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March 15, 2019

The Honorable Zoe Lofgren
Chairperson
Committee on House Administration
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairperson Lofgren:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith one copy of the monthly report for February, 2019, including:

- Statement of expenses for the month and year to date;
- Report of travel performed using Committee funds;
- Summary of legislative activities; 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 that reads "James P. McGovern".

James P. McGovern
Chairman

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

Office: 10RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

Authorization Year: 2019
 2019:116th Congress 1stSession
 Month: February 2019

Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed	
EXPEN General Expenditures	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	203,163.87	369,189.43	
		1104 Accrued Leave	3,812.50	3,812.50	
		Total	206,976.37	373,001.93	
	21 Travel	2135 Taxi/Parking/Tolls	16.17	16.17	
		Total	16.17	16.17	
	23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	548.00	548.00
			2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	434.75	434.75
			2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	7,898.80	7,898.80
			Total	8,881.55	8,881.55
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	16.00	16.00
			Total	16.00	16.00
	25 Other Services	2502 Non-Technology Service Contr	2502 Non-Technology Service Contr	4,181.25	4,181.25
			2571 Technology Service Contracts	3,329.00	3,329.00
			2572 Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv	5,174.00	5,189.00
			Total	12,684.25	12,699.25
	26 Supplies and Materials	2602 Water	2602 Water	8.00	8.00
			2603 Food & Beverage	11.01	11.01
			2610 Habitation Expense	766.30	766.30
			2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	2,459.18	2,478.22
			2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	176.70	606.22
			2630 Publications/Reference Mat'l	20.00	3,030.00
	Total	3,441.19	6,899.75		
	31 Equipment	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	540.00	1,080.00
			Total	540.00	1,080.00
	Total			232,555.53	402,594.65
	Total			232,555.53	402,594.65

**Report to House Administration
Report of Disbursements, Year-to-Date**

Committee on Rules
116th Congress, 1st Session
February 2019

Month	Total Expenses
January	\$170,039.12
February	\$232,555.53
TOTAL EXPENSES TO DATE:	\$402,594.65

**Report to House Administration
Report of Travel Performed**

Committee on Rules
116th Congress, 1st Session
February 2019

There was \$16.17 of Committee travel during the month of February, 2019, consisting solely of staff transportation authorized pursuant to the Alternate Ride Home program.

**Report to House Administration
Summary of Activities**

Committee on Rules
116th Congress, 1st Session
February 2019

The Committee on Rules held 4 Meetings and reported 5 special rules during the month of February, 2019.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

4:15 PM

H.R. 840	Committee on Veterans' Affairs	Veterans' Access to Child Care Act
H. Res. 86	Committee on House Administration	Providing amounts for the expenses of the Select Committee on the Climate Crisis and the Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress.

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 840, the Veterans' Access to Child Care Act, and H. Res. 86, Providing amounts for the expenses of the Select Committee on the Climate Crisis and the Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress. Section 1 of the rule provides for consideration of H.R. 840 under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. 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 consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-3 and provides that it shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against that amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in 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.

Section 2 of the rule provides that H. Res. 86, Providing amounts for the expenses of the Select Committee on the Climate Crisis and the Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress, is hereby adopted.

Section 3 of the rule provides that it shall be in order at any time through the legislative day of February 15, 2019, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules as though under clause 1 of rule XV, and that the Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this section.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Monday, February 11, 2019
6:35 PM

H. J. Res 37 Committee on Foreign Affairs Directing the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized by Congress.

The Committee granted, by record vote of 9-3, a structured rule providing for consideration of H. J. Res 37, Directing the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized by Congress. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule makes in order as original text for purpose of amendment the amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-4 and provides that it shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against that amendment in the nature of a substitute.

The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in 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.

Section 2 of the rule waives the requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Committee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the House with respect to any resolution reported through the legislative day of February 17, 2019, relating to a measure making or continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019.

Section 3 of the rule provides that it shall be in order at any time through the calendar day of February 17, 2019, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules as though under clause 1 of rule XV, and that the Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this section.

Section 4 of the rule provides that the chair of the Committee on Appropriations may insert in the Congressional Record not later than February 17, 2019, such material as she may deem explanatory of measures making or continuing appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Thursday, February 14, 2019

6:07 PM

Conference Report to accompany H.J. Res. 31	Committee on Appropriations	Making further continuing appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for fiscal year 2019, and for other purposes. [Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019]
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The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a rule providing for consideration of the Conference Report to accompany H.J. Res. 31, the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019. The rule waives all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. The rule provides that the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervention of any motion except one hour of debate and one motion to recommit if applicable. Debate on the conference report is divided pursuant to clause 8(d) of rule XXII.

