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The Honorable Dan Lungren
Chairman
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Mr. Chairman:

In accordance with the regulation of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith three copies of the monthly report for July, 2011 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,

David Dreier

U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Rules

Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
July

Total Authorization

112-1 \$3,391,985.00

Less Expenses for:

January	2011	\$184,108.22
February		\$217,474.82
March		\$216,845.14
April		\$215,046.69
May		\$232,105.10
June		\$226,986.34
July		\$221,445.22

Total Expenses to Date:**\$1,514,011.53****Unexpended authorization**

\$1,877,973.47

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**Monthly Statement by Paid Date
112-1 July**

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	July	July	
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$211,887.50	\$1,439,064.20	\$1,439,064.20
Overtime Compensation	\$0.00	\$551.67	\$551.67
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$9,744.44	\$9,744.44
11-Non-statutory compensation subtotal	\$211,887.50	\$1,449,360.31	\$1,449,360.31
Private Auto Mileage	\$0.00	\$114.75	\$114.75
21-Travel subtotal	\$0.00	\$114.75	\$114.75
Freight Charges	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
22-Transportation of Things subtotal	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$202.00	\$2,693.00	\$2,693.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$607.25	\$3,566.00	\$3,566.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$2,375.37	\$16,413.37	\$16,413.37
HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$230.00	\$230.00
Postage/Courier/Box rental	\$0.00	\$26.40	\$26.40
Utilities	\$25.00	\$254.98	\$254.98
23- subtotal	\$3,209.62	\$23,183.75	\$23,183.75
Printing & Reproduction	\$250.45	\$588.95	\$588.95
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$184.00	\$184.00
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$250.45	\$772.95	\$772.95
Representational Expenses	\$0.00	\$868.44	\$868.44
Technology Service Contracts	\$1,650.00	\$10,630.00	\$10,630.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$1,650.00	\$11,498.44	\$11,498.44
Bottled Water	\$242.98	\$1,580.09	\$1,580.09
Food and Beverage	\$111.79	\$1,696.44	\$1,696.44
Habitation Expense	\$0.00	\$200.67	\$200.67
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$1,507.67	\$5,748.68	\$5,748.68
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$327.59	\$3,253.45	\$3,253.45
Publications/Reference Material	\$0.00	\$4,045.05	\$4,045.05
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$2,190.03	\$16,524.38	\$16,524.38
Computer Hardware Purchase less than \$25,000	\$1,283.62	\$5,781.20	\$5,781.20
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$875.00	\$6,482.75	\$6,482.75
Warranties	\$99.00	\$268.00	\$268.00
31-Equipment subtotal	\$2,257.62	\$12,531.95	\$12,531.95

Total Expenses

\$221,445.22

\$1,514,011.53

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House Postal Operations Pitney Bowes Management Services

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112th Congress, 1st Session

Mail Accountability Report

July 2011

Date	Quantity	Total Cost
7/21/11	1	\$0.44
TOTAL	1	\$0.44

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Report to House Administration

Summary of Activities

July, 2011

The Committee on Rules held 12 hearings and reported 13 rules during the month of July, 2011.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, July 6, 2011

5:35 P.M.

H.R. 2354 Appropriations

**Energy & Water Development Appropriations
Bill, 2012**

The Committee granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. Under the Rules of the House the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the *Congressional Record*. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Thursday, July 7, 2011

5:05 P.M.

H.R. 1309 Financial Services

Flood Insurance Reform Act of 2011

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a structured rule providing 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 provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Financial Services shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. 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 that the chair of the Committee on Financial Services or his designee may offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in the Rules Committee report not earlier disposed of, which shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services or their designee, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The original proponent of an amendment included in such amendments may insert a statement in the *Congressional Record* immediately before the disposition of the amendments en bloc. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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Tuesday, July 12, 2011

3:55 P.M.

**H.R. 2018 Transportation & Infrastructure Clean Water Cooperative Federalism
Act of 2011**

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8 to 3, a structured rule providing one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. 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 Transportation and Infrastructure shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. 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 Rules Committee report. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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Emergency Meeting

Monday, July 18, 2011

7:15 P.M.

**H.R. 2560 the Budget
Rules**

Cut, Cap, & Balance Act of 2011

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8 to 3, a closed rule providing four hours of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget. 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. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit.

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Tuesday, July 19, 2011

4:45 P.M.

H.R. 2553 Transportation & Infrastructure

**Airport & Airway Extension Act
Of 2011, Part IV**

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8 to 4, a closed rule providing one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. 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. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, July 20, 2011

6:10 P.M.

