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February 25, 2016

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 January 2016 of specific studies and investigations;
- (2) Statement of expenses for January 2016, and the Fund Balance Statement;
- (3) Monthly report of domestic travel performed for January 2016, and
- (4) Listing of Committee employees for January 2016, their titles, and their 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 that reads "Ed Royce".

Edward R. Royce
Chairman

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS
SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES
 JANUARY 4 – JANUARY 8, 2016

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

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 2016

10:00 a.m. **Members Only Meeting with Ambassador James Warlick, U.S. Special Envoy to the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Minsk Group**
 Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2016

10:00 a.m. **Markup of: H.R. 4314**, Counterterrorism Screening and Assistance Act of 2015; **H.R. 3662**, Iran Terror Finance Transparency Act; and **H.R. 1797**, End Neglected Tropical Diseases Act.
 Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

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

Asterisked () Bills Introduced by a Committee Member*

H.R.4314* – “To require a plan to combat international travel by terrorists and foreign fighters, accelerate the transfer of certain border security systems to foreign partner governments, establish minimum international border security standards, authorize the suspension of foreign assistance to countries not making significant efforts to comply with such minimum standards, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Lee M. Zeldin

H.R.4333 – “To authorize expedited consideration of sanctions in the event that the Government of Iran commits acts of terror or uses ballistic missile technology in violation of international law.” Sponsored by Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy, III

H.R.4342 – “To impose sanctions on persons that transfer to or from Iran advanced conventional weapons or ballistic missiles, or technology, parts, components, or technical information related to advanced conventional weapons or ballistic missiles.” Sponsored by Rep. John K. Delaney

H.R.4344 – “To require a report on the military dimensions of Iran’s nuclear program and to prohibit the provision of sanctions relief to Iran until Iran has verifiably ended all military dimensions of its nuclear program, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Mike Pompeo

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

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

EC #3844 — A notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer and Acceptance to Lithuania, Transmittal No. 16-11, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b)(1); Public Law 90-629, Sec. 36(b) (as amended by Public Law 106-113, Sec. 1000(a)(7)); (113 Stat. 536). January 5, 2016. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting communication.

EC #3845 — A notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Australia, Transmittal No. 16-10, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b)(1); Public Law 90-629, Sec. 36(b) (as amended by Public Law 106-113, Sec. 1000(a)(7)); (113 Stat. 536). January 5, 2016. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting communication.

EC #3846 — A six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to terrorists who threaten to disrupt the Middle East peace process that was declared in Executive Order 12947 of January 23, 1995, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec. 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627). January 5, 2016. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

EC #3847 — A six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to North Korea that was declared in Executive Order 13466 of June 26, 2008, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec. 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627). January 5, 2015. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

EC #3848 — A six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the Western Balkans that was declared in Executive Order 13219 of June 26, 2001, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec. 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627). January 5, 2016. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

PT #40 — By the Speaker: A petition of Attorneys General of West Virginia and Texas, relative to the 2015 United Nations Climate Change Conference in Paris. January 6, 2016.

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

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 12/25

FY 2014 Biodiversity Conservation and Forestry Programs Report. *Hard copy only.* December 16, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to Section 118 of the Foreign Assistance Act.

Rule to Amend Export Administration Regulations: Entity List. December 22, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 15(c) of the Export Administration Act.

Rule to Amend Export Administration Regulations: BIS Published Guidance. December 22, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 15(c) of the Export Administration Act.

USAID Child Blindness Program. December 22, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to the Senate Appropriations Committee FY 2015 Report.

FY 2015 Transition Initiatives Account Annual Report. December 28, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to the Transition Initiatives section of the Department of State, Foreign Relations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2015.

Response to GAO Report: HAITI RECONSTRUCTION: USAID Has Achieved Mixed Results and Should Enhance Sustainability Planning (GAO-15-517). December 28, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to Chapter 7 Title 31.

Response to GAO Report: INTERNATIONAL FOOD ASSISTANCE: USAID Should Systematically Assess the Effectiveness of Key Conditional Food Aid Activities (GAO-15-732). December 28, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to Chapter 7 Title 31.

