



U.S. House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Washington, DC 20515

September 12, 2022

The Honorable Zoe Lofgren
Chairperson
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairperson Lofgren:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report for August 2022, including:

1. Summary of Progress and projected programs; and
2. Statement of Expenses under Proposed H. Res 316 (117th Congress, 2nd Session); and
3. A listing of Committee employees showing addresses, duties, and gross monthly salaries; and
4. A report on travel for August 2022 (none); and
5. List of Detailees.

This letter certifies that copies of this report are available to each Member of the Committee on Ethics.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Theodore E. Deutch".

Theodore E. Deutch
Chairman

Enclosures

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

August 2022

The Committee on Ethics (Committee) continued to fulfill its responsibilities to advise and educate Members and staff on the laws, rules, and standards of conduct. As a general matter, the Committee's activities in receiving and responding to requests for advice from House Members and staff are conducted on a confidential basis. The Committee received 30 requests for advisory opinions in August 2022.

In accordance with the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 117th Congress, the Committee continued to review and approve requests to accept privately-sponsored, officially-connected travel. The Committee received and reviewed 119 new travel requests in August 2022 for travel beginning in June or later. In addition, 234 House travelers went on a privately-sponsored, officially connected trip within the month of June that the Committee previously approved.

In addition, the Committee is required under House rules to offer annual ethics training to each Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, and employee of the House. Such training is mandatory for all House officers and employees. New Members, officers, and employees must receive training no later than 60 days after beginning service to the House. The Committee continued to provide such training in August of 2022. The Committee continued to provide training online and through a number of training videos. Additional information about the calendar of upcoming training opportunities is available on the Committee's website at <https://ethics.house.gov/>.

In August 2022, the Committee issued a summary of its activities for July 2022 directed to the Committee on House Administration. This statement is publicly available on the Committee on House Administration's website.

The Committee released two public statements in August 2022 regarding Representative John Rutherford and the passing of Ranking Member Jackie Walorski. Prior public statements are available on the Committee's website at <https://ethics.house.gov/>.

The Committee released no general advisories in August 2022. Prior general advisories are available on the Committee's website at <https://ethics.house.gov/>.

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Monthly Financial Statement by Legislative Year

Office: 10S0000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Authorization Year 2022
 2022:117th Congress 2nd Session
 Month: August 2022

Budget to Actual

Program	Object Class	YTD Budget Original	YTD Budget Adjusted	YTD Budget Revised	YTD Committed	YTD Obligated	YTD Received	YTD Disbursed	YTD Total Actual	YTD Total Available
	** Authorization	3,858,466.00	0.00	3,858,466.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,858,466.00
	11 Personnel Compensation	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,883,016.71	1,883,016.71	(1,883,016.71)
	21 Travel	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,809.33	5,809.33	(5,809.33)
	23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21,210.34	21,210.34	(21,210.34)
	24 Printing and Reproductions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	688.00	688.00	(688.00)
	25 Other Services	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,766.00	3,766.00	(3,766.00)
	26 Supplies and Materials	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	766.00	0.00	12,167.35	12,933.35	(12,933.35)
	31 Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37,604.94	37,604.94	(37,604.94)
	Total	3,858,466.00	0.00	3,858,466.00	0.00	766.00	0.00	1,964,262.67	1,965,028.67	1,893,437.33
AE200	** Authorization	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00
	Total	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00

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Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed		
EXPEN General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	262,234.14	1,880,193.40		
		1104 Accrued Leave	0.00	854.31		
		1106 Bonus	0.00	1,969.00		
		Total	262,234.14	1,883,016.71		
	21 Travel		2101 Airfare Commercial Transport	781.90	2,552.16	
			2105 Lodging	1,317.12	1,317.12	
			2110 Meals	360.19	360.19	
			2120 Car Rental	354.23	354.23	
			2125 Gasoline	21.82	21.82	
			2135 Taxi/Ride Share	99.26	99.26	
2137 Tolls			23.65	23.65		
2155 Witness Travel / Related Exp			0.00	1,080.90		
			Total	2,958.17	5,809.33	
23 Rent, Communications, Utilities				2303 Temporary Space Rental	650.00	650.00
	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	132.00		1,103.00		
	2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	390.00		2,730.00		
	2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	2,616.34		16,727.34		
		Total		3,788.34	21,210.34	
	24 Printing and Reproduction			2402 Non-Frankable Printing & Repr	0.00	688.00
				Total	0.00	688.00
	25 Other Services			2527 Training	0.00	3,766.00
				Total	0.00	3,766.00
				2602 Water	139.78	916.36
26 Supplies and Materials		2610 Habitation Expense	0.00	3,064.00		
		2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	611.05	3,237.99		
		2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	105.58	2,728.53		
		2630 Publications/Reference Mat'	88.69	2,220.47		
		Total	945.10	12,167.35		

