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**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Foreign Affairs**  
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August 17, 2023

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

Dear Chairman Steil:

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

1. Summary for July 2023 of specific studies and investigations;
2. Statement of Expenses for July 2023, and the Fund Balance Statement;
3. Monthly report of domestic travel performed for July 2023;
4. Listing of Committee staff for July 2023, their titles, and their gross monthly salaries;
5. Listing of Committee detailees for July 2023.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael T. McCaul".

Michael T. McCaul  
Chairman

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**  
**SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**  
JULY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2023 – JULY 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

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

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*None*

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

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[H.R.4478](#) —To facilitate access to existing resources with respect to United States citizens arbitrarily detained or kidnapped overseas, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Cloud, Michael](#) [[Rep.-R-TX-27](#)]

[H.J.Res.79](#) —Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on May 11, 2004. Sponsor: [Gaetz, Matt](#) [[Rep.-R-FL-1](#)]

**\*\*\* EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS \*\*\***

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

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*[Communication](#) transmitting that national of a foreign country (Mexico and China), directly or indirectly, are conducting fishing operations in a manner that diminish effectiveness of international fishery conservation program. Pursuant 22 U.S.C. 1978 (a) (4) ... ..*

**\*\*\*REPORTING REQUIREMENTS \*\*\***

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[Report](#) to Congress on Progress Made in the Strategy to Advance Economic Prosperity, Combat Corruption, Strengthen Democratic Governance, and Improve Civilian Security in El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras Section 352(f) of The United States – Northern Triangle Enhanced Engagement Act (Div. FF, P.L. 116-260).

[Report](#) to Congress, Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which was added by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012, requires issuers that file annual or quarterly reports under Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act to include

disclosure in such reports regarding certain activities specified in Section 13(r). In accordance with Section 13(r)(4) of the Exchange Act, I am hereby transmitting reports that include covered disclosure. The reports may be accessed at....

Report OIG inspected the executive direction, policy and program implementation, resource management, and information management operations of Embassy Cotonou.

Report to Congress on Annual U.S. Support for UN Peacekeeping Operations Sections 4(c) and 4(d)(5)(B) of the United Nations Participation Act of 1945 (22 U.S.C. § 287b(c) and 22 U.S.C. § 287b(d)(5)(B)).

Report to Congress on Status of Implementing the OIG Recommendations Included in the September 2020 Department of State Office of Inspector General Audit Entitled “Audit of the Department of State Bureau of African Affairs Monitoring and Coordination of the Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership Program” (AUD–MERO–20–42) Section 104(g) of the Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership Program Act of 2022 (Div. AA, P.L. 117-103).

Report to Congress on Tibet Negotiations Section 613(b) of the Tibetan Policy Act of 2002 (22 U.S.C. 6901 note) Pursuant to section 613(b) of the Tibetan Policy Act of 2002 (22 U.S.C. 6901 note), this report covers: (1) the steps taken by the President and Secretary of State in accordance with subsection (a)(1) of the Tibetan Policy Act of 2002; and (2) the status of any discussions between the People’s Republic of China and the Dalai Lama or his representatives. The Department of State submits this report to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate.

Report to Congress on Transparency in Extractive Industries Resource Payments Section 935 of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007, P.L. 110-140. This report is being submitted pursuant to section 935(d) of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (P.L. 110-140) (the Act). This report covers the reporting period from May 2022 to May 2023 and as required by section 935(d)(2) of the Act, addresses U.S. government involvement with the Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI), including bilateral and multilateral diplomatic activities to increase participation in EITI and U.S. government efforts to strengthen energy security, deter energy kleptocracy, and promotes transparency in the extractive industries.

Report to Congress, OIG inspected the executive direction, policy and program implementation, resource management, and information management operations of Embassy Chisinau, Moldova.

Report to Congress, Department of Defense proposed grant transfer of Cessna c 208 Caravan, Cessna AC 208 Combat Caravan, and Pilatus PC-12 aircraft to Tajikistan. Section 516 of Foreign Assistance Act.

Report to Congress, Department of Defense proposed grant transfer of Cessna C-208 Caravan, Cessna AC 208 Combat Caravan, and Pilatus PC-12, A-29 Super Tucano, and Mi-17 V aircraft to Uzbekistan. Section 516 of Foreign Assistance Act.

Report to Congress, Department of Defense proposed grant transfer of defense services total \$ 605 million to Sweden. Up to two hundred fifty (250) AIM-120C-8 Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missiles (AMRAAM) Up to six (6) AMRAAM C-8 Guidance Sections. Pursuant to Section 516 of Foreign Assistance Act.

[Report](#) to Congress, Department of Defense transfer of \$ 203 million in defense articles to France. Major Defense Equipment (MDE): Up to one thousand five hundred fifteen (1,515) AGM-114R2 Hellfire Missiles Non-MDE: Also included is technical assistance, non-standard books, publications, other Hellfire publications, integration support, and other related elements of logistical and program support. Pursuant to Section 516 of Foreign Assistance Act.

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\*\*\* GAO REPORTS \*\*\*

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*None*

\*\*\* CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS \*\*\*

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CN – Charter Renewal Foreign Affairs Policy Board. Est. under general authority of the Secretary of State and the Department of State as set forth in Title 22 of the US code, in articular section 256 of that Title and consistent with Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. and 1001 et seq. Undersecretary Management’s approval of this charter constitutes a determination by the Secretary of State that the renewal of the Board’s charter is in the public interest in connection with performance of duties of the Department of State.