Response to GAO Report: NONIMMIGRANT VISAS: State Has Reduced Applicant Interview Wait Times, but Long-Term Sustainability of Gains is Uncertain (GAO-15-773). December 29, 2015. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Chapter 7 Title 31.

U.S. Trade and Development Agency 2015 Annual Report. December 31, 2015. Trade and Development Agency transmitting report.

Air Force Addendum to FY 2016 and FY 2016 Reports on the Plan for the Nuclear Weapons Stockpile, Nuclear Weapons Complex, Nuclear Weapons Delivery Systems, and Nuclear Weapons Command and Control System. January 4, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to Section 1043 of the FY 2012 National Defense Authorization Act.

Status of Post-Earthquake Recovery and Development Efforts in Haiti. *Hard copy only.* January 5, 2015. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Sec. 5(a) of The Assessing Progress in Haiti Act of 2014.

Real Estate Transactions Quarterly Report. January 6, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to the Conference Report accompanying H.R. 3610, the 1997 Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act.

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

None.

***** 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) International Military Education and Training (IMET), Development Credit Authority (DCA)

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 12/25

Notification that the Department of Defense did not obligate any of the \$5,000,000 authorized for the Afghanistan Reintegration Program in FY 2015. There are no requirements for ARP in FY 2016. December 15, 2015. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of excess personal gear, clothing, and equipment to Israel under the Excess Defense Articles program estimated to cost \$26,149,188. December 16, 2015. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of State Partnership Program engagement activities involving the security forces or other government organizations whose primary functions include disaster response or emergency response of a foreign country are in the national interests of the United States. December 23, 2015.

Certification that appropriate and adequate steps have been taken to ensure appropriate security of the construction project at the United States Embassy in La Paz, Bolivia. December 24, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification of intent to obligate up to \$750,000 to facilitate the development and implementation of a Millennium Challenge Compact with the Government of Senegal. December 30, 2015. Millennium Challenge Corporation transmitting notification.

Notification of intent to obligate up to \$750,000 to facilitate the development and implementation of a Millennium Challenge Compact with the Government of Morocco. December 30, 2015. Millennium Challenge Corporation transmitting notification.

CN #15-333 — \$700,000 FY 2011 ESF funds obligated to support science and technology cooperation between the U.S. and Tunisia, including support for innovation. January 4, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-001 — \$30,231,000 FY 2015 NADR funds obligated to support law enforcement training assistance to counter the threat of terrorism and reduce support for terrorist activities in Afghanistan, Bahrain, Lebanon, and Pakistan. January 6, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

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CN #16-002— \$185,000 FY 2011 PLO funds (originally obligated in CN #10-294) obligated to support the DRC and counter poaching. Additional notification of intent to change program content of FY 2015 PKO funds, originally notified in CN #15-091 to counter poaching efforts in Chad. January 6, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-003— \$21,934,000 FY 2015 ESF funds obligated to support EAP regional programs. January 6, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-004— \$4,366,000 FY 2015 ICNLE funds obligated to support law enforcement, counternarcotics, transnational crime and rule of law programs, projects and activities in Uzbekistan, as well as Central Asia Regional. January 6, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-005— Notification of intent to obligate \$99,113,000 D&CP funds designated for Worldwide Security Protection appropriated by the FY 2016 Act for construction of venues at Fort Pickett for the Foreign Affairs Security Training Center. January 6, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Certification that appropriate and adequate steps have been taken to ensure appropriate security of the construction project at the United States Embassy in Managua, Nicaragua. January 4, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$10,000,000 obligated to Georgetown University to support the FY2016 English Language Fellow and Specialist Program. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$200,000 obligated to World Learning to support the Jóvenes en Acción program. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$239,973 obligated to The CSU, Chico Research Foundation to conduct of Study of the U.S. Institute for Secondary Educators. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$255,000 obligated to the Corporation of Saint Mary's College to conduct a study of the U.S. Institute for Secondary Educators. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$236,247 obligated to the Foundation for International Understanding Through Students to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Student Leaders on Journalism and New Media. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$1,200,000 obligated to the Institute for Training and Development to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders on U.S. History and Government. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$279,047 obligated to the Regents of the University of California, Santa Barbara to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Scholars on Religious Pluralism in the United States. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

