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NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE PUBLIC HEARING CALENDAR

For Immediate Release:

February 5, 2016

- Feb. 8 **Senate Standing Committee on Judiciary**
Chair: Senator John J. Bonacic
Public Hearing: Consider the Nomination of Michael Garcia for Associate Judge of the
 New York State Court of Appeals
Place: Room 124, State Capitol Building, Albany, New York
Time: 12:30 P.M. – 1:30 P.M.
Contact: Jessica Cherry (518) 455-3181
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ORAL TESTIMONY BY INVITATION ONLY
*Additional written testimony may be submitted to judiciary@nysenate.gov by Friday,
February 5th, 2016.*
- Feb. 10 **Joint – Assembly Standing Committee on Consumer Affairs and Protection**
Chair: Assembly Member Jeffrey Dinowitz
and **Assembly Standing Committee on Judiciary**
Chair: Assembly Member Helene Weinstein
Public Hearing: Arbitration
Place: Assembly Hearing Room, 250 Broadway, Room 1923, 19th Floor,
 New York, New York
Time: 10:00 A.M.
Contact: Kendall Jacobsen (518) 455-4355
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888
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- Feb. 11 **Assembly Standing Committee on Cities**
Chair: Assembly Member Michael R. Benedetto
Public Hearing: Infrastructure Needs Relating to Cities
Place: Lubin Dining Hall, Harold and Muriel Block Building, Albert Einstein
 College of Medicine, 1300 Morris Park Avenue, Bronx, New York
Time: 10:30 A.M.
Contact: Meg Antz (518) 455-4363
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888
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- Feb. 19 **Assembly Standing Committee on Housing**
Chair: Assembly Member Keith L.T. Wright
Public Hearing: Cooperatively Owned Housing
Place: Conference Rooms A, B, and C, State Office Building, 8th Floor,
 163 West 125th Street, New York, New York
Time: 4:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.
Contact: Mike Szydlo (518) 455-4928
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888

Feb. 24 **Joint – Assembly Standing Committee on Environmental Conservation**
Chair: Assembly Member Steve Englebright
Commission on Solid Waste Management
Chair: Assembly Member Steven Otis
Commission on Toxic Substances and Hazardous Wastes
Chair: Assembly Member Michael A. Simanowitz
and Assembly Subcommittee on Oversight of the Department of Environmental Conservation
Chair: Assembly Member Patricia A. Fahy
Public Hearing: Electronic Waste (E-Waste)
Place: Hamilton Hearing Room B, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor, Albany, New York
Time: 10:30 A.M.
Contact: Ashley Luz (518) 455-4363
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888

OTHER MEETINGS OF INTEREST:

Feb. 23 **Senate Joint Task Force on Heroin and Opioid Addiction**
Chair: Senator Terrance Murphy, Senator George A. Amedore, Jr. and Senator Robert Ort
Sponsor: Senator James Seward
Public Meeting: To examine the issues facing communities in the wake of increased heroin abuse
Place: Hunt Union Ballroom, SUNY Oneonta, 108 Ravine Parkway, Oneonta, New York
Time: 12:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.
Contact: Daniel Toomey (518) 455-2559;
Jeff Bishop – Office of Sen. James Seward (607) 432-5524, (518) 455-3131
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Feb. 23 **Senate Joint Task Force on Heroin and Opioid Addiction**
Chair: Senator Terrance Murphy, Senator George A. Amedore, Jr. and Senator Robert Ort
Sponsor: Senator Thomas F. O'Mara
Public Meeting: To examine the issues facing communities in the wake of increased heroin abuse
Place: Penn Yan Middle School Auditorium, 515 Liberty Street, Penn Yan, New York
Time: 6:30 P.M. – 9:30 P.M.
Contact: Daniel Toomey (518) 455-2559;
Sara J. Lattin – Office of Sen. Thomas F. O'Mara (607) 735-9671
Media Contact: Jim Meddleton – Office of Sen. Thomas F. O'Mara (518) 455-2091

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Feb. 24 **Senate Standing Committee on Veterans, Homeland Security and Military Affairs**
Chair: Senator Thomas D. Croci
Co-Sponsor: Senator Joseph Addabbo
Public Meeting: To examine various proposals and current programs aimed at assisting our veteran population in achieving employment opportunities
Place: Room 124, State Capitol Building, Albany New York
Time: 10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.
Contact: Jennifer Slagen (518) 455-3570
Media Contact: Jennifer Romero (631) 360-3356
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Feb. 26 **Senate Joint Task Force on Heroin and Opioid Addiction**

Chair: Senator Terrance Murphy, Senator George A. Amedore, Jr. and
Senator Robert Ort

Sponsor: Senator Martin J. Golden

Public Meeting: To examine the issues facing communities in the wake of increased
heroin abuse

Place: Knights of Columbus, 1305 86th Street, Ground Floor,
Brooklyn, New York

Time: 2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Contact: Daniel Toomey (518) 455-2559;
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