CN 23 205– Department of State’s intent to change the program content of Fiscal Year 2020 and 2021 Economic Support Funds (ESF) previously notified on October 6, 2022 (CN 22-348) and September 14, 2022 (CN 22-341) for the Pacific Blue Bonds program. These funds were originally notified in 2022 and obligated to the Pacific Community in 2022 for marine spatial planning efforts in Pacific Islands. However, this notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES) to expand the scope of the program to support Pacific Island leaders in developing climate resilient marine spatial plans. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; sections 7015(c), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7060(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2020 (Div. G, P.L. 116-94); and sections 7015(c), 7043(c)(2) and 7060(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2021 (Div. K, P.L. 116-260). \$4,830,000 (FY 2021 funds) \$1,000,000 (FY 2020 funds).

CN 23 206 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate \$2,525,913 in Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 and FY 2019 Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining, and Related Programs (NADR) Conventional Weapons Destruction (CWD) funds as described herein. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. Department of State – \$2,525,913. In accordance with section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), as well as section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2018 (Div. K, P.L. 115-141) (FY 2018 SFOAA) and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2019 (Div. K, P.L. 116- 6) (FY 2019 SFOAA). **Benin, Malawi, The Great Lakes Region, Zimbabwe.**

CN 23 207 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$19,100,000 The INCLE funds under this notification, a portion of which is from the Countering Russian Influence Fund (CRIF), will be used to promote citizen security and law enforcement, combat transnational threats and crime, support counternarcotics efforts, combat trafficking in persons, support the rule of law, and encourage good governance in the Kyrgyz Republic, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, and regionally across Central Asia, as well as for related program development and support (PD&S) costs. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. **Kyrgyz Republic, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, and Central Asia Regional.**

CN 23 208 - Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$9,450,000. These funds will support the Indo-Pacific Strategy through citizen security and law enforcement, and rule of law projects and activities in South Asia, as well as associated program development and support (PD&S) costs. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 209 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$14,250,000 These funds will support the Indo-Pacific Strategy through citizen security and law enforcement, transnational threats and crime, and rule of law projects and activities in the East Asia and Pacific (EAP) region, as well as associated program development and support (PD&S) costs. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 210 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$31,966,000 The INCLE funds under this notification, a portion of which is from the Countering Russian Influence Fund (CRIF), will be used to support programs that promote citizen security and law enforcement and strengthen the rule of law in Albania, Bosnia, and Herzegovina (BiH), Kosovo, Montenegro, North Macedonia, and Serbia, as well as for related program development and support (PD&S) costs. Obligations may be incurred in fifteen calendar days from the above date of notification.

CN 23 211 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Nonproliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation (ISN). • Department of State - \$1,600,000 The funds will support border security training and equipment, legal and regulatory training, and industry outreach. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to sections 582 and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

**Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Estonia, Georgia, Greece, Kosovo, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Romania, Serbia, Republic of Türkiye, and Ukraine.**

CN 23 212 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Energy Resources (ENR). Department of State – \$4,000,000 These funds will be used to provide targeted energy sector technical assistance and capacity building. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), 7015(f), 7041(a)(1), and 7061(a) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$4,000,000 in FY 2022 ESF to support ENR's Power Sector Program (PSP). These funds were justified in the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification and may benefit countries globally, both bilaterally and through their membership in certain energy organizations, including **Central and South American countries; Caribbean Island states (and through organizations such as the Caribbean Electric Utility Services Corporation (CARILEC); Sub-Saharan and North African countries; and Central, South, and Southeast Asian countries and organizations (including Pacific Island Forum members). Funds may benefit special notification countries, including Cambodia, Colombia, Egypt, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, and Uzbekistan.**

CN 23 213 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Counterterrorism. • Department of State – \$12,000,000 The funds will support multilateral programming to enhance the capacity of partner countries' law enforcement to counter the threat of terrorism and reduce support for terrorist activities. Planned activities are explained further in the enclosure. Pursuant to sections 634A and 571 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and sections 7015(c) and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate up to \$12,000,000.

CN 23 214 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Fund – Countering PRC Influence Fund (ESF-CPIF) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor (DRL). Department of State - \$3,000,000. **Tibet.** Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and sections 7015(c), (f) and (h)(2)(E), and 7032(b)(1) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K of P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$3,000,000 in FY22 ESF-CPIF for programs to strengthen Tibetan Institutes Promoting Democracy and Religious Freedom, including for appropriate administration and oversight of such programs.

CN 23 215 - The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 One-Year and Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$31,457,000 These



funds will support the Global Peace Operations Initiative (GPOI) program. These activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h)(2)(E) and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA).

CN 23 216 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$7,000,000 The INCLE funds under this notification, which are from the Countering Russian Influence Fund (CRIF), will be used to support citizen security and law enforcement, transnational threats and crime, good governance, and rule of law projects and activities in the Europe and Eurasia Region, as well as related program development and support (PD&S) costs. Obligations may be incurred in fifteen calendar days from the above date of notification. Pursuant to sections 488(b) and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), sections 7015(c), 7015(h)(2)(F), and the fifth proviso of the INCLE heading of Title IV of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN 23 217 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political Military Affairs (PM). • Department of State - \$500,000 The funds will support the Prevention and Stabilization Fund (PSF) program. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the FAA; sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(D) and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV in the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA); section 509(a)(4) of the Global Fragility Act (Title V of Div. J, P.L. 116-94); and section 6502 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (P.L. 117-81) (FY 2022 NDAA).

