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October 23, 2014

The Honorable Candice Miller
Chairman
Committee on House Administration
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Miller:

In compliance with rules issued by the Committee on House Administration, I am enclosing herewith the following reports:

- (1) Summary for September 2014, of specific studies and investigations;
- (2) Statement of expenses for September 2014, and the Fund Balance Statement;
- (3) Monthly report of travel performed, September 2014, and
- (4) Listing of Committee employees for September 2014, including addresses, titles, and gross monthly salaries.

Copies of the above reports are available in the Committee office for inspection by Members of the Committee.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ed Royce".

Edward R. Royce
Chairman

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SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES

SEPTEMBER 2 – SEPTEMBER 5, 2014

***** MEETINGS, HEARINGS AND MARKUPS *****

None.

***** LEGISLATION REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE *****

Asterisked () Bills Introduced by a Committee Member*

None.

***** EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS *****

EC – Executive Communication; PM – Presidential Message; PT – Petition; ML – Memorial

None.

***** REPORTING REQUIREMENTS *****

Issuance of Licenses for Certain Proposed Export to Iran is Essential to the National Interest of the U.S. August 25, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1606 of the Iran-Iraq Arms Non-Proliferation Act of 1992 (P.L. 102-484).

SBU: Rome, Italy. August 28, 2014. Department of State transmitting report.

H.R. 5235, the Emergency Iron Dome Replenishment Act. August 28, 2014. Congressional Budget Office transmitting report.

Status of Progress of Negotiations on a New Civil Nuclear Cooperation Agreement between the U.S. and the Republic of Korea. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 4 of the Support for U.S. – Republic of Korea Civil Nuclear Cooperation Act.

World-Wide Conflict Mineral Processing Facilities. August 29, 2014. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 1502 (d)(3)(C) of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, P.L. 111-203.

Memorandum of Justification for Action under Section 5(a)(6) of the Iran Sanctions Act to Impose Sanctions on Italy. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant Section 5(a)(6) of the Iran Sanctions Act.

Impose Sanctions on Goldentex FZE. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1244(d)(1) of the Iran Freedom and Counter-Proliferation Act of 2012.

SEC Annual-Quarterly Report. September 2, 2014. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012.

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Category VII – Aircraft and Related Articles. September 2, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 38(f)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2778(f)(1)).

Countries that have Reduced to Zero Purchases of Iranian Crude Oil. September 2, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1245(d)(4)(D) of the NDAA for FY 2012.

FY 2015 Coordinated Audit Plan for Oversight of Foreign Assistance to Combat HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria. September 2, 2014. Department of State, Department of Health and Human Services, and USAID transmitting report.

Military and Security Developments Involving the Russian Federation. September 2, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report in accordance with Section 1254 of the NDAA for FY 2014 (P.L. 113-66).

***** GAO REPORTS *****

GAO-14-719 — EXPORT-IMPORT BANK: Monitoring of Dual-Use Exports Should Be Improved. August 28, 2014.

***** CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS *****

International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INLCE), Economic Support Funds (ESF), Peacekeeping Operations (PKO), Economic Support Funds- Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO), Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO), Africa Regional Economic Support Funds (ESF), Nonproliferation, Antiterrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR), Foreign Military Financing (FMF), Countering Terrorism (CT), Antiterrorism Assistance (ATA), Partnership for Regional East Africa Counterterrorism (PRACT), Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership (TSCTP), Democracy Fund (DF) Pakistan Counterinsurgency Capability Funding (PCCF)

\$5,000,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated for Mongolia. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

\$2,500,000 FY 2014 GHP funds obligated to Papua New Guinea. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

\$4,000,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated for Thailand. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #14-250 — \$455,593 FY 2013 NADR obligated to support Conventional Weapons Destruction programs. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-251 — \$45,190,000 FY 2012 PCCF reprogrammed to provide support to enhance military capabilities of Pakistan. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-252 — \$983,000 FY 2013 IMET funds obligated to support IMET programs in Egypt. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-253 — \$2,840,239 FY 2013 International Organizations and Programs funds reprogrammed to be used for voluntary contributions to international organizations. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

