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August 6, 2018

The Honorable Gregg Harper
Chairman
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith one copy of the monthly report for January, 2018 including:

- Statement of expenses and fund balance;
- Summary of legislative activities;
- Statement of committee travel; and
- Listing of committee employees showing their titles and gross monthly salaries.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. Sessions", written over a horizontal line.

Pete Sessions

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

Office: 10RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

Authorization Year: 2018
 115th Congress 2ndSession
 Month: January 2018

Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	170,266.13	170,266.13
		Total	170,266.13	170,266.13
	25 Other Services	2571 Technology Service Contracts	696.00	696.00
		Total	696.00	696.00
EXPEN General Expenditures	26 Supplies and Materials	2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	5.94	5.94
		Total	5.94	5.94
	31 Equipment	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	477.00	477.00
		Total	477.00	477.00
	Total		171,445.07	171,445.07
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FUND BALANCE STATE BY PAID DATE
JANUARY

TOTAL AUTHORIZATION 115-2	\$ 3,130,281.10
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LESS EXPENSES FOR:	
JANUARY 2018	\$ 171,445.07

TOTAL EXPENSES TO DATE:	\$ 171,445.07
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**Fund Balance Statement
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Committee on Rules
115th Congress, 2nd Session
Full Committee
January, 2018

Total Authorization for Full Committee	\$ 5,000.00
Less - Expenses, January	0.00

Total Committee expenses to date	\$ 0.00

Ending Balance:	\$ 5000.00
1/31/2018	-----

Report of Travel Performed

Committee on Rules
115th Congress, 2nd Session
January, 2018

There was \$ 0.00 of committee travel during the month of January, 2018.

**Report to House Administration
Summary of Activities**

**Committee on Rules
115th Congress, 2nd Session
January, 2018**

The Committee on Rules held 5 Meetings, 2 Hearings, and reported 7 Rules during the month of January, 2018.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, January 9, 2018
6:13 PM

S. 140 Natural Resources A bill to amend the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to clarify the use of amounts in the WMAT Settlement Fund.

The Committee granted, by record vote of 7-3, a closed rule for S. 140. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided among and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Education and the Workforce and the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Natural Resources. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-54 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

S. 139 Permanent Select Rapid DNA Act of 2017 [FISA Amendments
Committee on Reauthorization Act of 2017]
Intelligence

The Committee granted, by record vote of 6-3, a structured rule for S. 139. The rule provides one hour of debate with 40 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, and 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-53 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule makes in order only the further amendment printed in the Rules Committee report, if offered by the Member designated in the report, which shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment printed in the report. The rule Provides one motion to commit with or without instructions.

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Tuesday, January 16, 2018
6:46 PM

H.R. 3326	Financial Services	World Bank Accountability Act of 2017
H.R. 2954	Financial Services	Home Mortgage Disclosure Adjustment Act

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a structured rule for H.R. 3326. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order as original text for the purpose of amendment the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Financial Services now printed in the bill and provides that it shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in part A of the Rules Committee report. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments printed in the report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

In section 2, the rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2954 under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Financial Services now printed in the bill, modified by the amendment printed in part B of the Rules Committee report, shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

H.R. 4712	Judiciary	Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act
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The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a closed rule for H.R. 4712. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit.

In section 2, the rule provides that on any legislative day during the period from January 22, 2018, through January 26, 2018: the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day shall be considered as approved; and the Chair may at any time declare the House adjourned to meet at a date and time to be announced by the Chair in declaring the adjournment.

In section 3, the rule provides that the Speaker may appoint Members to perform the duties of the Chair for the duration of the period addressed by section 2.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, January 17, 2018
9:33 PM

Senate amendment
to H.R. 195

Oversight and
Government Reform;
Administration

An act to amend title 44, United States Code, to restrict the distribution of free printed copies of the Federal Register to Members of Congress and other officers and employees of the United States, and for other purposes. [Extension of Continuing Appropriations Act, 2018]

The Committee granted, by record vote of 9-3, a rule providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to H.R. 195. The rule makes in order a motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or his designee that the House concur in the Senate amendment with an amendment consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-55. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The rule provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.

In section 2, the rule waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against any resolution reported through the legislative day of January 20, 2018.

In section 3, the rule provides that it shall be in order at any time through the legislative day of January 20, 2018, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules and that the Speaker or his designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or her designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this section.

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Saturday, January 20, 2018
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Rules

Waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a rule that waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against any resolution reported through the legislative day of January 29, 2018.

In section 2, the rule provides that it shall be in order at any time through the calendar day of January 28, 2018, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules and that the Speaker or his designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or her designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this section.

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NOTICE OF ACTION
Monday, January 29, 2018
6:07 PM

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Senate amendments Judiciary
to H.R. 695

Child Protection Improvements Act of 2017
[Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2018]

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a rule providing for the consideration of the Senate amendments to H.R. 695. The rule makes in order a single motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or his designee that the House concur in the Senate amendment to the title and concur in the Senate amendment to the text with an amendment consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-56. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion and provides that it shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule provides that the Senate amendments and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.

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01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018

Process Level: RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

Accounting Organization: 10RU000

Department: RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks	Employee No.
COTE, STEPHEN M STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		

SISSON, DONALD C MINORITY STAFF DIRECTOR	172,400.00	14,366.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks	Employee No.
BELAIR, BRENDAN M SHARED EMPLOYEE	70,000.00	5,833.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		

BOOTHE, CAROLINE STERLING COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	125,000.00	10,416.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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BUHL, CYNTHIA MAUREEN SHARED STAFF	60,000.00	5,000.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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DAVIS, ALEXANDER H PROFESSIONAL STAFF	105,000.00	8,750.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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DELANEY, ERIC L. PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	2,166.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	APPOINTMENT 01/19/18	
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ERB, CHRISTOPHER J DIRECTOR OF ADMIN AND TECH	140,000.00	11,666.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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ETHINGTON, RYAN G SHARED EMPLOYEE	20,000.00	1,666.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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FITZELLA, JAMES S CLERK	87,500.00	7,291.67	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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FLEMING, PARKER BATES STAFF ASSISTANT	45,000.00	3,750.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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GILL, HANNAH LUCILLE STAFF ASSISTANT	55,000.00	4,583.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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GOHRINGER, JEFFREY EARL COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	45,000.00	3,833.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
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GROSS, KARAS ARLIE PATTISON DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	152,500.00	12,708.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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HUBBARD, KEVIN O POLICY DIRECTOR	124,200.00	10,350.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
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ISMAIL, LORI JAMIL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,555.56	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
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KOONTZ, CARA MARIE SHARED EMPLOYEE	20,000.00	1,750.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
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Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks	Employee No.
LAUGHLIN, ROSEMARIE OLIVIA MAR PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,555.56	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
MATOUS, KYLE M SHARED EMPLOYEE	6,000.00	500.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
MINKLER, ANN WHITNEY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	8,333.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
MORRISON, LALE M MINORITY ASSOCIATE-HASTINGS	60,000.00	5,000.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
NIXON, NATALIE DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE OPS	111,000.00	9,416.66	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
PARDUE, LAURA ELIZABETH DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	140,000.00	11,822.22	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	
PRICE, MATTHEW H PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,236.11	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	APPOINTMENT 01/02/18	
ROSSI, JANET MARIE SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	70,000.00	5,833.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
SHEPARD, ERIC LANE STAFF ASSISTANT	47,500.00	3,958.33	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018		
SUH, JESSICA JIN STAFF ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,500.00	01/01/2018 to 01/31/2018	P/R CHANGE 01/03/18	