Section 2 of the rule provides that on any legislative day during the period from February 15, 2019, through February 22, 2019: 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.

Section 3 of 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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Monday, February 25, 2019

6:57 PM

H.R. 8	Committee on the Judiciary	Bipartisan Background Checks Act of 2019
H.R. 1112	Committee on the Judiciary	Enhanced Background Checks Act of 2019

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a structured rule providing for consideration of H.R. 8, the Bipartisan Background Checks Act of 2019, and H.R. 1112, the Enhanced Background Checks Act of 2019. The rule provides one hour of general debate on the bill 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 makes in order as original text for purpose of amendment an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-5 and provides that it shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against that amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in part A of 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 part A of the report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Section 2 of the rule provides for consideration of H.R. 1112, the Enhanced Background Checks Act of 2019, under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate on the bill 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 116-6 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 those further amendments printed in part B 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 part B of the report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

H.J. Res. 46 Committee on Transportation Relating to a national emergency declared by the
and Infrastructure President on February 15, 2019.

The Committee granted, by record vote of 8-4, a closed rule providing for consideration of H.J. Res. 46, relating to a national emergency declared by the President on February 15, 2019. The rule provides 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 joint resolution. The rule provides that the joint resolution shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the joint resolution. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Finally, the rule provides that the provisions of section 202 of the National Emergencies Act shall not apply during the remainder of the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress to a joint resolution terminating the national emergency declared by the President on February 15, 2019.

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Department: RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
CHAMBERS, KELLY ANNE STAFF DIRECTOR	14,375.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
CORBIN, KIMBERLY S SENIOR HEALTH POLICY ADVISOR	0.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	APPOINTMENT 02/27/19
NIXON, NATALIE DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE OPS	3,958.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
SISSON, DONALD C STAFF DIRECTOR	14,366.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
BONACCORSI, MATTHEW ANTHONY COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT	833.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
BUHL, CYNTHIA MAUREEN SHARED EMPLOYEE	6,666.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
CORLEY, SARAH ANN COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	3,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
DELANEY, ERIC L. PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	7,083.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
DILLER, MATTHEW THOMAS POLICY DIRECTOR	8,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	P/R CHANGE 02/01/19
ERB, CHRISTOPHER J DIRECTOR OF ADMIN AND TECH	11,666.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
FITZELLA, JAMES S PROFESSIONAL STAFF	10,000.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	P/R CHANGE 02/01/19
GILL, HANNAH LUCILLE CLERK	5,000.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
GOHRINGER, JEFFREY EARL COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	8,750.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
GROSS, KARAS ARLIE PATTISON DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	7,625.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	TERMINATED 02/18/19
HESCH, BLAKE ANTHONY INTERN	1,750.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
HODGKINS, CAITLIN ROSE POLICY DIRECTOR	8,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
ISMAIL, LORI JAMIL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	7,083.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	

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LACKEY, JENNIFER CAROL SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	4,666.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	APPOINTMENT 02/19/19
LAUGHLIN, ROSEMARIE OLIVIA MAR PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	7,083.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
LUCE, SHELBY LOUISE INTERN	1,925.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
MARTINEZ, ANA KARINA STAFF ASSISTANT	3,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
MORRISON, LALE M ASSOCIATE-HASTINGS	6,666.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
MUELLER, LAUREN EVE COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT	3,750.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
PARDUE, LAURA ELIZABETH DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	13,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
PERKINS, NATHANIEL MATHIASSEN DIR OF LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS	7,916.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
PRICE, MATTHEW H PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	7,083.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
ROBERTS, DREW MICHAEL STAFF ASSISTANT	3,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
ROSSI, JANET MARIE ASSOCIATE	4,166.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	APPOINTMENT 02/01/19
RUSSELL, SAMANTHA GRACE STAFF ASSISTANT	3,333.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
SHEPARD, ERIC LANE DEPUTY CLERK	4,166.67	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
SUH, JESSICA JIN DEPUTY CLERK	4,583.33	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	
VINCE, DAVID MARTIN COOPER SENIOR TRANSITION ADVSIOR	1,888.89	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	TERMINATED 02/08/19
WASKIEWICZ II, STEPHEN ANDREW SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	4,500.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	APPOINTMENT 02/19/19
YAN, JERRY INTERN	2,275.00	02/01/2019 to 02/28/2019	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE

Employee and Job Title	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
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GROSS, KARAS ARLIE PATTISON	3,812.50		
DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR			