On Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at 2:00 p.m. in room 2154 of the Rayburn House Office Building the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Service, and the District of Columbia will hold a hearing entitled, "Are Agencies Playing It Safe and Secure: An Examination of Worker Protections Pre- and Post-Injury."
The purpose of the upcoming hearing is to address the safety standards and practices employed by Federal agencies to ensure that employees are not exposed to excessive amounts of carcinogens and ionizing radiation and to reduce workplace injuries and accidents. Additionally, the upcoming hearing will focus on how well the Federal Employees' Compensation Act is meeting the needs of injured workers in high-risk occupations.
To watch a webcast of the hearing, click here
The witnesses scheduled to testify were:
PANEL I:

Dr. John Howard
Director
National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Mr. Shelby Hallmark
Director
Office of Workers' Compensation Programs, U.S. Department of Labor
Ms. Jill M. Segraves
Director, Occupational Safety, Health & Environment

Transportation Security Administration, U.S. Department of Homeland Security
PANEL II:
Mr. Jon Adler
National President
Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association
Mr. James Johnson
16 th District Vice President
International Association of Fire Fighters

Ms. Maureen Gilman
Director of Legislation
National Treasury Employees Union
Ms. Milagro Rodriguez
Labor Relations Specialist for Safety and Health
American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO
Documents and Links
Prepared statement of Chairman Stephen F. Lynch

Prepared testimony of Jon Adler
Prepared testimony of James Johnson
Prepared testimony of John Howard
Prepared testimony of Shelby Hallmark
Prepared testimony of Colleen Kelley
Prepared testimony of Jill Segraves