H.R. 1315 Financial Services

**Consumer Financial Protection Safety and
Soundness Improvement Act of 2011**

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a structured rule providing 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 Rules Committee Print of H.R. 1316 dated July 14, 2011 and provides that the print shall be considered as read. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. 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 Rules Committee report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Finally, the rule directs the Clerk to, in the engrossment of H.R. 1315, add the text of H.R. 830 as passed by the House as a new matter at the end of H.R. 1315.

H.R. 2551 Appropriations

Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2012

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a structured rule providing one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. 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 points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the chair and ranking minority member or their designees may offer pro forma amendments for the purpose of debate at any time. The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. 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. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Thursday, July 21, 2011

4:25 P.M.

H.R. 2584 Appropriations

**Department of the Interior, Environment, and
Related Agencies Appropriations Act, FY 2012**

The Committee granted, by record vote of 7 to 4, an open rule providing one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment printed in Section 2 of the resolution, striking section 427 of the bill, shall be considered as adopted. The rule waives points of order against provision in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. Under the Rules of the House the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph and that the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Member who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Monday, July 25, 2011

3:50 P.M.

H.R. 1938	Transportation & Infrastructure Energy & Commerce Natural Resources	North American-Made Energy Security Act
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The Committee granted, by voice vote, a structured rule providing one hour of general debate with 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by 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 the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Energy and Commerce shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. 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. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, July 26, 2011

8:20 P.M.

**H.R. 2587 Education & the Workforce Protecting Jobs from Government
Interference Act**

The Committee granted, by record vote of 7 to 4, a closed rule providing one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Education and the Workforce. 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 Education and the Workforce now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, July 27, 2011

8:20 P.M.

S. 627 Rules

**Ways & Means
the Budget**

Faster FOIA Act of 2011 (Budget Control Act of 2011)

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8 to 4, a closed rule providing two hours of debate with one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Rules, 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means; and 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in Part A of the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution, modified by the amendment printed in Part B of the report, shall be considered as adopted. The rule provides that 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.

The rule authorizes the Speaker to entertain motions to suspend the rules at any time through Sunday, July 31, 2011 if the measure was made available on the previous legislative day, except measures proposing an amendment to the Constitution, which must be available for three legislative days. The rule provides two hours of debate on a motion to suspend the rules relating to a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution. The rule sets the dates for the convening of the House for the anticipated pro forma sessions during the period from August 1, 2011 through September 6, 2011, and provides that the Speaker may dispense with legislative business for those pro forma sessions and authorizes the Speaker to declare the House adjourned to a time on the next pro forma session day. The rule provides for the approval of the Journal during pro forma sessions from August 1, 2011 through September 6, 2011. The rule provides that days during the period from August 1, 2011 through September 6, 2011 shall not constitute calendar days for purposes of the War Powers Resolution. Finally, the rule provides that the Speaker may delay the referral of introduced measures from August 1, 2011 through September 6, 2011.

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Emergency Meeting

Thursday, July 28, 2011

11:37 P.M.

H.Res. _____ Rules

Waiving 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)

The Committee granted, by a record vote of 8 to 4, a rule waiving 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 certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to any resolution reported through the legislative day of August 2, 2011.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Emergency Meeting

Friday, July 29, 2011

1:24 P.M.

S. 627 Rules
Ways & Means
the Budget

Faster FOIA Act of 2011 (Budget Control Act of 2011)
(Providing for further consideration)

The Committee granted, by a record vote of 8 to 4, a rule providing for further consideration of S. 627. The rule provides that upon adoption of the resolution the amendment printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution shall be considered as adopted.

Report of Travel Performed

**Committee on Rules
112th Congress, 1st Session
July, 2011**

There was no Committee travel during the month of July, 2011.

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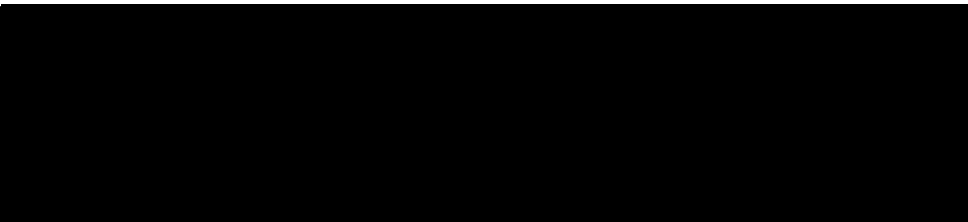
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Position and Job Title
SPECIAL & SELECT 3 (D) PERSONNEL

Employee No.

