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| cid:image001.jpg@01D20924.10ED3760   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **For Immediate Release:** | **Contact:** [Neal A. Patel](mailto:neal_patel@heller.senate.gov) | | September 27, 2016 | 202-224-6244 |   **ICYMI: Heller to FTC Commish on Resort Fees, “You’ve received 8 or 10 complaints…and now you want to enact new regulations.”**  **(Washington, DC)** –Today, U.S. Senator Dean Heller (R-NV) spoke at a United States Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation hearing titled, “Oversight of the Federal Trade Commission.” During the hearing, Senator Heller questioned FTC Chairwoman Edith Ramirez whether consumers benefited from 2011 FTC commission guidelines surrounding lodging and resort fees.  Click [HERE](https://youtu.be/0AUAYqNQDME) or below to watch.   |  | | --- | | [cid:image001.png@01D218B7.A992AED0](https://youtu.be/0AUAYqNQDME)  **BACKGROUND:**  Last year, Las Vegas experienced a record year, surpassing 42 million tourists.  The Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority has estimated the tourism economy generates more than $50 billion annually and supports 366,000 jobs in Clark County alone  — 43 percent of the total number of jobs in Southern Nevada. |   ###  [cid:image003.png@01D20924.10ED3760](http://www.facebook.com/pages/US-Senator-Dean-Heller/325751330177)[cid:image004.png@01D20924.10ED3760](http://twitter.com/SenDeanHeller) [cid:image005.png@01D20924.10ED3760](http://www.youtube.com/user/SenDeanHeller) |