WEEKLY LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY FOR:

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LAST WEEK:

INFRASTRUCTURE SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING - On

October 10, 2001 the Water Resources and Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Duncan, TN) of the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee held a hearing on infrastructure security. Witnesses from the Army Corps of Engineers, Justice Department and Environmental Protection Agency described measures needed to protect dams and other water structures that could be potentially targeted by terrorists.

THIS WEEK:

ECO-TERRORISM OVERSIGHT HEARING - Forests and Forest Health Subcommittee (Chairman McInnis, CO) of the House Resources Committee will hold an oversight hearing on eco-terrorism.

October 16 Time TBA 1334 Longworth

FARM BILL FULL COMMITTEE HEARINGS - The Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee (Chairman Harkin, IA) will hold a hearing on legislation that would authorize funds for farm price supports, conservation programs, food aid and rural development over ten years.

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LOOKING AHEAD:

FARM BILL FIELD HEARING - On October 27, the Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry will hold a field hearing on the 2002 Farm Bill in City Council Chambers, Boise City Hall, Boise, Idaho. The hearing will be conducted by Senator Mike Crapo at 9:00 a.m.