HALPERN, HUGH NATHANIAL 172,500.00 14,375.00 07/01/11 07/31/11
STAFF DIRECTOR - MAJORITY
JARVIS, ADAM 168,411.00 14,034.25 07/01/11 07/31/11
DEP STAFF DIRECTOR-MAJORITY
LACKEY, MILES 172,400.00 14,366.67 07/01/11 07/31/11
MINORITY STAFF DIRECTOR
SMITH, BRADLEY W 129,089.00 10,757.42 07/01/11 07/31/11
ASSOCIATE STAFF

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE PERSONNEL

ABATE, ANTHONY J 58,000.00 4,833.33 07/01/11 07/31/11
MINORITY PROFESSIONAL STAFF
AGORKIS III, GEORGE J 45,000.00 3,750.00 07/01/11 07/31/11
MINORITY LEGISLATIVE CLERK
ANDRES, DOUGLAS ROBERT 50,000.00 4,166.67 07/01/11 07/31/11
PRESS ASSISTANT
BERG, ADAM M 75,000.00 6,250.00 07/01/11 07/31/11
ASSOCIATE COUNSEL
CALIO, LYDIA EVANS 85,000.00 7,083.33 07/01/11 07/31/11
PROFESSIONAL STAFF
CASTO, TAYLOR L 12,000.00 1,000.00 07/01/11 07/31/11
MINORITY INTERN
CHINN, MONICA K 50,000.00 4,166.67 07/01/11 07/31/11
DEPUTY LEGISLATIVE CLERK
CONROY, KEVIN MARTIN 60,000.00 5,000.00 07/01/11 07/31/11
LEGISLATIVE CLERK



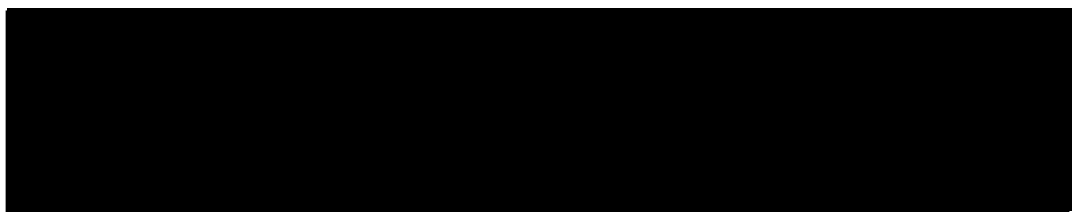
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Employee Name Position and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period From	Period To	Remarks	Employee No.
COOPER-VINGE, DAVID M STAFF ASSISTANT	21,600.00	0.00	07/01/11	07/31/11	TERMINATED 06/30/11	
COTE, STEPHEN M SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	118,000.00	9,833.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
DELANEY, DEBORAH A MINORITY CHIEF CLERK	76,000.00	6,333.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
GORSKI, JENNIFER N SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	115,000.00	9,583.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
KUMAR, ROSALYN MINORITY ASSOCIATE - POLIS	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/11	07/31/11		
LEMAN, RACHAEL D POLICY DIRECTOR - MAJORITY	115,000.00	9,583.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
LENIHAN, KEAGAN ASSOCIATE STAFF-SESSIONS	70,000.00	5,833.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
MAMAUX, LALE M MINORITY ASSOCIATE-HASTINGS	60,000.00	5,000.00	07/01/11	07/31/11		
MANEY, JOHANNA POWERS CASEWORKER/OUTREACH	125,000.00	10,416.67	07/01/11	07/31/11		
MINKEL, SARAH BETH MAJORITY STAFF ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,333.33	07/01/11	07/31/11		
PARDUE, LAURA ELIZABETH ASSOCIATE COUNSEL	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/11	07/31/11		
RENZ, BRANDON ASSOCIATE STAFF-FOXX	51,250.00	4,270.83	07/01/11	07/31/11		
SEN, SHURID K DEPUTY PRESS SECRETARY	42,000.00	3,500.00	07/01/11	07/31/11		
SHEEHAN JR, TIMOTHY MINORITY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	68,000.00	5,666.67	07/01/11	07/31/11		



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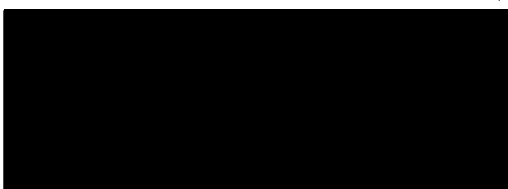
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SISSON, DONALD C MINORITY-LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/11 07/31/11	
STERN, KEITH L MINORITY-SR LEGISLATIVE ASST	60,000.00	5,000.00	07/01/11 07/31/11	
TROLLER, KATHARINE SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	70,000.00	5,833.33	07/01/11 07/31/11	
ULLRICH, THOMAS C DIRECTOR OF IT	75,000.00	6,250.00	07/01/11 07/31/11	
WEST, CELESTE JONES SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	140,000.00	11,666.67	07/01/11 07/31/11	

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Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT 3 (D) PERSONNEL	53,533.34	4	4
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE PERSONNEL	158,354.16	26	26
Total	211,887.50	30	30

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

David Brewer