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CN #14-254 — Intends to reprogram funds within the Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance account. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-255 — \$580,476 FY 2014 PKO reprogrammed to support Guinea. \$300,000 FY 2014 PKO reprogrammed to support activities in Somalia. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-256 — \$639.9 million FY 2013 Diplomatic and Consular Program appropriations for OCO to Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance appropriations for OCO. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-257 — \$250,000 FY 2008 PKO funds obligated to assist with the Ebola crisis in Sierra Leone. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #14-258 — \$247,750,000 FY 2014 International Organizations and Programs funds obligated to be used for voluntary contributions to international organizations and programs. August 29, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #3 — USAID intends to award an Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) to provide infrastructure services, including engineering design, construction supervision, and related support. This IDIQ is intended to provide design and oversight support to another proposed IDIQ that will provide construction services worldwide, which will be notified shortly.

CN #198 — \$48,000,000 FY 2014 GHP and \$19,000,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated to India. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #199 — \$9,000,000 FY 2014 GHP and 39,039,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated for Regional Development missions in Asia. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #200 — \$750,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated to Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #201 — \$319,400,000 FY 2014 DA funds obligated for the Bureau for Food Security. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #202 — \$34,180,781 for Development Credit Authority (DCA) credit guarantee projects to support developmentally significant and productive sectors. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #203 — \$134,500,000 FY 2014 Department of State/Bureau for Population, Refugees, and Migration obligated to Colombia to the Economic Support Fund. 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #204 — \$1,500,000 FY 2013 DA funds obligated to Haiti for Civil Society programs. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #205 — \$1,500,000 FY 2013 DA funds obligated to Haiti to address ongoing human rights abuses, including sexual abuse, sexual exploitation, intimate partner violence, and gender-based violence (GBV) in Haiti. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

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CN #206 — \$3,500,000 FY 2014 GHP and \$13,000,000 FY 2014 DA obligated to the South America Regional program. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #207 — \$10,000,000 FY 2014 ESF obligated to ESF Governing Justly and Democratically programs for Libya. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #208 — \$2,000,000 FY 2013 ESF-OCO funds obligated for Peace and Security programs in Syria. September 2, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

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SEPTEMBER 8 – SEPTEMBER 12, 2014

***** MEETINGS, HEARINGS AND MARKUPS *****

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2014

10:00 A.M. **Joint Hearing: “ Hamas’ Benefactors: A Network of Terror ”**
Subcommittee on the Middle East and North Africa, Chairman Ileana Ros Lehtinen and the Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade, Chairman Ted Poe

WITNESSES:
Jonathan Schanzer, Ph.D.
Vice President for Research
Foundation for Defense of Democracies

Mr. Avi Jorisch
Senior Fellow for Counterterrorism
American Foreign Policy Council

Steven A. Cook, Ph.D.
Hasib J. Sabbagh Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Studies
Council on Foreign Relations

2:00 P.M. **Markup of: H.R. 4377**
Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, Chairman Steve Chabot

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2014

10:00 A.M. Hearing: “ Libya’s Descent ”
Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

WITNESS:
The Honorable Gerald Feierstein
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary
Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs
U.S. Department of State

2:00 P.M. **Joint Hearing: “ Genocidal Attacks Against Christian and Other Religious Minorities in Syria and Iraq ”**
Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations, Chairman Christopher H. Smith
Subcommittee on the Middle East and North Africa, Chairman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen

WITNESSES:

Panel I

The Honorable Tom Malinowski
Assistant Secretary
Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor
U.S. Department of State

The Honorable Anne Richard
Assistant Secretary
Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration
U.S. Department of State

Mr. Thomas Staal
Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator
Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance
U.S. Agency for International Development

Panel II

His Excellency Ibrahim N. Ibrahim
Bishop Emeritus
Chaldean Eparchy of St. Thomas the Apostle

The Honorable Peter Galbraith
(Former Advisor to the Kurdistan Regional Government)

Her Excellency Pascale Esho Warda
President
Hammurabi Human Rights Organization
(Former Minister of Immigration and Refugees in the Iraqi Government)

Thomas Farr, Ph.D.
Director, Religious Freedom Project
Berkley Center for Religion, Peace, and World Affairs
Georgetown University

***** LEGISLATION REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE *****

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***H.R.5406** – “To authorize the revocation or denial of passports and passport cards to individuals affiliated with foreign terrorist organizations, and for other purposes.”
Sponsored by Rep. Ted Poe

