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## **U.S.-CHINA ECONOMIC AND SECURITY REVIEW COMMISSION**

### **Notice of Open Public Hearing**

**AGENCY:** U.S.-China Economic and  
Security Review Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of open public hearing—  
May 10, 2012, Washington, DC.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of the  
following hearing of the U.S.-China  
Economic and Security Review  
Commission.

*Name:* Dennis Shea, Chairman of the  
U.S.-China Economic and Security  
Review Commission. The Commission  
is mandated by Congress to investigate,  
assess, and report to Congress annually  
on “the national security implications of  
the economic relationship between the  
United States and the People’s Republic  
of China”. Pursuant to this mandate, the

Commission will hold a public hearing  
in Washington, DC on May 10, 2012,  
“Assessing China’s Efforts to Become an  
Innovation Society—A Progress  
Report”.

### **Background**

This is the fifth public hearing the  
Commission will hold during its 2012  
report cycle to collect input from  
academic, industry, and government  
experts on national security  
implications of the U.S. bilateral trade  
and economic relationship with China.  
The May 10 hearing will address  
China’s innovation capabilities, with  
emphasis on the information technology  
and defense sectors. The hearing will be  
co-chaired by Commissioners Sen. Carte  
Goodwin and Hon. Dennis Shea. Any  
interested party may file a written  
statement by May 9, 2012, by mailing to  
the contact below. A portion of each  
panel will include a question and  
answer period between the  
Commissioners and the witnesses.

*Location, Date and Time:* 562 Dirksen  
Senate Office Building. Thursday May  
10, 2012, 8:45 a.m.–3:40 p.m. Eastern  
Time. A detailed agenda for the hearing

will be posted to the Commission’s Web  
Site at [www.uscc.gov](http://www.uscc.gov) as soon as  
available. Please check our Web site at  
[www.uscc.gov](http://www.uscc.gov) for possible changes to  
the hearing schedule. *Reservations are  
not required to attend the hearing.*

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Any  
member of the public seeking further  
information concerning the hearing  
should contact Gavin Williams, 444  
North Capitol Street NW., Suite 602,  
Washington, DC 20001; phone: 202–  
624–1492, or via email at  
[gwilliams@uscc.gov](mailto:gwilliams@uscc.gov). *Reservations are  
not required to attend the hearing.*

**Authority:** Congress created the U.S.-China  
Economic and Security Review Commission  
in 2000 in the National Defense  
Authorization Act (Pub. L. 106–398), as  
amended by Division P of the Consolidated  
Appropriations Resolution, 2003 (Pub. L.  
108–7), as amended by Public Law 109–108  
(November 22, 2005).

Dated: May 1, 2012.

**Michael Danis,**

*Executive Director, U.S.-China Economic and  
Security Review Commission.*

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