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Washington, DC 20515-6035  
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March 25, 2024

The Honorable Bryan Steil  
Chairman  
Committee on House Administration  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Steil:

In compliance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, attached is a copy of the monthly report for February 2024.

A copy of this report is available to members of the committee for review.

Sincerely,



Mike Rogers  
Chairman

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Enclosures

House of Representatives  
Committee on Armed Services

Summary of Progress of Specific Studies and Investigations

February 2024

**I. Full Committee Progress**

February 14<sup>th</sup>, the committee met to receive a briefing on regional security issues and U.S.-Jordanian security cooperation.

February 15<sup>th</sup>, the committee met to receive testimony on Department of Defense's programs and initiatives to accelerate innovative technologies, solutions, and capabilities from the research and development enterprise to the warfighter.

February 29<sup>th</sup>, the committee met to receive testimony from Secretary of Defense Lloyd Austin on the circumstances surrounding the failure to communicate his absence to the President in a timely manner during his recent hospitalization.

**II. Subcommittee Progress**

Tactical Air and Land Forces Subcommittee

No activities held.

Military Personnel Subcommittee

No activities held.

Readiness Subcommittee

February 7<sup>th</sup>, the subcommittee met to receive testimony on the State of DoD Housing and Aging Infrastructure.

Seapower and Projection Forces Subcommittee

February 15<sup>th</sup>, the subcommittee met in a classified session to receive an update on V-22.

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

February 6<sup>th</sup>, the Subcommittee on Strategic Forces met in closed session to receive a classified update on adversarial space capabilities.

February 14<sup>th</sup>, the Subcommittee on Strategic Forces met in closed session to receive a classified update on space warfighting architecture and strategy.

Cyber, Innovative Technologies, and Information Systems Subcommittee

February 6<sup>th</sup>, the subcommittee met to receive a classified briefing on Department of Defense science and technology classified programs.

Intelligence and Special Operations Subcommittee

No activities held.

Quality of Life Panel

February 6<sup>th</sup>, the Quality of Life Panel met to receive a brief from fellow members of Congress on their recommendations on how to improve quality of life for service members and their families.

February 14<sup>th</sup>, the Quality of Life Panel met to discuss recommendations to finalize the culminating Quality of Life Report that will address five main areas of concern for servicemembers and their families; access to health care, child care, housing, compensation, and spouse support.

**III. Financial Report (see attached).**

**IV. Detailee Report (see Attached).**

**V. Travel Report (see attached).**



U.S. House of Representatives  
Monthly Financial Statement by Legislative Year

Office: ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE

Authorization Year 2024  
2024:118th Congress 2nd Session  
Month: 2024 February - Closed

## Disbursed Summary

Program		Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed	
EXPEN	General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	774,002.81	1,481,522.44	
			1104 Accrued Leave	2,916.67	2,916.67	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>776,919.48</b>	<b>1,484,439.11</b>	
		23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	256.00	256.00	
			2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	617.50	617.50	
			2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	2,923.08	2,923.08	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>3,796.58</b>	<b>3,796.58</b>	
		24 Printing and Reproduction	2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	80.00	80.00	
			2404 Reproduction of Fed/Public Law	450.00	450.00	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>530.00</b>	<b>530.00</b>	
		26 Supplies and Materials	2623 Software < \$500	824.54	824.54	
			2630 Publications/Reference Mat'l	8,400.00	8,400.00	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>9,224.54</b>	<b>9,224.54</b>	
		31 Equipment	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	414.00	1,188.00	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>414.00</b>	<b>1,188.00</b>	
		<b>Total</b>			<b>790,884.60</b>	<b>1,499,178.23</b>

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## PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024

Process Level: ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE

### SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

<b>Employee and Job Title</b>	<b>Annual Salary</b>	<b>Gross Pay</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
ALRED, BROOKE HAILEY RESEARCH ASSISTANT	82,500.00	6,875.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
BARRETT, WALKER B PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
BENDER, ELIZABETH A PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
BENNETT, IAN HENRY SENIOR ADVISOR & SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
BOPE, HEATH R PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	170,000.00	14,166.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
BREITENBACH, RYAN D DEPUTY GENERAL COUNSEL	170,000.00	14,166.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
BURNS, TAYLOR RESEARCH ASSISTANT	70,000.00	5,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
CALDERON, ZACHARY TUCKER RESEARCH ASSISTANT	70,000.00	194.44	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	TERMINATED 02/01/24
EVERS, ALEXANDRIA N RESEARCH ASSISTANT	85,000.00	7,083.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
GARRETT, BRIAN J MINORITY STAFF DIRECTOR	212,100.00	17,675.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
GIACHETTI, DAVID M SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
GOGGIN, KELLY LYNN PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	148,000.00	12,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
GOSELIN, GEOFFREY M PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	200,000.00	16,666.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
GRAY, BETTY B EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	150,000.00	12,500.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
GREENE, CRAIG MICHAEL SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
HENRIQUEZ, NATALIA C PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
HERMANN, MICHAEL SPENCER PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
HUGHES, MACON D PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	150,000.00	12,500.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
HUNTLEY, MAXWELL O'NEIL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	145,000.00	12,083.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24