CN 23 218 - The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds and FY 2023 Two-Year PKO funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$2,280,000 These funds will support the Africa Regional Counterterrorism (ARCT) and Countering Strategic Competitors (CSC) programs. These activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 219 - The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 One-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$707,500 These funds will support the Global Defense Reform Program (GDRP) program. These activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); section 7015(c) and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA); and section 6502 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (P.L. 117-81) (FY 2022 NDAA), as

amended, this notification is to advise of the Department's intent to obligate up to \$707,500 in FY 2023 One-Year PKO for the Global Defense Reform Program (GDRP)

CN #87 – **\*WITHDRAWAL\***: This narrative describes programs that USAID DDI/GenDev intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, notification is required for \$88,500,000, as described and underlined below, because of the following: (1) substantive changes from the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), marked by an asterisk (\*); (2) special notification requirements related to the Gender Equity and Equality Action (GEEA) Fund; (3) increase in account level funding over 10 percent from the FY 2022 CBJ, including a change in excess of 10 percent of the amount previously justified for the DDI Economic Support Fund (ESF) account request; and (4) special notification requirements related to potential programming in special notification countries **Cambodia, Colombia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Mexico, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Philippines, Rwanda, Somalia, Sudan, Uzbekistan, and Yemen.**

CN #181 - This narrative describes programs that USAID Burkina Faso intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, additional notification is required for \$8,500,000, as described and underlined below, due to the following: (1) substantive changes from the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), marked by an asterisk (\*); (2) GHP-USAID account level increase greater than 10 percent of the FY 2022 CBJ request level, being used for program areas as described in the account narrative and quantified in the Supplementary Data Sheet; and (3) special notification requirements related to global health security programs. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7008, 7015(c) and 7058(b)(5) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #182 - This narrative describes programs that USAID/Sahel Regional intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). With this funding, USAID/Sahel Regional will implement programming in the following countries: Burkina Faso, Chad, The Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, and Mauritania. Of this NOA, additional notification is required for \$9,766,000. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7008, 7015(c), and 7015(h)(2)(G) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN # 183 - This narrative describes programs that USAID West Africa Regional intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, additional notification is required for \$7,857,000. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(h)(2)(C), and 7015(h)(2)(G) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN # 184 - This narrative describes programs that USAID/Central Asia Regional (Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan) intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, \$5,000,000 was previously notified in CN #95, dated April 5, 2023, and notification is required for \$12,088,536 because of the special notification requirements related to the country of **Uzbekistan**. This notification is submitted



pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #185 - This narrative describes programs that USAID Azerbaijan intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, additional notification is required for \$1,100,000, as described and underlined below, due to substantive changes from the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), marked by an asterisk. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #186 - This narrative describes programs that USAID Afghanistan intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, USAID notification is required for \$124,381,000, because of the special notification requirements related to the country of Afghanistan. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (FAA); and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7060(a)(2) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #187 - This narrative describes programs that USAID DDI/GenDev intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, notification is required for \$78,500,000, as described and underlined below, because of the following: (1) substantive changes from the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), marked by an asterisk (\*); (2) special notification requirements related to the Gender Equity and Equality Action (GEEA) Fund; (3) increase in account level funding over 10 percent from the FY 2022 CBJ, including a change in excess of 10 percent of the amount previously justified for the DDI Economic Support Fund (ESF) account request; and (4) special notification requirements related to potential programming in special notification countries Cambodia, Colombia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Mexico, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Philippines, Rwanda, Somalia, Sudan, Uzbekistan, and Yemen. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #188 - This notification is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate up to \$5,000,000 in FY 2022 ESF to support the Strengthening Local and Women-Led Organizations Initiative. These resources will be drawn from the Gender Equity and Equality Action Fund (referred to as “GEEA Fund”). Funded activities will be in the program areas of Human Rights, Agriculture and Workforce Development, and will address the key priorities of the GEEA Fund, including partnering with women-led organizations. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and section 7015(h) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN – State Department Memorandum of Justification MOJ pursuant to 652 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), intent to exercise authority of section 506 (a) (1) to provide weapons to Ukraine including DPCIMS.

CN – State Department determination under section 506 (a) (1) of the Foreign Assistance Act to provide military assistance to Ukraine. In U.S. national security interest to furnish 112 million in assistance under Act to Ukraine.....

CN – State Department, Pursuant to section 3(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed transfer of major defense equipment with a sales value of approximately \$338,695,634. The transaction described in the attached certification involves the permanent transfer of up to six F-16 Block 10 and up to 32 Block 15 fighter aircraft, support equipment, and technical/maintenance data from the Government of Denmark to the Government of Argentina's Air Force. This transfer is consistent with U.S. security assistance objectives.

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1ST SESSION

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS****SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**JULY 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 – JULY 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**\*\*\* MEETINGS, HEARINGS, AND MARKUPS \*\*\***

10:00 AM

Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup>Hearing: The State Department's Climate Agenda: A Budget Overview by  
the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate

Witness:

**The Honorable John Kerry**  
Special Presidential Envoy for Climate  
U.S. Department of State

Subcommittee on Oversight &amp; Accountability, Chairman Mast

2:00 PM

Joint Subcommittee Hearing: Examining Fiscal Year 2024 Budget for  
South and Central Asian Affairs

Witnesses:

**Ms. Elizabeth Horst**  
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Bureau of South and Central Asian Affairs  
U.S. Department of State**The Honorable Michael Schiffer**  
Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Asia  
U.S. Agency for International DevelopmentSubcommittee on Middle East, North Africa, and Central Asia, Chairman  
Wilson

Subcommittee on Indo-Pacific, Chairwoman Kim

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

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[H.R.4625](#) —To require the Comptroller General of the United States to conduct a study on the detrimental impact of the Directive on Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence and the Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive on United States companies, and for other purposes.