H.R.5408 – “To amend section 349(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act to add certain acts of allegiance to a foreign terrorist organization to the list of acts for which nationals of the United States lose nationality, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Michele Bachmann

H.R.5415 – “To authorize the use of military force against international terrorism.”
Sponsored by Rep. Frank R. Wolf

H.R.5416 – “To repeal the War Powers Resolution and to provide for proper war powers consultation, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Frank R Wolf

H.J.RES.123 – “To authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL).” Sponsored by Rep. Darrell E. Issa

H.RES.714 – “Reaffirming the peaceful and collaborative resolution of maritime and jurisdictional disputes in the South China Sea and the East China Sea as provided for by universally recognized principles of international law, and reaffirming the strong support of the United States Government for freedom of navigation and other internationally lawful uses of sea and airspace in the Asia-Pacific region.” Sponsored by Rep. Eni F. H. Faleomavaega

H.RES.716 – “Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President that the Canadian Government does not permanently store nuclear waste in the Great Lakes Basin.” Sponsored by Rep. Daniel T Kildee

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H.RES.718 – “Calling on the Department of Defense to expedite the delivery of all necessary military equipment, weapons, ammunition, and other needed materials to the Kurdish Peshmerga forces to successfully combat and defeat the Islamic State of Iraq and al-Sham (ISIS).” Sponsored by Rep. David Schweikert

SEPTEMBER 9, 2014

H.R.5431 – “To impose sanctions on foreign financial institutions that engage in certain transactions with the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Michael G. Fitzpatrick

***H.R.5433** – “To prohibit certain assistance to the Palestinian Authority.” Sponsored by Rep. Steve Stockman

SEPTEMBER 11, 2014

H.CON.RES.114 – “Urging Congress to debate and vote on a statutory authorization for any sustained United States combat role in Iraq or Syria.” Sponsored by Rep. Raul M. Grijalva

H.RES.720 – “Expressing the condolences of the House of Representatives to the families of James Foley and Steven Sotloff, and condemning the terrorist acts of the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant.” Sponsored by Rep. Carol Shea-Porter

***** EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS *****

EC – Executive Communication; PM – Presidential Message; PT – Petition; ML – Memorial

PT #96 — By the Speaker: A petition of the Township of Mine Hill, New Jersey, relative to Resolution No. 102-14 urging the President to utilize the full powers and authorities of his office to immediately secure the release of Marine Sergeant Andrew Tahmooressi from Mexican custody. September 11, 2014. U.S. House of Representatives Speaker of the House transmitting communication.

PT #97 — By the Speaker: A petition of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Cape May, New Jersey, relative to Resolution No. 613-14 urging the President to utilize the full powers and authorities of his office to immediately secure the release of Marine Sergeant Andrew Tahmooressi from Mexican custody. September 11, 2014. U.S. House of Representatives Speaker of the House transmitting communication.

PM #145 – Continuation Of The National Emergency With Respect to Export Control Regulations (H. Doc. 113-145). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a continuation of the national emergency regarding export control regulations, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d).

PM #146 – Notification Of The U.S. Supporting An Operation To Deliver Humanitarian Assistance (H. Doc. 113-146). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification of the U. S. supporting an operation to deliver humanitarian assistance to civilians in the town of Amirli, Iraq.

PM #147 – Notification Of Targeted Airstrikes In Iraq (H. Doc. 113-147). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification of an authorization of targeted airstrikes in Iraq.

PM #148 – Notification Of Targeted Airstrikes In Iraq (H. Doc. 113-148). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification of U. S. Armed Forces conducting targeted airstrikes in Iraq to protect American personnel.

PM #149 – Notification of Further Targeted Airstrikes In Iraq (H. Doc. 113-149). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification of further targeted airstrikes to recapture the Mosul Dam.

PM #150 – Continuation Of The National Emergency With Respect To Certain Terrorist Attacks (H. Doc. 113-150). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification that the national emergency with respect to certain terrorist attacks is to continue for one year beyond September 14, 2014, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d).

PM #151 – Deployment Of U.S. Military Personnel In Iraq (H. Doc. 113-151). September 8, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting communication that a notification of a deployment of up to approximately 350 additional U.S. military personnel in Iraq.