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ECA Grant Notification: \$239,998 obligated to Southern Illinois University-Carbondale to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Student Leaders on Local, State, and Federal Public Policymaking. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$235,000 obligated to the University of Delaware to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Student Leaders on Women's Leadership. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$279,934 obligated to the University of Louisville Research Foundation, Inc. to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Scholars on Contemporary American Literature. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$279,991 obligated to the University of Massachusetts Donahue Institute to conduct a Study for the U.S. Institute for Scholars on U.S. Political Thought. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$239,750 obligated to the University of Montana to conduct a Study of the U.S. Institute for Secondary Educators. January 5, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Transmittal No. 15-65: Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Oman for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$51,000,000. January 6, 2015. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Transmittal No. 15-64: Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Iraq for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$800,000,000. January 6, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of U.S. African Development Foundation grant awards. January 6, 2015. African Development Foundation transmitting notification.

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JANUARY 11 – JANUARY 15, 2016

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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2016

- 12:30 p.m. **Member Meeting with His Majesty King Abdullah II ibn Al-Hussein of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan**
Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce
- 2:15 p.m. **Markup of: H.Res.339**, “Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the 25th anniversary of democracy in Mongolia;” **H.Res.343**, “Expressing concern regarding persistent and credible reports of systematic, state-sanctioned organ harvesting from non-consenting prisoners of conscience in the People’s Republic of China, including from large numbers of Falun Gong practitioners and members of other religious and ethnic minority groups;” and **H.Res.374**,”Recognizing the 50th anniversary of Singaporean independence and reaffirming Singapore’s close partnership with the United States.”
Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, Chairman Matt Salmon
- 2:30 p.m. **Hearing: “Human Rights in China: The 2015 Annual Report of the Congressional-Executive Commission on China”**
Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, Chairman Matt Salmon

WITNESSES:

The Honorable Christopher H. Smith
Chairman
Congressional-Executive Commission on China

The Honorable Timothy J. Walz
Ranking House Member
Congressional-Executive Commission on China

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2016

- 9:00 a.m. **Hearing: “The U.S. Response to North Korea’s Nuclear Provocations”**
Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, Chairman Matt Salmon

WITNESSES:
 Victor Cha, Ph.D.
 Senior Adviser and Korea Chair
 Center for Strategic and International Studies

Mr. Bruce Klingner
 Senior Research Fellow for Northeast Asia
 The Heritage Foundation

Ms. Bonnie Glaser
 Senior Adviser for Asia
 Director of China Power Project
 Center for Strategic and International Studies

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

Asterisked () Bills Introduced by a Committee Member*

H.R.4350 – “To repeal the Cybersecurity Act of 2015.” Sponsored by Rep. Justin Amash

H.CON.RES.106 – “To authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant and its associated forces.” Sponsored by Rep. Tom Cole

H.RES.584 – “Urging the President to seek an independent investigation into the death of Tibetan Buddhist leader and social activist Tenzin Delek Rinpoche and to publicly call for an end to the repressive policies used by the People’s Republic of China in Tibet.” Sponsored by Rep. Michael E. Capuano

H.R.4370 – “To comprehensively address the challenges of providing public services to citizens of the Freely Associated States in the United States, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Madeleine Z. Bordallo

H.R.4371 – “To amend the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Ken Buck

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

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

EC #3969 — A report certifying that the export of the listed items to the People’s Republic of China is not detrimental to the U.S. space launch industry, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2778 note; Public Law 105-261, Sec. 1512 (as amended by Public Law 105-277, Sec. 146); (122 Stat. 2174). January 11, 2016. Department of Commerce transmitting communication.

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EC #3970 — A six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Belarus that was declared in Executive Order 13405 of June 16, 2006, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627). January 11, 2016. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

EC #3971 — The Department's final rule – Updated Statements of Legal Authority for the Export Administration Regulations to Include Continuation of Emergency Declared in Executive Order 12938 [Docket No.: 151123999-5999-01] (RIN: 0694-AG78) received December 22, 2015, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Added by Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868). January 11, 2016. Department of Commerce transmitting communication.