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Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD		YTD	
			Disbursed		Disbursed	
EXPEN General Expenditures	31 Equipment	3112 Computer Hardw Purch <\$25,000	0.00		11,178.89	
		3115 Computer Softw Purch <\$10,000	0.00		20,266.05	
		3118 Maintenance / Repairs	770.00		6,160.00	
	Total	Total	770.00		37,604.94	
	Total		270,695.75		1,964,262.67	

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022

Process Level: SO000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Accounting Organization: 10SO000

Department: SO000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ARROJO, DAVID COUNSEL TO THE CHAIRMAN	172,500.00	14,375.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
BELLWOAR, SYDNEY RACHEL COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
BETHEA, DEBORAH R SR FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE MNGR.	131,000.00	10,916.67	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
CHONG, MELISSA LYNN COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
COHAN, MELANIE LYNN ADVICE & EDUCATION CLERK	45,711.00	3,809.25	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
FITZPATRICK, KATHERINE J COUNSEL	134,782.00	11,231.83	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
FOSTER, JANET MARIA COUNSEL	144,128.00	12,010.67	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
GORANITES, NICHOLAS S FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE CLERK	45,711.00	3,809.25	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
GWINN, CHRISTINE COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
HERBERT, DONNA DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION	120,972.00	10,081.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
LONG, NICHOLAS M STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
MYERS-MUTSCHALL, SARAH P DIRECTOR OF ADVICE & EDUCATION	172,500.00	14,375.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
NEDZAR, TAMAR SENIOR COUNSEL	153,737.00	12,811.42	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
PATEL, ROSHAN JAGDISH COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
PESCATORE, BRITTNEY L DIRECTOR OF INVESTIGATIONS	172,500.00	14,375.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
RICHARDS, STEPHANIE S DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE	161,700.00	13,475.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
RODRIGUEZ, XYLENE STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
ROSS, CARL EZEKIEL INVESTIGATIVE COUNSEL	144,128.00	12,010.67	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	

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Process Level: 50000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Accounting Organization: 1050000

Department: 50000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ROUSE, ARLINDA MARY COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
RUST, THOMAS A STAFF DIRECTOR/CHIEF COUNSEL	183,300.00	15,275.00	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
STRICKLAND, KELLE A COUNSEL TO THE RANKING MEMBER	189,800.00	15,816.67	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
TAYLOR, CAROLINE FRANCES INVESTIGATOR	62,133.00	5,177.75	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
TRAVIS, ELYSIA V COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
WAMBOLD, ADAM DAVID PROFESSIONAL STAFF	68,146.00	5,678.83	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
WEZIK, EMILY MARIE EISENRAUC COUNSEL	134,782.00	11,231.83	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
WILMER, PEYTON S INVESTIGATIONS CLERK	45,711.00	3,809.25	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	
WINTERS, ROSE STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	1,822.53	08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022	APPOINTMENT 08/15/22

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08/01/2022 to 08/31/2022

Process Level: SO000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Accounting Organization: 10SO000

Department: SO000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Department	Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SO000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	\$262,234.14	27	27
SO000	Total	\$262,234.14	27	27

I CERTIFY THAT THE LISTED EMPLOYEES HAVE PERFORMED THEIR ASSIGNED OFFICIAL DUTIES FOR THE OFFICES OF THE EMPLOYING AUTHORITY, AND THAT THEY HAVE CERTIFIED THAT THEY HAVE NO RELATIONSHIP TO A CURRENT MEMBER OF CONGRESS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED HEREON.

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Process Level: S0000 COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

Accounting Organization: 10S0000

Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	\$262,234.14	27	27
Total	\$262,234.14	27	27

COMMENTS: (EXCEPTIONS MUST BE LISTED WITHIN THIS BOX)

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117th Congress List of Detailees

<u>Name</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Period of Performance</u>
Kristi Karls	GAO	04/25/2022 – 10/31/2022
Tim Minelli	GAO	04/25/2022 – 10/31/2022