Sponsor: [Meuser, Daniel \[Rep.-R-PA-9\]](#)

[H.R.4619](#) —To authorize the sale of Virginia Class submarines to Australia in support of the trilateral security partnership between Australia, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Huizenga, Bill \[Rep.-R-MI-4\]](#)

[H.R.4604](#) —To require cut flowers and cut greens displayed in certain Federal buildings to be produced in the United States, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Carbajal, Salud O. \[Rep.-D-CA-24\]](#)

[H.Res.590](#) —Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding calling on the President to direct the United States Representative to the United Nations to use the voice, vote, and influence of the United States to immediately promote the establishment of an appropriate regional or international justice mechanism through the United Nations and United Nations General Assembly to investigate and prosecute possible war crimes, crimes against humanity, and violations of internationally recognized human rights stemming from the conflict in Syria, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Tlaib, Rashida \[Rep.-D-MI-12\]](#)

[H.Res.586](#) —Calling for the restoration of power-sharing in Northern Ireland. Sponsor: [Lawler, Michael \[Rep.-R-NY-17\]](#)

[H.Res.585](#) —Condemning the conflict in Sudan and supporting the people of Sudan, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Kim, Young \[Rep.-R-CA-40\]](#)

[H.R.4588](#) — To ensure that significantly more students graduate college with the international knowledge and experience essential for success in today's global economy through the establishment of the Senator Paul Simon Study Abroad Program in the Department of State. Sponsor: [Schneider, Bradley Scott \[Rep.-D-IL-10\]](#)

[H.R.4577](#) — To protect U.S. food security, give the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States greater jurisdiction over land purchases, to impose special guards against foreign adversary purchases of land in the United States near sensitive sites, to expand the definition of sensitive sites, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Gallagher, Mike \[Rep.-R-WI-8\]](#)

[H.R.4574](#) - To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to enhance border security by seeking to expand partnerships with appropriate law enforcement entities in Mexico and Central American and South American countries to combat human smuggling and trafficking operations in Mexico and such countries, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Correa, J. Luis \[Rep.-D-CA-46\]](#)

***SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES***July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

[H.R.4570](#) —To authorize assistance to support activities relating to the clearance of landmines, unexploded ordnance, and other explosive remnants of war in Cambodia, Laos, and Vietnam, and to recognize the refugee and immigrant communities who supported and defended the Armed Forces during the conflict in Southeast Asia, including Hmong, Cham, Cambodian, Iu-Mien, Khmu, Lao, Montagnard, and Vietnamese Americans, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Bera, Ami \[Rep.-D-CA-6\]](#)

[H.R.4567](#) — To amend Public Law 117-78 to strengthen the requirements under that Act. Sponsor: [Torres, Ritchie \[Rep.-D-NY-15\]](#)

[H.R.4554](#) —To require a report on international assistance for Ukraine. Sponsor: [McCormick, Richard \[Rep.-R-GA-6\]](#)

[H.R.4548](#) —To require a national strategy to secure United States supply chains involving critical minerals sourced from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [James, John \[Rep.-R-MI-10\]](#) To establish a comprehensive, long-term United States strategy and policy for the Pacific Islands, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Case, Ed \[Rep.-D-HI-1\]](#)

[H.R.4536](#) —To oppose the permitting of deep seabed mining and exploration for deep seabed mining, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Case, Ed \[Rep.-D-HI-1\]](#)

[H.Res.581](#) —Condemning the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and refraining the United States from rejoining. Sponsor: [Steube, W. Gregory \[Rep.-R-FL-17\]](#)

[H.Res.579](#) —Condemning the ongoing acts of repression and human rights violations against the Cuban people by the Cuban regime and calling for the immediate release of all arbitrarily detained Cuban citizens. Sponsor: [McCaul, Michael T. \[Rep.-R-TX-10\]](#)

[H.Res.578](#) —Calling for the immediate release of Eyvin Hernandez, a United States citizen, and Los Angeles County public defender, who was wrongfully detained by the Venezuelan regime in March 2022. Sponsor: [Kamlager-Dove, Sydney \[Rep.-D-CA-37\]](#)

[H.R.4517](#) To require the Secretary of State to submit a plan for the reimbursement of personal funds expended to evacuate American citizens, American lawful permanent residents, and Afghan allies from Afghanistan, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Davidson, Warren \[Rep.-R-OH-8\]](#)

\*\*\* EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS \*\*\*

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

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PM – that the national emergency with respect to Hong Kong, declared in Executive Order 13936 on July 14, 2020, is to continue in effect beyond July 14, 2023, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d); PL 94 412, Sec. 202 (d) ;(90 Stat. 1257)....

PM – that the national emergency with respect to hostage taking the wrongful detention of the United States nationals abroad, declared in Executive Order 14078 of July 19, 2022, must continue in effect beyond July 19, 2023, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d); PL 94 412, Sec. 202 (d); 90 Stat. 1257).

EC – Department of the Treasury transmitting a six-month report on the national emergency with respect to serious human rights abuse and corruption declared in Exec Order 13818 of December 20, 2017, pursuant to 50 USC 1641 ©; PL 94-412, Sec. 401 © (90 Stat. 1257) ... ..

