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July 21, 2014

The Honorable Candice Miller
Chairman
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mrs. Chairman:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith one copy of the monthly report for June, 2014 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,

Pete Sessions

U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Rules

Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
June

Total Authorization

113-2 \$2,885,982.00

Less Expenses for:

January	2014	\$190,608.43
February		\$211,884.47
March		\$221,374.54
April		\$205,593.89
May		\$213,228.03
June		\$206,233.00

Total Expenses to Date: **\$1,248,922.36**

Unexpended authorization **\$1,637,059.64**

House of Representatives,
Committee on Rules
Full Committee
Fund Balance Statement
June, 2014

Total Authorization for Full Committee		5,000.00
Less - Expenses,		
	January	0.93
	February	0.00
	March	0.00
	April	0.00
	May	0.00
	June	0.00

Total Committee expenses to date		0.93

Ending Balance:		4,999.07
06/30/14		-----

Report of Travel Performed

**Committee on Rules
113th Congress, 2nd Session
June, 2014**

There was no committee travel during the month of June, 2014.

COMMITTEE ON RULES

Report to House Administration

Summary of Activities

June, 2014

The Committee on Rules held 5 hearings, 1 Sub-Committee hearing, and reported 5 rules during the month of June, 2014.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, June 10, 2014

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H.R. 4800	Appropriations	Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2015
H.R. 4457	Ways and Means	America's Small Business Tax Relief Act of 2014
H.R. 4453	Ways and Means	Permanent S Corporation Built-in Gains Recognition Period Act of 2014

The Committee granted, by record vote of 7-4, a modified-open rule for H.R. 4800. The rule provides 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 points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. The rule provides that after general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. During consideration of the bill for amendment: (1) amendments shall be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent and shall not be subject to amendment; and (2) no pro forma amendment shall be in order except that the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees may offer up to 10 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate. The rule provides that, under the rules of the House, the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Additionally, the rule provides a closed rule for H.R. 4457. 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 the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means, as modified by the amendment printed in 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.

Lastly, the rule provides a closed rule for H.R. 4453. 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 113-46 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.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, June 17, 2014

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H.R. 4870 Appropriations Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2015
Senate
amendments Veterans' Veterans' Access to Care through Choice, Accountability, and
to H.R. 3230 Affairs Transparency Act of 2014

The Committee granted by record vote of 9-3 a modified-open rule for H.R. 4870. The rule provides 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 points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. The rule provides that after general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. During consideration of the bill for amendment: (1) amendments shall be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent and shall not be subject to amendment; and (2) no pro forma amendment shall be in order except that the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees may offer up to 10 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate. The rule provides that under the Rules of the House the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

In section 2, the rule provides for the consideration of the Senate amendments to H.R. 3230. The rule makes in order a single motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs or his designee that the House concur in the Senate title amendment and concur in the Senate amendment to the text with the amendment printed in the Rules Committee report. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion; provides that the motion is not subject to a demand for division of the question; and provides that the motion is not subject to a question of consideration. The rule provides that the Senate amendments and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. The rule provides that if the motion is adopted, the chair of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs or his designee is then authorized to move that the House insist on its amendment to the Senate amendment to the text and request a conference with the Senate thereon.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Wednesday, June 18, 2014

4:10 PM

H.R. 4413 Agriculture Customer Protection and End User Relief Act

The Committee granted by record vote of 8-2 a structured rule for H.R. 4413. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Agriculture. 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 113-47 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.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Monday, June 23, 2014

6:40 PM

H.R. 6	Energy and Commerce	Domestic Prosperity and Global Freedom Act
H.R. 3301	Energy and Commerce	North American Energy Infrastructure Act

The Committee granted by voice vote a structured rule for H.R. 6. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce. 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 113-48 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 part A 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 A of the report. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

The rule also grants a structured rule for H.R. 3301. 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 an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 113-49 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 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.

