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**Chairman Towns Invites FDA Commissioner to Hearing on Recall of Popular Pediatric Medication**  
**Commissioner Hamburg asked to provide testimony on circumstances surrounding recall**

WASHINGTON – Chairman Edolphus “Ed” Towns (D-NY) today announced that another witness, FDA Commissioner Margaret Hamburg, has been invited to testify during the committee’s upcoming hearing on the circumstances surrounding the voluntary recall of popular infant and children’s medicines produced by Johnson & Johnson/McNeil Consumer Healthcare. Chairman Towns [has already invited](#) William C. Weldon, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Johnson & Johnson, to testify.

Last week, Chairman Towns [announced](#) the hearing will take place on Thursday, May 27, 2010 at 10:00 a.m.

On May 5, 2010, Chairman Towns and Ranking Member Darrell Issa (R-CA) [opened the committee’s investigation](#) into the circumstances surrounding the voluntary recall of such widely used pediatric medications as Children’s Tylenol, Infants’ Tylenol, Children’s Motrin, and Children’s Benadryl.

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[Letter from Chairman Edolphus Towns to FDA Commissioner Margaret Hamburg](#)