EC – Department of the Treasury transmitting a six month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to significant transnational criminal organizations that was declared in Exec Order 13581 of July 24, 2011, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94 412, Sec. 401 c ; (90 Stat. 1257).....

EC - Department of Treasury transmitting a six month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the threat from securities investments that finance certain companies of the PRC that was declared in Exec Order 13959 of November 12, 2020, pursuant 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94 412, Sec. 401 © ;.....

EC – Department of Treasury transmitting a six month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Mali that was declared in Exec Order 13882 of July 26, 2019, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94-412 , Sec. 401 © ; (90 Stat. 1257) ... ..

\*\*\*REPORTING REQUIREMENTS \*\*\*

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Report from State Office of the Inspector General (OIG) June 2023 monthly report.

Report from State Office of the Inspector General (OIG) Section 5323(b) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (see enclosure) requires the Office of Inspector General (OIG) for the Department of State (Department) and the United States Agency for Global Media to provide a quarterly report to Congress and the Secretary of State detailing any instances of individuals failing to comply with an OIG request for an interview or access to



documents within 60 days. As of June 30, 2023, OIG identified the below instances of Department personnel failing to comply with an OIG request for an interview or access to documents within 60 days; however, in each of these instances, a full response was ultimately provided, as indicated below.

[Report](#) to Congress in accordance with Section 13(r) (4) of the Exchange Act transmitting reports that include covered disclosure. Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which was added by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012, requires issuers that file annual or quarterly reports under Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act to include disclosure in such reports regarding certain activities specified in Section 13(r).

[Report](#) to Congress OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED STATES CENTRAL AUTHORITY UNDER THE HAGUE CONVENTION ON PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND COOPERATION IN RESPECT OF INTERCOUNTRY ADOPTION JULY 2023 SUBMITTED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022 PURSUANT TO SECTION 104 OF THE INTERCOUNTRY ADOPTION ACT OF 2000.

[Report](#) to Congress under Section 804 of the Palestine Liberation Organization Commitments Compliance Act of 1989 (“PLOCCA”) (Title VIII, P.L. 101-246) and Sections 603-604 and 699 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY 2003 (“the Act”) (P.L. 107-228).

[Report](#) to Congress, submitting the 2022 U.S. International Development Finance Corporation annual report, prepared pursuant to the BUILD Act of 2018, Public Law 115-254, Section 1443.

[Report](#) to Congress, State OIG Audit of the Management and Administration of the Consular Systems Modernization Program.

[Report](#) to Congress on Diplomatic Facilities and Operations in Kiribati, Tonga, Solomon Islands, and Vanuatu Sec. 9303(d)(2) of the Department of State Authorization Act of 2023 (Div. I, P.L. 117-263) and Sec. 7019(e) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) and the Joint Explanatory Statement.

[Report](#) to Congress on Indo-Pacific Human Rights Defenders Sec. 410(d) of the Asia Reassurance Initiative Act of 2018, P.L. 115-409.

[Report](#) to Congress on The Mekong-U.S. Partnership (Formerly Lower Mekong Initiative) Section 307(b) of the Asia Reassurance Initiative Act of 2018, P.L. 115-409 Consistent with section 307(b) of the Asia Reassurance Initiative Act of 2018 (P.L. 115-409) (ARIA), the U.S. Department of State, in cooperation with the U.S. Agency of International Development (USAID) submits this report to Congress on the Mekong-U.S. Partnership (MUSP).

[Report](#) Congress on the Indo-Pacific Region Section 5595 of the James M. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023.

[Report](#) to Congress Department of Defense US Security Assistance to Ukraine since February 24, 2022, Russian Invasion of Ukraine as Required by Section 1202 of the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (division M of PL 117-328) as of May 1, 2023.

[Report](#) to Congress on A Strategy to Combat Illicit Economies, Corruption, and Negative Foreign Influence in Ecuador Sec. 5545 and Section 5549(a) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263).

[Report](#) to Congress on A Strategy to Strengthen Commercial and Economic Ties Between the United States and Ecuador Section 5543 and Section 5549(a) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263)

[Report](#) to Congress on A Strategy to Develop and Implement Initiatives to Strengthen Democratic Governance in Ecuador Section 5546(a) and Section 5549(a) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263).

[Report](#) to Congress on ongoing Embassy Construction Projects and Major Embassy Security Upgrade Projects as of March 2023, Dollar amounts reported in thousands.

[Report](#) to Congress on funding implemented directly by local and national nongovernmental entities. The report should include a description on how USAID is working to increase funding to capable local and national nongovernmental entities as well as how USAID tracks funding to local entities, how USAID is progressing toward its stated locally led development targets, and how the Agency plans to reach targets in subsequent fiscal years. The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) submits this report pursuant to Sec. 7019(e) of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023 (P.L. 117-328), which incorporates by reference reporting under the heading Locally Led Development in the House Report.

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\*\*\* GAO REPORTS \*\*\*

*None*

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\*\*\* CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS \*\*\*

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CN - Raytheon Technologies Corporation proposes a technical assistance agreement with Ministry of Defense of Denmark to support the system operation, operational-level maintenance, repair, overhaul, training, and base activities required for the operation and sustainment of F135 propulsion systems for the F-35 Lightning II aircraft for end-use by the Ministry of Defense for Denmark.

CN 23 220 - Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7015(c) and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), and in reliance on the authority in section 481(a)(4) of the FAA, this is to advise that the Department intends to obligate \$1,500,000 in FY 2022 INCLE funds to support activities to strengthen the rule of law in Ethiopia as described herein.

