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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 April, 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 "Pete Sessions".

Pete Sessions

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

Office: 10RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

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

Disbursed Summary

Program	Object Class	Budget Object Class	MTD Disbursed	YTD Disbursed
	11 Personnel Compensation	1101 Non-Statutory Compensation	191,869.47	735,166.19
		Total	191,869.47	735,166.19
	23 Rent, Communications, Utilities	2320 DC Telecom Equip (TRANSFER)	76.00	338.50
		2321 DC Telecom Serv (TRANSFER)	427.00	1,281.00
		2322 DC Telecom Tolls (TRANSFER)	4,853.54	16,923.46
		Total	5,356.54	18,542.96
	24 Printing and Reproduction	2401 Printing & Reproduction	40.00	109.90
		2403 Photographic (TRANSFER)	0.00	12.80
		Total	40.00	122.70
EXPEN General Expenditures	25 Other Services	2571 Technology Service Contracts	17,346.00	23,409.00
		2572 Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv	10,500.00	10,500.00
		Total	27,846.00	33,909.00
	26 Supplies and Materials	2602 Water	2,188.00	2,204.00
		2603 Food & Beverage	667.03	685.00
		2620 Office Supplies (Outside)	52.00	1,313.60
		2621 Office Supply (TRANSFER)	257.04	880.66
		2630 Publications/Reference Mat'l	1,010.27	1,383.90
		Total	4,174.34	6,467.16
	31 Equipment	3118 Maintenance / Repairs	101.00	832.00
		Total	101.00	832.00
	Total		229,387.35	795,040.01
AE200 Official Mail	FM Franked Mail	2352 Franked Mail	0.00	6.51
		Total	0.00	6.51
Total			229,387.35	795,046.52

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COMMITTEE ON RULES

FUND BALANCE STATE BY PAID DATE
APRIL

TOTAL AUTHORIZATION 115-2	\$ 3,130,281.10
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LESS EXPENSES FOR:

JANUAR 2018	\$ 171,445.07
FEBRUARY	\$ 195,266.32
MARCH	\$ 198,947.78
APRIL	\$ 229,387.35

TOTAL EXPENSES TO DATE:	\$ 795,046.52
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**Fund Balance Statement
Franked Mail**

Committee on Rules
115th Congress, 2nd Session
Full Committee
April, 2018

Total Authorization for Full Committee		\$ 5,000.00
Less - Expenses,	January	0.00
	February	5.61
	March	0.00
	April	0.00

Total Committee expenses to date		\$ 6.51

Ending Balance:		\$ 4993.49
4/30/2018		-----

Report of Travel Performed

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

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

**Report to House Administration
Summary of Activities**

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

The Committee on Rules held 3 Meetings and reported 4 Rules during the month of April, 2018.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, April 10, 2018
6:15 PM

H.R. 4790

Committee on
Financial Services

Volcker Rule Regulatory Harmonization Act

The Committee granted, by record vote of 9-3, a closed rule that provides for the consideration of H.R. 4790. 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 an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-67 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.

In section 2, the rule provides that it shall be in order at any time on the legislative day of April 12, 2018, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules relating to H.J. Res. 2, proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States. The rule provides that debate on such a motion shall be extended to four hours. The rule provides that the Chair may postpone further consideration of such a motion to a time designated by the Speaker.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Monday, April 16, 2018
6:13 PM

H.R. 5192 Committee on Ways Protecting Children from Identity Theft Act
and Means

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a closed rule that provides for the consideration of H.R. 5192. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. 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 115-68 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. 5444 Committee on Ways Taxpayer First Act
and Means

H.R. 5445 Committee on Ways 21st Century IRS Act
and Means

The Committee granted, by voice vote, a closed rule that provides for the consideration of H.R. 5444 and H.R. 5445. The rule provides one hour of debate on each bill equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of each bill. The rule provides that the respective amendments in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in each bill shall be considered as adopted and each bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in each bill, as amended. The rule provides each bill one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

The rule directs the Clerk to, in the engrossment of H.R. 5444, add the text of H.R. 2901, H.R. 5437, H.R. 5438, H.R. 5439, H.R. 5440, H.R. 5443, H.R. 5445, and H.R. 5446, as passed by the House, as a new matter at the end of H.R. 5444 and make technical and conforming modifications in the engrossment. The rule provides that upon the addition of H.R. 2901, H.R. 5437, H.R. 5438, H.R. 5439, H.R. 5440, H.R. 5443, H.R. 5445, and H.R. 5446, as passed by the House, to the engrossment of H.R. 5444, H.R. 2901, H.R. 5437, H.R. 5438, H.R. 5439, H.R. 5440, H.R. 5443, H.R. 5445, and H.R. 5446 shall be laid on the table.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, April 24, 2018
9:18 PM

H.R. 4	Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure	FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018
H.R. 3144	Committee on Natural Resources	To provide for operations of the Federal Columbia River Power System pursuant to a certain operation plan for a specified period of time, and for other purposes

The Committee granted, by record vote of 7-3, a structured rule that provides for the consideration of H.R. 4. The rule provides 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 bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in part A of the Rules Committee report and amendments en bloc described in subsection (e) of the rule. Provides that the amendments printed in part A of the report 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 or against amendments en bloc as described in subsection (e) of the rule. The rule provides that the chairman of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure or his designee may offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in part A of the report not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure or their designees, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

In section 2, the rule provides for the consideration of H.R. 3144 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 Natural Resources. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that 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.

In section 3, the rule provides that on any legislative day during the period from April 30, 2018, through May 4, 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.

Finally, in section 4, 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 3.

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018

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	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
SISSON, DONALD C MINORITY STAFF DIRECTOR	172,400.00	14,366.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		

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	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
BOOTHE, CAROLINE STERLING COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	125,000.00	10,416.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
BUHL, CYNTHIA MAUREEN SHARED STAFF	60,000.00	5,000.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
DAVIS, ALEXANDER H PROFESSIONAL STAFF	105,000.00	8,750.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
DELANEY, ERIC L. PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,416.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
ERB, CHRISTOPHER J DIRECTOR OF ADMIN AND TECH	140,000.00	11,666.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
ETHINGTON, RYAN G SHARED EMPLOYEE	20,000.00	1,666.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
FITZELLA, JAMES S PROFESSIONAL STAFF	95,000.00	7,916.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018	P/R CHANGE 04/01/18	
FLEMING, PARKER BATES STAFF ASSISTANT	45,000.00	3,750.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
GILL, HANNAH LUCILLE CLERK	60,000.00	5,000.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018	P/R CHANGE 04/01/18	
GOHRINGER, JEFFREY EARL COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	90,000.00	5,625.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018	P/R CHANGE 04/16/18	
GROSS, KARAS ARLIE PATTISON DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	152,500.00	12,708.33	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
HUBBARD, KEVIN O POLICY DIRECTOR	124,200.00	10,350.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
ISMAIL, LORI JAMIL PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,416.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
LAUGHLIN, ROSEMARIE OLIVIA MAR PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,416.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		

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MATOUS, KYLE M SHARED EMPLOYEE	6,000.00	500.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
MINKLER, ANN WHITNEY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	8,333.33	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
MOHAIDEEN, LEILA JAHAN COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT	17,500.00	729.17	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018	TERMINATED 04/15/18	
MORRISON, LALE M MINORITY ASSOCIATE-HASTINGS	60,000.00	5,000.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
MUELLER, LAUREN EVE COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANT	35,000.00	2,187.50	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018	P/R CHANGE 04/16/18	
NIXON, NATALIE DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE OPS	111,000.00	9,250.00	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
PARDUE, LAURA ELIZABETH DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	140,000.00	11,666.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
PIATT, AUSTIN W STAFF ASSISTANT	40,000.00	1,777.78	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
PRICE, MATTHEW H PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	65,000.00	5,416.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
ROSSI, JANET MARIE SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	70,000.00	5,833.33	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
SHEPARD, ERIC LANE DEPUTY CLERK	50,000.00	4,166.67	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		
SUH, JESSICA JIN STAFF ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,333.33	04/01/2018 to 04/30/2018		