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NOTICE OF ACTION

Tuesday, June 24, 2014

4:36 PM

H.R. 4923	Appropriations	Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2015
H.R. 4899	Natural Resources	Lowering Gasoline Prices to Fuel an America That Works Act of 2014

The Committee granted by record vote of 9-3 a structured rule for H.R. 4899. The rule provides one hour of general 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 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 113-50 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.

Additionally, the rule grants a modified-open rule for H.R. 4923. The rule provides 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 points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI. The rule provides that after general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. During consideration of the bill for amendment: (1) amendments shall be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent and shall not be subject to amendment; and (2) no pro forma amendments shall be in order except that the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees may offer up to 10 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate. The rule provides that under the rules of the House the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. 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 June 27, 2014, through July 7, 2014: 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.

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.

In section 5, the rule provides for consideration of concurrent resolutions providing for adjournment during the month of July.

In section 6, the rule provides that the Committee on Appropriations may, at any time before 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 3, 2014, file privileged reports to accompany measures making appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015.

U.S. House of Representatives

PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014

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
FRENCH, CHARLES T DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR, MAJ	153,000.00	12,750.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
HALPERN, HUGH NATHANIAL STAFF DIRECTOR - MAJORITY	172,500.00	14,375.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
LACKEY, MILES MINORITY STAFF DIRECTOR	172,400.00	14,366.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ABATE, ANTHONY J MINORITY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	72,000.00	6,000.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
ADAMS, CARRIE ELIZABETH SPEECHWRITER & DIGITAL DIR	12,000.00	1,000.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
AGURKIS III, GEORGE J MINORITY LEGISLATIVE CLERK	63,000.00	5,250.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
ANDRES, DOUGLAS ROBERT COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	105,000.00	8,020.83	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	P/R CHANGE 06/16/14
BELIVE, LAUREN MINORITY POLICY DIRECTOR	90,000.00	7,500.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
BERG, ADAM M MINORITY COUNSEL	105,000.00	8,750.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
BJORKMAN, NEIL G POLICY COUNSEL	56,000.00	4,666.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
BLAKE, NATHAN M PROFESSIONAL STAFF	93,000.00	7,750.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
CHINN, MONICA K CHIEF LEGISLATIVE CLERK	75,000.00	6,250.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
COOPER-VINCE, DAVID M MINORITY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	60,000.00	5,000.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
COTE, STEPHEN M SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	148,000.00	12,333.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
COUSINS, ROBERT L POLICY DIRECTOR	118,000.00	9,833.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
DAVIS, ALEXANDER H LEGISLATIVE CLERK	46,000.00	3,833.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
DELANEY, DEBORAH A MINORITY CHIEF CLERK	89,000.00	7,416.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	

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ERB, CHRISTOPHER J DIRECTOR OF ADMIN AND TECH	98,000.00	8,166.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
LEWIS, THOMAS SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	70,000.00	5,833.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
MILLER, VICTORIA BRYANT COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	118,000.00	4,916.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	TERMINATED 06/15/14
MORELAND, EDWARD E INTERN	18,000.00	1,600.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
MORRISON, LALE M MINORITY ASSOCIATE-HASTINGS	60,000.00	5,000.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
NAPIER, BENJAMIN W STAFF ASSISTANT	39,000.00	3,250.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
PATTISON, KARAS PROFESSIONAL STAFF	98,000.00	8,166.67	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
RENZ, BRANDON ASSOCIATE STAFF-FOX	51,250.00	4,270.83	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
ROSSI, JANET MARIE SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIRECTOR	70,000.00	5,833.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
SISSON, DONALD C DEPUTY STAFF DIR OF FLOOR OPS	115,000.00	9,583.33	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
STERN, KEITH L MINORITY-SR LEGISLATIVE ASST	60,000.00	5,000.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	
WALKER, ERIC M PRESS SECRETARY	13,500.00	1,125.00	06/01/2014 to 06/30/2014	

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Department: RU000 COMMITTEE ON RULES

Department	Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
RU000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	\$41,491.67	3	3
RU000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	\$156,349.99	25	26
RU000	Total	\$197,841.66	28	29

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.


