

**U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY**

HEARING CHARTER

Tuesday, July 12, 2016

TO: Members, Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

FROM: Majority Staff, Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

SUBJECT: Full Committee hearing: “*Evaluating FDIC’s Response to Major Data Breaches: Is the FDIC Safeguarding Consumers’ Banking Information?*”

The Committee on Science, Space, and Technology will hold a hearing titled “*Evaluating FDIC’s Response to Major Data Breaches: Is the FDIC Safeguarding Consumers’ Banking Information?*” on Thursday, July 14, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 2318 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

Hearing Purpose:

The purpose of this hearing is to examine recent major cybersecurity data breaches at the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), and the agency’s responses to these breaches pursuant to the Federal Information Security Modernization Act of 2014 (FISMA).

The hearing will also examine the FDIC Office of Inspector General’s release of two recent audit reports, which examine the FDIC’s reporting of major security incidents to Congress, as well as the FDIC’s controls for protecting sensitive resolution plans from unauthorized release.¹ The Committee will hear testimony from the Chairman of the FDIC as well as the FDIC Acting Inspector General about his office’s recommendations for improving the FDIC’s cybersecurity posture.

Witness List

- **The Honorable Martin J. Gruenberg**, *Chairman, FDIC*
- **Mr. Fred W. Gibson**, *Acting Inspector General, FDIC*

¹ Fed. Deposit Insurance Corp. Office of Inspector General, *The FDIC’s Process for Identifying and Reporting Major Information Security Incidents* (Jul. 8, 2016) (AUD-16-004), available at <https://www.fdicig.gov/reports16/16-004AUD.pdf> (last visited Jul. 12, 2016); Fed. Deposit Insurance Corp. Office of Inspector General, *The FDIC’s Controls for Mitigating the Risk of an Unauthorized Release of Sensitive Resolution Plans* (Jul. 8, 2016) (AUD-16-003), available at <https://www.fdicig.gov/reports16/16-003AUD.pdf> (last visited Jul. 12, 2016).

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