The Committee held holding a hearing titled, “The Financial Crisis and the Role of Federal Regulators” at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 23, 2008, in 2154 Rayburn House Office Building. The hearing examined the roles and responsibilities of federal regulators in the current financial crisis. A preliminary hearing transcript is available for download.

The following witnesses testified:

- **Alan Greenspan**, former Chairman, Federal Reserve
- **John Snow**, former Secretary of the Treasury
- **Christopher Cox**, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission

**Documents and Links**

- Opening Statement of Chairman Waxman
- Testimony of Alan Greenspan
- Testimony of John Snow
- Testimony of Christopher Cox
- Preliminary Hearing Transcript