EC #3972 — The Department's final rule – Cyber-Related Sanctions Regulations received December 29, 2015, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Added by Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868). January 11, 2016. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

EC #4024 — The Department's final rule – Russian Sanctions: Addition of Certain Persons to the Entity List [Docket No.: 150825778-5999-01] (RIN: 0694-AG64) received January 5, 2016, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Added by Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868). January 12, 2016. Department of Commerce transmitting communication.

EC #4045 — A six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Cote d'Ivoire that was declared in Executive Order 13396 of February 7, 2006, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401(c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); Public Law 95-223, Sec 204(c); (91 Stat. 1627). January 13, 2016. Department of the Treasury transmitting communication.

EC #4046 — A Certification Related to Condition 7(C)(i) of Senate Executive Resolution 75 (1997) Concerning Advice and Consent to the Ratification of the Chemical Weapons Convention. January 13, 2016. Department of State transmitting communication.

EC #4047 — The Interagency Working Group on U.S. Government-Sponsored International Exchanges and Training FY 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2460(f) and (g); Public Law 87-256, Sec. 122(f) and (g). January 13, 2016. Department of State transmitting communication.

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

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 1/8

Response to GAO Report: Nuclear Nonproliferation: NNSA's Threat Assessment Process Could Be Improved (GAO-16-118). December 14, 2015. Department of Energy transmitting report pursuant to Chapter 7 Title 31.

Interdiction Committee FY 2015 Report. December 28, 2015. The Interdiction Committee transmitting report pursuant to the ONDCP Reauthorization Act of 2006.

Visa Viper Committee Quarterly Report. January 8, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 304(f) of the Enhanced Border Security and Visa Entry Reform Act of 2002.

Iran-Iraq Arms Nonproliferation Act Report: DOT Foreign Assets Control Licenses. January 8, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1606 of the Iran-Iraq Arms Nonproliferation Act of 1992.

SBU: JPOA Sanctions Waivers. January 11, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to the Iran Freedom and Counter-Proliferation Act of 2012, the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996, and Section 1245 of the FY 2012 National Defense Authorization Act.

SBU: Multilateral Diplomacy Initiatives Regarding Oil From Iran (06/28/15-12/27/15). January 12, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1245(e)(2) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2012.

SEC Disclosure Report. January 12, 2016. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to section 13(r)(4) of the Exchange Act.

Coalition Support Funds Quarterly Report (7/1/2015-9/30/2015). January 14, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2011, 2014, and 2015; and the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2008.

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

GAO-16-223: Firearms Trafficking: U.S. Efforts to Combat Firearms Trafficking to Mexico Have Improved, but Some Collaboration Challenges Remain. January 11, 2016.

GAO-16-64: Overseas Private Investment Corporation: Additional Actions Could Improve Monitoring Processes. December 11, 2016.

GAO-16-247R: Iranian Commercial Activities: Update on Foreign Firms Reported to Have Engaged in Iran's Energy or Communications Sectors. January 13, 2016.

***** 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) International Military Education and Training (IMET), Development Credit Authority (DCA)

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CN #16-006 — Intent to reprogram \$1,500,000 FY 2010 funding transferred to facilitate the provision of security, stabilization, and reconstruction efforts for the purpose of restoring or maintaining peace and security in El Salvador. January 8, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-007 — Intent to reprogram \$6,691,368 FY 2006, 2007, 2009, and 2010 funds to facilitate the provision of security, stabilization, and reconstruction efforts for the purpose of restoring or maintaining peace and security in Nigeria. January 8, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of excess HAWK Missile Sub-Systems to the Government of Jordan under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$3,446,024. January 5, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of excess parts, components, and equipment to Israel under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$5,521,049. January 5, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 6 excess Mine Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) vehicles to the Government of Uganda under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$423,252. January 5, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 240 excess M-series vehicles to the Kingdom of Morocco under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$5,566,304. January 5, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 5,500 excess M60 Machine Guns to the Government of Morocco under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$3,195,560. January 7, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

