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U.S. House of Representatives

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December 13, 2021

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 November 2021, including:

1. Summary of Progress and projected programs; and
2. Statement of Expenses under Proposed H. Res 316 (117th Congress, 1st Session); and
3. A listing of Committee employees showing addresses, duties, and gross monthly salaries; and
4. A report on travel for November 2021 (none); and
5. List of Detailees (none).

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

Sincerely,

Theodore E. Deutch
Chairman

Enclosures

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

November 2021

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. Notwithstanding the disruption to normal operations resulting from the coronavirus pandemic, the Committee conducted its regular advisory and investigative functions via telework in November 2021. The Committee received 16 requests for advisory opinions in November 2021.

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 36 new travel requests in November 2021 for travel beginning in November or later. In addition, 75 House travelers went on a privately-sponsored, officially connected trip within the month of November 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 November of 2021. 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 November 2021, the Committee issued a summary of its activities for October 2021 directed to the Committee on House Administration. This statement is publicly available on the Committee on House Administration's website.

The Committee released eight public statements in November 2021 regarding Representatives Andrew Clyde, Marjorie Taylor-Greene, Jim Baird, and John Sample. Prior public statements are available on the Committee's website at <https://ethics.house.gov/>.

The Committee released no general advisories in November 2021. 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 2021
 2021:117th Congress 1st Session
 Month: November 2021

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	3,507,696.00	0.00	3,507,696.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,507,696.00
	11 Personnel Compensation	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,357,264.60	2,357,264.60	(2,357,264.60)
	21 Travel	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	225.12	225.12	(225.12)
	23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	28,638.16	28,638.16	(28,638.16)
	24 Printing and Reproduction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,463.00	1,463.00	(1,463.00)
	25 Other Services	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,400.00	2,400.00	(2,400.00)
	26 Supplies and Materials	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	31,980.00	0.00	10,822.56	42,802.56	(42,802.56)
	31 Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46,332.85	46,332.85	(46,332.85)
	Total	3,507,696.00	0.00	3,507,696.00	0.00	31,980.00	0.00	2,447,146.29	2,479,126.29	1,028,569.71
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
11 Personnel Compensation		1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	203,766.60	2,240,627.60
		1104 Accrued Leave	13,573.54	30,711.03
		1106 Bonus	242.00	85,925.97
		Total	217,582.14	2,357,264.60
21 Travel		2130 Private Auto Mileage	0.00	225.12
		Total	0.00	225.12
23 Rent, Communications, Utilities		2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	132.00	1,494.00
		2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	390.00	3,920.00
		2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	2,283.87	22,869.74
		2335 HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	40.00	340.00
		2350 Postage / Courier / Box Rental	0.00	14.42
		Total	2,845.87	28,638.16
EXPEN General Expenditures 24 Printing and Reproduction		2401 Printing & Reproduction	215.00	463.00
		2405 Advertisements	0.00	1,000.00
		Total	215.00	1,463.00
25 Other Services		2571 Technology Service Contracts	0.00	2,400.00
		Total	0.00	2,400.00
		2602 Water	236.14	604.06
26 Supplies and Materials		2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	0.00	905.57
		2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	733.72	2,276.69
		2630 Publications/Reference Mat'l	1,015.02	7,036.24
		Total	1,984.88	10,822.56
31 Equipment		3112 Computer Hardw Purch <\$25,000	0.00	7,921.65
		3115 Computer Softw Purch <\$10,000	0.00	29,486.63
		3118 Maintenance / Repairs	770.00	8,924.57
	Total	770.00	46,332.85	
	Total	223,397.89	2,447,146.29	

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021

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	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
AWONIYI, TONIA SMITH DIR OF ADVICE AND EDUCATION	165,000.00	2,750.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	TERMINATED 11/06/21
BELLWOAR, SYDNEY RACHEL COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
BETHEA, DEBORAH R SR FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE MNGR.	131,000.00	10,916.67	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	
COHAN, MELANIE LYNN STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
FOSTER, JANET MARIA COUNSEL	144,128.00	12,010.67	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
GORANITES, NICHOLAS S STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
HERBERT, DONNA DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION	120,972.00	10,081.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
KORN, GEORGE STEPHEN FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE CLERK	45,711.00	3,809.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
LOGAN, LESLIE JANET STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
MYERS-MUTSCHALL, SARAH P COUNSEL	144,128.00	12,010.67	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
NEDZAR, TAMAR SENIOR COUNSEL	153,737.00	12,811.42	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
PATEL, ROSHAN JAGDISH COUNSEL	126,614.00	10,551.17	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
PESCATORE, BRITTNEY L DIRECTOR OF INVESTIGATIONS	172,500.00	14,375.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
ROSS, CARL EZEKIEL INVESTIGATIVE COUNSEL	144,128.00	12,010.67	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
RUST, THOMAS A STAFF DIRECTOR/CHIEF COUNSEL	183,300.00	15,275.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
SEO, MICHELLE JEAN COUNSEL	134,782.00	11,231.83	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
SLOANS, TONYA NICOLE DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE	161,700.00	13,475.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
STRICKLAND, KELLE A COUNSEL TO THE RANKING MEMBER	172,500.00	14,375.00	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
TAYLOR, CAROLINE FRANCES INVESTIGATIONS CLERK	45,711.00	3,809.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
WAMBOLD, ADAM DAVID PROFESSIONAL STAFF	68,146.00	5,678.83	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21
WILMER, PEYTON S STAFF ASSISTANT	41,007.00	3,417.25	11/01/2021 to 11/30/2021	P/R CHANGE 11/01/21

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
AWONIYI, TONIA SMITH DIR OF ADVICE AND EDUCATION	165,000.00	10,541.67		
SLOANS, TONYA NICOLE DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE	161,700.00	3,031.87		

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - BONUS

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
STRICKLAND, KELLE A COUNSEL TO THE RANKING MEMBER	172,500.00	242.00		

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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	\$203,766.60	21	22
SO000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE	\$13,573.54	0	2
SO000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - BONUS	\$242.00	0	1
SO000	Total	\$217,582.14	21	25

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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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE	\$13,573.54	0	2
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - BONUS	\$242.00	0	1
Total	\$217,582.14	21	25

COMMENTS: (EXCEPTIONS MUST BE LISTED WITHIN THIS BOX)

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