CN 23 221 - Pursuant to sections 582 and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2018 (Div. K, P.L. 115- 141), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate up to \$553,600 in FY 2018 NADR/EXBS-OCO funds for border security programming described herein. The following countries are expected to or may benefit from this assistance: Angola, Benin, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Mozambique, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia.

CN 23 222 - Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$235,000 in FY 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF) from the Countering PRC Influence Fund (CPIF) to support capacity-building efforts to advance critical and emerging technologies, as described below. Funding will seek to facilitate a Quad Multistakeholder Critical and Emerging Technology Program that counters PRC emerging technology advances by providing capacity building and workshops on high-tech cooperation for India, with cooperation from Australia and Japan. Programming is intended predominantly to benefit India, but key stakeholders from Japan and Australia also will participate in relevant events. The expectation is that Australia and Japan generally will fund their own participation in this program.

CN 23 223 - Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and sections 7015(c) and (f), and 7032(b)(1) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$10,000,000 in FY 2022 ESF funds to support human rights and democracy programs in Venezuela, including for appropriate administration and oversight of such programs.

CN 23 224 - Pursuant to section 582 and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h)(2)(E) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$6,370,000 in FY 2022 NADR funds to support EXBS program activities described below. Strategic Trade Controls Against State and Nonstate Threats Indonesia. FY 23 obligation - 6,370,000.

CN 23 225 - Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); sections 7009(b)(3) and 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 328) (FY 2023 SFOAA); and section 1706 of the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. M, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 AUSAA); this is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$230,000,000

CN 23 227 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to change the program content of Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds previously

notified on May 25, 2023, in CN #23-164 and providing supplemental information on FY 2021 PKO-Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO) funds previously notified on August 6, 2021 (CN #21-211). This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$1,925,000. Africa Conflict Stabilization and Border Security (ACSBS) Partnership for Regional East Africa Counterterrorism (PRACT).

CN 23 228 - Pursuant to sections 634A and 571 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7035(a)(2) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate up to \$24,359,000 in FY 2022 NADR/ATA funds to support CTPF programs to counter the threat of terrorism, as described below. The funds included in this notification will support the following activities: Countering Iranian Proxies and Hizballah (Global) (\$6,081,000); and Addressing Foreign Terrorist Fighters and Homegrown Terrorists (Global) (\$18,278,000).

CN 23 229 - Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7015(c), 7034(j), and 7035(b)(2) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriation Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (SFOAA) and section 104(b)(3) of the Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership Act of 2022 (Div. AA, P.L. 117-103), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$3,000,000 in FY 2022 ESF funds for countering violent extremism (CVE) objectives of TSCTP in Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chad, and Niger, as well as for program management, monitoring, and evaluation of TSCTP programs.

CN – MOJ Section 6(a) of the Nicaragua Investment Conditionality Act of 2018 (NICA Act) (P.L. 115-335) (the “Act”), signed into law December 20, 2018 [and formerly known as the Nicaragua Human Rights and Anticorruption Act of 2018], directs that the Secretary submit an annual report certifying whether the Government of Nicaragua is taking effective steps to, among other things, protect civil and political rights and combat corruption.

CN - CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 6(a) OF THE NICARAGUA INVESTMENT CONDITIONALITY ACT OF 2018 (P.L. 115-335) By virtue of the authority vested in me as the Deputy Secretary of State, and pursuant to section 6(a) of the Nicaragua Investment Conditionality Act of 2018 (NICA Act) (P.L. 115-335), as amended, and Department of State Delegation of Authority 513, I hereby certify that the Government of Nicaragua is not taking effective steps to: Strengthen the rule of law and democratic governance, including the independence of the judicial system and electoral council; Combat corruption, including by investigating and prosecuting cases of public corruption; Protect civil and political rights, including the rights of freedom of the press, speech, and association, for all people of Nicaragua, including political opposition parties. Journalists, trade unionists, human rights defenders, indigenous peoples, and other civil society activists; Investigate and hold accountable officials of the Government of Nicaragua and other persons responsible for the killings of individuals associated with the protests in Nicaragua that began on April 18, 2018; or hold free and fair elections overseen by credible domestic and international observers.

CN – DDTC Pursuant to Sections 36(c) and 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed amendment for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more and the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad. The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services, to Australia, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Germany, Greece, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, and Türkiye to support the designing, development, production, manufacturing, assembly, operation, repairing, testing, integration, maintenance, modification, and demonstration of a ship-based missile.

CN – State notification pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data and defense services, in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more. The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Japan to support the integration, configuration, operation, specifications, test reports, analysis, and maintenance of a long-range radar system. Lockheed Martin Corporation proposes a technical assistance agreement with Mitsubishi Corporation and the Japan Ministry of Defense (JMOD) to support the integration, configuration, operation, specifications, test reports, analysis, and maintenance of the Lockheed Martin Corporation SPY-7 radar for use in the Japan Aegis System Equipped Vessel (ASEV). Other signatories to the agreement are identified in Attachment 1.

CN – Jordan DDTC Lewis Machine & Tool Co. proposes the export of 2,700 5.56mm M4 fully automatic rifles to Al Azimah for Technology in Jordan for ultimate end use by the Public Security Directorate in Jordan. Current Notification Value: \$2,562,300.

CN – Singapore DDTC Colt Manufacturing Company, LLC. proposes the export of 1885 M4, 5.56mm caliber fully automatic rifles to Singapore for end use by the Singapore MOD. Current Notification Value: \$3,189,420.

