



Hearing on “China’s Military Modernization and Its Impact on the United States and the Asia-Pacific”

March 29-30, 2007

**Room 562, Dirksen Senate Office Building
First Street and Constitution Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20510**

Hearing Co Chairs: Commissioners William Reinsch and Larry Wortzel

Thursday, March 29

9:00 to 10:00 am

Panel I: Congressional Perspectives

- Congresswoman Madeleine Bordallo (D-Guam)
- Congressman Tim Ryan (D-OH)
- Congressman Dana Rohrabacher (R-CA)
- Congressman Duncan Hunter (R-CA)

10:15 to 12:00 pm

Panel II: Beijing’s Doctrine on the Conduct of “Irregular Forms of Warfare”

- Dr. William Schneider, Jr., Chairman, Defense Science Board, Washington, DC
- Mr. Michael G. Vickers, Senior Vice President for Strategic Studies, Center for Strategic and Budgetary Assessments, Washington, DC
- Dr. Derek S. Reveron, Associate Professor of National Security Affairs, U.S. Naval War College, Newport, RI
- Dr. Robert J. Bunker, CEO, Counter-OPFOR Corporation, Claremont, CA

12:15 to 1:00 pm

Lunch Break

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm

Panel III: PLA Modernization in Traditional Warfare Capabilities: Force Integration and Force Projection

- General James E. Cartwright, Commander, U.S. Strategic Command, Offutt Air Force Base, NE
- Dr. Andrew S. Erickson, Assistant Professor, Strategic Research Department, U.S. Naval War College, Newport, RI
- Mr. Cortez A. Cooper, III, Director of the East Asia Studies Center, Hicks and Associates, Inc., McLean, VA

2:45 to 4:00 pm

Panel IV: The Taiwan Strait Military Balance

- RADM Eric A. McVadon USN (Ret), Director of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis, Inc., Washington, DC
- Dr. Bernard D. Cole, Professor of International History, National War College, Washington, DC
- Mr. Mark Cozad, Senior Defense Intelligence Analyst for China, Defense Intelligence Agency, Washington, DC

Friday, March 30

8:30 to 10:00 am

Panel V: Information Warfare, Missile Warfare, Cyber Operations, and Other Disruptive Capabilities of the PLA

- Dr. Ehsan Ahrari, Professor of Counterterrorism, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies, Honolulu, HI
- Dr. James A. Lewis, Director and Senior Fellow of the Technology and Public Policy Program, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC

10:00 to 11:30 am

Panel VI: The PLA's Objectives in Space

- Dr. Michael P. Pillsbury, Consultant, Department of Defense, Washington, DC
- Mr. Eric D. Hagt, Director of the China Program, World Security Institute, Washington, DC
- Mr. Dean Cheng, Research Fellow, Center for Naval Analysis Corporation, Alexandria, VA
- Ms. Mary C. Fitzgerald, Research Fellow, Hudson Institute, Washington, DC