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IKOKU, ROBERT M PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
JOHNSON, WILLIAM SPENCER MINORITY GENERAL COUNSEL	208,000.00	17,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
JOHNSON, WILLIAM TAYLOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	175,000.00	14,583.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
JOHNSTON, ANN GRIFFIN PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
KAUFMAN, HANNAH ELIZABETH PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
KEHRLI, CAROLINE MARIE PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	145,000.00	12,083.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
KENNEDY, ANDREW MCDANIEL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
KIRLIN, MICHAEL CLIFFORD SENIOR ADVISOR & PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	175,000.00	14,583.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
MACNAUGHTON, JOHN PHILLIP PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
MANZER, TRACY JOYE MINORITY COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	155,000.00	12,916.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
MCCONNELL IV, FORREST GENERAL COUNSEL	208,000.00	17,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
MCGEARY, OWEN CHRISTOPHER RESEARCH ASSISTANT	85,000.00	7,083.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
METZGER, WILLIAM LAWRENCE BUDGET DIRECTOR	180,000.00	15,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
MOREHOUSE, MARK WARREN PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
MOXLEY, SARAH WHITING SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
NEVINS, PATRICK MEYER SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
NOYES, KYLE ANDROUS PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
PELISSIER, ETHAN JAMES RESEARCH ASSISTANT	85,000.00	7,083.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
QUINN, KATHERINE E MINORITY DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	210,000.00	17,500.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24

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REARDON, MICHAELA A PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	155,000.00	12,916.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
REED, ANNA B PRESS ASSISTANT	70,000.00	5,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
REGINO, ILKA COUTO PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	180,000.00	15,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
ROSS, REBECCA A DIR OF FINANCIAL ADMINSTRATION, HUMAN RESOURCES & TRAVEL	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
SANDERS, JUSTINE ANN COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
SCHIRTZINGER, PETER W PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	140,000.00	11,666.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
SHARMA, SAPNA DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SERVICES/SR ADVISOR TO THE CHAIRMAN	165,000.00	13,750.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
SIENICKI, DAVID SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
STEACY, ZACHARY YOUNG DIR. OF LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS	190,001.00	15,833.42	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
STIEFEL, JOSHUA MICHAEL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	152,000.00	12,666.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
THOMPSON, KATHRYN E SECURITY MANAGER	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
TULLY, RYAN M SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
VALLARIO, JAMES RICHARD PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	175,000.00	14,583.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
VASTOLA, MARIA CHRISTINE PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	180,000.00	15,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
VERETT, WHITNEY SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	190,000.00	15,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
VIESON, CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM STAFF DIRECTOR	212,100.00	17,675.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
WHELCHER, LOGAN JEFFREY RESEARCH ASSISTANT	70,000.00	5,833.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	APPOINTMENT 02/01/24
WHITE JR, WENDELL F PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
WHITE, SHENITA VENISE OFFICE MANAGER	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	



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WINNICK, EVERETT G DIRECTOR, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	185,000.00	15,416.67	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	P/R CHANGE 02/01/24
WOMBLE, JEANINE BRYANT COUNSEL	180,000.00	15,000.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	
WOODY, TARYN BROOKE PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER & MEMBER SERVICES SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - LUMP SUM ACCRUED LEAVE	130,000.00	6,500.00	02/01/2024 to 02/29/2024	APPOINTMENT 02/13/24
<b>Employee and Job Title</b>	<b>Annual Salary</b>	<b>Gross Pay</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
CALDERON, ZACHARY TUCKER RESEARCH ASSISTANT	70,000.00	2,916.67		

# REPORT OF TRAVEL PERFORMED

Committee on Armed Services

118th Congress, 1st Session

February 2024

Traveler	Dates of Travel		Purposes	Itinerary	Reimbursement Claimed			
	From	To			Transportation	Meals, Lodging, & Incidentals	Other	Total

No travel held.

**REPORT of DETAILEES**  
**February 2024**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Agency</b>	<b>Length of Detail</b>	<b>Reimbursement (Y/N)</b>
Mary Goldstein	Government Printing Office	January 4, 2023 - January 2, 2024	no
David Del Bianco	Government Printing Office	January 4, 2023 - January 2, 2024	no