CN – UK DDTC Lockheed Martin Corporation proposes to amend a technical assistance agreement with the Secretary of State for Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Marshall of Cambridge Aerospace Ltd., Rolls-Royce Plc., QinetiQ Ltd., CAE (UK) Plc., and GE Aviation Systems Ltd. Current Notification Value: \$166,000,000.

CN – Determination on Imposition and Waiver of Sanctions under Sections 603 and 604 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 2003 (PL 107-228). Impose sanction “Denial of VISAS to PLO and Palestinian Authority Officials”. Sanction imposed for 180 days from the date that the report under section 603 of the Act is transmitted to Congress or until such time as the next report under 603 is required to be transmitted to Congress, whichever is later.

CN – Ukraine DDTC Current license application: S5G, LLC. proposes the export of 200 M240 7.62mm machine guns to the Ukraine for ultimate end use by the Ukraine Ministry of Defense. Current Notification Value: \$2,850,000. Current license application: S5G, LLC. proposes the

export of 200 M240 7.62mm machine guns to the Ukraine for ultimate end use by the Ukraine Ministry of Defense. CN value- \$2,850,000.

CN - Pursuant to section 3(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed transfer of major defense equipment with a sales value of approximately \$108,448,810. The transaction described in the attached certification involves the permanent transfer of up to four P-3 aircraft, support equipment, and technical/maintenance data from the Government of Norway to the Government of Argentina's Navy. This transfer is consistent with U.S. security assistance objectives.

CN - DFC will provide an up to 10-year loan portfolio guaranty of up to \$50 million to Patamar Beacon Private Limited ("Beacon Fund" or the "Fund") to expand financing to small and medium businesses in Indonesia, the Philippines, and Vietnam that are women-led, women-owned, or primarily and intentionally benefit women (the "DFC Guaranty"). The proposed transaction, which is located in Indonesia, an upper-middle-income country ("UMIC"), is eligible for DFC support because it: (i) has been determined by DFC to be designed to produce significant developmental outcomes or provide developmental benefits to the poorest population of Indonesia, and (ii) is in accordance with Title I, Div, F, P.L. 115-254, 22 USC Sec. 9612(c)(2)(A) of the BUILD Act of 2018 and the Delegation of Authority in the President's Memorandum on the BUILD Act of 2018, dated July 7, 2020, which the Secretary of State certified on October 18, 2022 (the "Standing Certification"), that the DFC support described in this Congressional Notification furthers the national economic or foreign policy interests of the United States.

CN - SMN 0073 Consistent with section 705 of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948 ("Smith-Mundt Act"), the Department of State is notifying you of its intent to obligate \$707,000 in FY 2021 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the Fulbright Faculty Development and Regional Specialty Programs in the Western Hemisphere. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. \$707,000 FY 21 ECE Funds.

CN – SMN 0074 Consistent with section 705 of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948 ("Smith-Mundt Act"), the Department of State is notifying you of its intent to obligate \$2,098,000 in FY 2022 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the Fulbright Faculty Development and Regional Specialty Programs in the Western Hemisphere. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. \$2,098,000. FY 21 ECE Funds.

CN #189 – USAID Haiti intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, notification is required for \$89,000,000 because of the special notification requirements related to the country of Haiti.

CN #190 - U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$99,375,736 of FY 2022 ESF under the Central America Regional Security Initiative (CARSI) in El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, and regional programs. The FY 2022 CARSI ESF level is \$103,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 will be managed by the Department of State and the



remaining \$101,000,000 will be managed by USAID. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h)(2)(C) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA). In addition, USAID intends to rely on notwithstanding authority in FY 2022 SFOAA sections 7032(b) and 7035(a)(1) to implement activities under the Good Governance and Human Rights program areas in El Salvador; Good Governance program area in Guatemala; Rule of Law and Good Governance program areas in Honduras; and Good Governance and Civil Society program areas in regional programming.

CN #191 – Pursuant to section 1255 of the National Defense Authorization Act, 2023, (P.L. 117-263), DoD is authorized to transfer not more than \$15,000,000 for the Bien Hoa dioxin cleanup in Vietnam. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and section 7015(d) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (P.L. 117-328, Division K) (SFOAA). FY 2023 SFOAA section 7015(d)(2) requires notification of funds provided by the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) to the U.S. Department of State or U.S. Agency for International Development for assistance to foreign countries and international organizations.

CN #192 – This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate up to \$7,750,000 in FY 2022 ESF for the Local Works Program in Syria. These funds were previously notified in CN #122 dated April 24, 2023, by the Bureau for Development, Democracy, and Innovation (DDI). Funds are being re-notified due to the special notification requirements related to the country of Syria. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7041(j)(3) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN – USAID Moldova intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, no funding requires additional notification, as it remains consistent with information notified via the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), and there are no special notification requirements. Of the NOA included in the summary table above, no funding requires additional notification, as it remains consistent with information notified via the FY 2022 CBJ, and there are no special notification requirements.

CN – USTDA proposes to obligate approximately \$510,000 to fund two concurrent Water and Wastewater Technologies Reverse Trade Missions (RTMs) for the Middle East and North Africa (MENA). The RTMs would familiarize private and/or public-sector delegates from Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, and Morocco with state-of-the-art U.S. technologies, services, and best practices to support priority water infrastructure projects, including water loss reduction, industrial water, and municipal wastewater projects. USTDA U.S. Trade and Development Agency funding obligation subject to Congressional notification under section 7015(f) of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103). Prospective U.S. Trade and Development Agency (“USTDA”) action subject to Congressional notification under section 7015(f) of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103).



