



May 23, 2017

# Reopening the American Frontier: Exploring How the Outer Space Treaty Will Impact American Commerce and Settlement in Space

Subcommittee on Space, Science, and Competitiveness, Committee on  
Commerce, Science, and Transportation, United States Senate, One  
Hundred Fifteenth Congress, First Session

---

## HEARING CONTENTS:

### Witnesses

James E. Dunstan  
Founder  
Mobius Legal Group, PLLC  
[View Testimony](#)

Laura Montgomery  
Attorney and Proprietor  
Ground Based Space Matters, LLC  
[View Testimony](#)

Matthew Schaefer  
Co-Director of Space, Cyber and Telecommunications Law Program  
University of Nebraska College of Law  
[View Testimony](#)

Mike Gold  
Vice President, Washington Operations  
Space Systems Loral  
[View Testimony](#)

*\* Please Note: External links included in this compilation were functional at the time of its creation but are not maintained thereafter.*

---

*This hearing compilation was prepared by the Homeland Security Digital Library,  
Naval Postgraduate School, Center for Homeland Defense and Security.*

---



Peter Marquez  
Vice President of Global Engagement  
Planetary Resources  
[View Testimony](#)

Pamela Melroy  
Colonel; Retired and Former Astronaut  
U.S. Air Force; NASA  
[View Testimony](#)

Bob Richards  
Founder and CEO  
Moon Express, Inc.  
[View Testimony](#)

**Available Webcast(s)\*:**

[View Full Hearing](#)

**Compiled From\*:**

<https://www.commerce.senate.gov/public/index.cfm/2017/5/reopening-the-american-frontier-exploring-how-the-outer-space-treaty-will-impact-american-commerce-and-settlement-in-space>

*\* Please Note: External links included in this compilation were functional at the time of its creation but are not maintained thereafter.*

---

*This hearing compilation was prepared by the Homeland Security Digital Library,  
Naval Postgraduate School, Center for Homeland Defense and Security.*

---