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ROCKEFELLER ANNOUNCES HEARING ON GIVING CONSUMERS HIGH- QUALITY INFORMATION ON HEALTH INSURANCE

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Chairman John D. (Jay) Rockefeller IV today announced that the U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation will hold a hearing on February 27, 2013 at 2:30 p.m. entitled “The Power of Transparency: Giving Consumers the Information They Need to Make Smart Choices in the Health Insurance Market.” This hearing will examine the benefits of providing consumers with clear and concise information to make an informed decision when purchasing health insurance.

THE POWER OF TRANSPARENCY: GIVING CONSUMERS THE INFORMATION THEY NEED TO MAKE SMART CHOICES IN THE HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET

Full Committee Hearing

Date: Wednesday, February 27, 2013

Hearing Start Time: 2:30 p.m.

Location: Room 253, Russell Senate Office Building

Please note the hearing will be webcast live via the Senate Commerce Committee [website](http://commerce.senate.gov/public/index.cfm?p=Home) (<http://commerce.senate.gov/public/index.cfm?p=Home>). Refresh the Commerce Committee homepage 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time to automatically begin streaming the webcast.

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