CN #41 — \$70,496,000 FY 2015, FY 2011, and FY 2016 ESF funds obligated to support Power Africa activities in sub-Saharan Africa. January 11, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #42 — \$18,400,000 FY 2015 DA and GHP-USAID funds obligated to support the Sahel Regional Program. January 11, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #43 — \$350,000 FY 2015 GHP-USAID funds obligated to the Development Credit Authority credit guarantee projects. January 11, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Notification of withdrawal of remaining funds of \$60,028,000 contained in CN #134: Power Africa Infrastructure dated August 4, 2015. January 11, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 150 excess M577A2 Command Post Carriers to the Government of Jordan under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$4,847,670. January 13, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

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*** 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 ***

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 1/15

2016 Report on Foreign Policy-Based Export Controls. January 12, 2016. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 6 of the Export Administration Act of 1979.

Transition Initiatives Report: Somalia. January 14, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting report pursuant to the Transition Initiatives provision of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2016.

Iran-Iraq Arms Nonproliferation Act Report: Commercial Passenger Aircraft & Related Parts. January 16, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1606 of the Iran-Iraq Arms Non-Proliferation Act of 1992.

Iran Implementation of JCPOA Annex V. January 16, 2016. Department of State transmitting report.

SBU: Import Exceptions of Goods or Services of Iranian Origin to the United States. January 16, 2016. Department of State transmitting report.

SEC Disclosure Report. January 19, 2016. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to Section 13(r)(4) of the Exchange Act.

SBU: U.S. Strategy in Somalia. January 19, 2016. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1206(b)(3) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2014.

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

GAO-16-142: Foreign Assistance: USAID Venture Capital Approach Relies on Evidence of Results but Could Strengthen Collaboration among Similar Programs. December 21, 2015.

***** 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) International Military Education and Training (IMET), Development Credit Authority (DCA)

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CN #16-008 — \$1,500,000 FY 2015 ESF-OCO funds obligated to support the development of East Africa Countering Violent Extremism (CVE) Center of Excellence and Counter-Messaging Hub in Djibouti. January 15, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-009 — \$12,050,000 FY 2015 DF funds obligated to support human rights and democracy globally. January 15, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #44 — *Country Narrative:* \$109,988,000 FY 2015 DA and GHP-USAID funds obligated to support Senegal. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #45 — *Country Narrative:* \$220,335,000 FY 2015 DA and GHP-USAID funds obligated to support Tanzania. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #46 — *Country Narrative:* \$147,850,000 FY 2015 DA and GHP-USAID funds obligated to support Uganda. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #47 — *Regional Program Narrative:* \$83,133,000 FY 2014 DA, GHP-USAID, and ESF funds obligated to support West Africa Regional. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #48 — *Country Narrative:* \$3,500,000 FY 2015 DA and ESF funds obligated to support Mongolia. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

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CN #49 — \$2,000,000 FY 2011 AEECA recoveries obligated to support rule of law and human rights, good governance, and economic growth (private sector competitiveness) in Serbia. January 15, 2016. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of excess ammunition to the Government of Estonia under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$4,102,807. January 13, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification that the Secretary of State has determined that suspension for six months beyond February 1, 2016 of the right to bring an action under Title III of the Act is necessary to the national interests of the United States and will expedite a transition to democracy in Cuba. January 14, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Transmittal No. 15-52: Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Iraq for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$1.95 billion. January 15, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 10 excess F-15D aircraft to the Government of Israel under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$180,998,070. January 15, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 22 excess Avenger Air Defense Systems to the Government of Bahrain under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$1,306,978. January 15, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of four excess M198 Howitzers to El Salvador under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program estimated to cost \$412,935. January 15, 2016. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

CN #16-010 — \$27,500,000 FY 2016 PKO funds obligated to support the Multinational Force and Observers. January 19, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #16-011 — \$800,000 FY 2015 ESF funds obligated to support program oversight costs. January 21, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification that the Department of State is recommending that the Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control be able to grant specific licenses, approved by the interagency on a case-by-case basis, for the sale of commercial passenger aircraft to Iran pursuant to U.S. commitments under the JCPOA. January 16, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification that the Deputy Secretary of State has determined that it is in the national interest of the United States to transfer title of selected aircraft provided by the United States for counternarcotics and border security purposes to the Government of Pakistan. January 19, 2016. Department of State transmitting notification.