-815 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 60-104.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Government Reform, *Activities of the House Committee on Government Reform*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-739 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), pp. 67-97.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-930 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 33-52.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-705 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 77-88.



- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-740 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 32-44.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-734 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015), pp. 11-21.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-909 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), pp. 15-27.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee Oversight and Government Reform, *Activities of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1114 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), pp. 32-40.

**Table 14. House Committee on Rules**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 152 <sup>a</sup>   |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 168 <sup>b</sup>   |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 146 <sup>c</sup>   |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 165 <sup>d</sup>   |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 72 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 132 <sup>f</sup>   |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 92 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 116 <sup>h</sup>   |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 161 <sup>i</sup>   |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** During 107<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2018), CRS used the number of formal requests for Committee on Rules hearings as the total number of hearings.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-808 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 54.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-814 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 51.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-743 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 69.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-931 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 57.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-714 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 48.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-751 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), p. 59.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules for the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-726 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015), p. 50.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-905 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2017), p. 55.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Rules, *Survey of Activities of the House Committee on Rules for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1130 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 50.



**Table 15. House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 30 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 32 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 35 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 24 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 27 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 27 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 23 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 27 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 16 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

**Notes:** House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology is the name of the committee in the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress and has been the name since the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress (2001-2012). During the 107<sup>th</sup>-109<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2001-2006), the name was Committee on Science, and during the 110<sup>th</sup>-111<sup>th</sup> Congresses (2007-2010), the name was Committee on Science and Technology.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, *Summary of Activities of the Committee on Science*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-809 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 343-347.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, *Summary of Activities of the Committee on Science*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-817 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 247-256.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, *Summary of Activities of the Committee on Science*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-748 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), pp. 249-258.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science and Technology, *Summary of the Committee on Science and Technology*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-935 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 425-426.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science and Technology, *Summary of Activities of the Committee on Science and Technology*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-698 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2010), pp. 413-429.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, Space and Technology, *Fourth Semiannual Report of Activities of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-745 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 248-264.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, Space and Technology, *Second Annual Report of Activities of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-681 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 287-302.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, Space and Technology, *Second Annual Report of Activities of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-884 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 6-24.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Science, Space and Technology, *Second Annual Report of Activities of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1080 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), pp. 6-22.

**Table 16. House Committee on Small Business**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 46 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 35 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 28 <sup>c</sup>    |

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 71 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 45 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 35 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 34 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 37 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 46 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Summary of Activities*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-806 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 17-18.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Summary of Activities*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-800 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 19-20.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Summary of Activities*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-740 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2007), p. 19.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Small Business for the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-926 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), p. 124.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Small Business for the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-695 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2010), p. 118.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activity of the Committee on Small Business for the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-729 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 21-54.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Small Business for the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-684 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 25-48.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Small Business for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-880 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 43-71.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Small Business, *Report on the Activities of the Committee on Small Business for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1079 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), pp. 43-82.

**Table 17. House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure**  
Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings                                  |
|-------------------------------|---|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | Full committee hearings are not listed <sup>a</sup> |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 2 <sup>b</sup>                                      |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 2 <sup>c</sup>                                      |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 22 <sup>d</sup>                                     |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 22 <sup>e</sup>                                     |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 28 <sup>f</sup>                                     |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 7 <sup>g</sup>                                      |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 6 <sup>h</sup>                                      |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 6 <sup>i</sup>                                      |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary of Legislative and Oversight Activities*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-793 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2002), pp. 39-41.

- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary of Legislative and Oversight Activities for the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-799 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2004), pp. 139-144.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary of Legislative and Oversight Activities for the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-738 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), pp. 191-196.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary of Legislative and Oversight Activities for the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-936 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 59.
- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary of Legislative and Oversight Activities for the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-711 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 66.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary on the Activities of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-718 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 15-37.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary on the Activities of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-718 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), p. 18.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary on the Activities of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-899 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), p. 18.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, *Summary on the Activities of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1099 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2018), p. 18.

**Table 18. House Committee on Veterans' Affairs**

Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 20 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 26 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 23 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 20 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 20 <sup>e</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 30 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 43 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 20 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 33 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.**Notes:** For the 107<sup>th</sup>-108<sup>th</sup> (2001-2004), 110<sup>th</sup> (2007-2008), and 112<sup>th</sup>-115<sup>th</sup> (2011-2018) Congresses, the total number of hearings includes joint hearings that took place with the Senate Veterans' Affairs committee.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Activities Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 107<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-804 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), pp. 79-83.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Activities Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-808 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), pp. 84-89.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Activities Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 109<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-737 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), pp. 24-37.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Activities Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 110<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-927 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 30-47.

- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Activities Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-697 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 23-38.
- f. During the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress (2011-2012), the committee provided full committee hearing information separated by four legislative quarters: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *First Semiannual Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-120 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 13-15; (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Second Semiannual Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-341 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), pp. 9-10; (3) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Third Quarter Report of Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-547 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 9-14; and (4) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Fourth Quarter Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-706 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2012), pp. 9-11.
- g. During the 113<sup>th</sup> Congress (2013-2014), the committee provided full committee hearings information separated by the first and second session: (1) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *First Annual Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 1<sup>st</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-300 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 25-36; and (2) U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Second Annual Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-659 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2014), pp. 23-36.
- h. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 114<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 114-879 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), pp. 56-68.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, *Report of the Activities of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the 115<sup>th</sup> Congress*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1120 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), pp. 1-27.

**Table 19. House Committee on Ways and Means**

## Full Committee Hearings

| Congress (Years)              | Number of Hearings |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 107 <sup>th</sup> (2001-2002) | 17 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 108 <sup>th</sup> (2003-2004) | 18 <sup>b</sup>    |
| 109 <sup>th</sup> (2005-2006) | 26 <sup>c</sup>    |
| 110 <sup>th</sup> (2007-2008) | 20 <sup>d</sup>    |
| 111 <sup>th</sup> (2009-2010) | 21 <sup>a</sup>    |
| 112 <sup>th</sup> (2011-2012) | 28 <sup>f</sup>    |
| 113 <sup>th</sup> (2013-2014) | 19 <sup>g</sup>    |
| 114 <sup>th</sup> (2015-2016) | 70 <sup>h</sup>    |
| 115 <sup>th</sup> (2017-2018) | 12 <sup>i</sup>    |

**Source:** Congress.gov.

- a. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 107<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 107-801 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2003), p. 130.
- b. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 108<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 108-810 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2005), p. 147.
- c. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 109<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 109-736 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2006), p. 137.
- d. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 110<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 110-934 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2009), pp. 134-135.

- e. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 111<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 111-708 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2011), p. 117.
- f. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 112<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 112-750, (Washington, DC: GPO, 2013), pp. 160-161.
- g. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 113<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 113-723 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2015), p.150.
- h. The committee included the full and subcommittee hearings in the total number. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 114<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess. H.Rept. 114-887 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2016), p. 147.
- i. U.S. Congress, House Committee on Ways and Means, *Report on the Legislative and Oversight Activities of the Committee on Ways and Means*, 115<sup>th</sup> Cong., 2<sup>nd</sup> sess., H.Rept. 115-1115 (Washington, DC: GPO, 2019), p. 127.

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