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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS****SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**JULY 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 – JULY 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2023**\*\*\* MEETINGS, HEARINGS, AND MARKUPS \*\*\***

10:00 AM

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>Hearing: Achieving Peace through Strength in the Indo-Pacific:  
Examining the FY24 Budget Priorities**Witnesses:****The Honorable Daniel J. Kritenbrink**  
Assistant Secretary  
Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs  
U.S. Department of State**Mr. Michael Ronning**  
Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator  
Asia Bureau  
U.S. Agency for International Development

Subcommittee on Indo-Pacific, Chairwoman Kim

10:30 AM

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: The Dire State of Religious Freedom Around the World

**Witnesses:****Panel I:****Rabbi Abraham Cooper**  
Chair  
U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom

**Eric Patterson, Ph.D.**  
President  
Religious Freedom Institute

**Reverend Susan Hayward**  
Associate Director  
Harvard Divinity School's Religion and Public Life Program

Panel II:

**The Honorable Rashad Hussain**  
Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom  
U.S. Department of State

Subcommittee on Global Health, Global Human Rights and International  
Organizations, Chairman Smith

2:00 PM

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: Stability and Security in the Western Balkans: Assessing U.S.  
Policy

Witness:

**Mr. Gabriel Escobar**  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs  
U.S. Department of State

Subcommittee on Europe, Chairman Kean

2:00 PM

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: Great Power Competition Implications in Africa: The Russia  
Federation and its Proxies

Witnesses:

**Joseph Sany**  
Vice President, Africa Center  
United States Institute of Peace

**Cameron Hudson**  
Senior Associate, Africa Program  
Center for Strategic & International Studies

**Pauline Bax**  
Deputy Program Director for Africa  
International Crisis Group

Subcommittee on Africa, Chairman James

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

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[H.R.4806](#) —To prohibit foreign nations from owning certain facilities, buildings, and land. Sponsor: [Santos, George \[Rep.-R-NY-3\]](#)

[H.R.4799](#) —To prohibit assistance under the Ukraine Security Assistance Initiative until the President certifies to Congress that the Government of Ukraine is not providing funding, equipment, training, fuel, or other support to the Russian Volunteer Corps, the Azov Battalion, or any other neo-Nazi militia. Sponsor: [Ogles, Andrew \[Rep.-R-TN-5\]](#)

[H.R.4798](#) —To amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to update and strengthen existing efforts to end violence against children, improve coordination among agencies addressing this violence, and promote the use of evidence-based strategies and critical information gathering capabilities, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [McGovern, James P. \[Rep.-D-MA-2\]](#)

[H.Con.Res.59](#) —Urging all countries to outlaw the dog and cat meat trade and to enforce existing laws against such trade. Sponsor: [Moskowitz, Jared \[Rep.-D-FL-23\]](#)

[H.Res.607](#) —Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the majority of NATO member countries have failed to meet their defense spending commitment and that the United States should not continue to subsidize the security of countries that choose not to invest in their own defense. Sponsor: [Roy, Chip \[Rep.-R-TX-21\]](#)

[H.R.4751](#) —To prohibit Federal funding for the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate. Sponsor: [Roy, Chip \[Rep.-R-TX-21\]](#)

[H.R.4741](#) —To require the development of a strategy to promote the use of secure telecommunications infrastructure worldwide, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Manning, Kathy E. \[Rep.-D-NC-6\]](#)

[H.R.4725](#) —AUKUS Oversight and Accountability Act Sponsor: [McCaul, Michael T. \[Rep.-R-TX-10\]](#)

[H.R.4723](#) —To provide for the imposition of sanctions with respect to foreign persons undermining the Dayton Peace Agreement or threatening the security of Bosnia and Herzegovina, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Wagner, Ann \[Rep.-R-MO-2\]](#)

[H.R.4716](#) —KOALA Act Sponsor: [Kim, Young \[Rep.-R-CA-40\]](#)

[H.R.4715](#) — BRITS Act Sponsor: [Kean, Thomas H. \[Rep.-R-NJ-7\]](#)

[H.R.4709](#) — To amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2020, to make improvements relating to cooperation between the United States and Israel to counter unmanned aerial systems, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Gottheimer, Josh \[Rep.-D-NJ-5\]](#)

[H.Res.600](#) — Condemning the attack on the Argentine Jewish Mutual Association Jewish Community Center in Buenos Aires, Argentina, in July 1994, and expressing the concern of the United States regarding the continuing, 29-year-long delay in the resolution of this case and encouraging accountability for the attack. Sponsor: [Wasserman Schultz, Debbie \[Rep.-D-FL-25\]](#)

[H.Res.599](#) —Urging the European Union to designate Hizballah in its entirety as a terrorist organization. Sponsor: [Schneider, Bradley Scott \[Rep.-D-IL-10\]](#)

[H.R.4691](#) —Iran Sanctions Relief Review Act of 2023 Sponsor: [Self, Keith \[Rep.-R-TX-3\]](#)

[H.R.4690](#) —To assess the capacity of the United States to effectively marshal disparate elements of national power to counter adversary political warfare campaigns, and for other purposes. Sponsor: [Pfluger, August \[Rep.-R-TX-11\]](#)

[H.R.4683](#) — To prohibit support for the remote use or cloud use of integrated circuits listed under Export Control Classification Number 3A090 and 4A090 of the Export Administration Regulations by entities located in the People's Republic of China or Macau. Sponsor: [Jackson, Jeff \[Rep.-D-NC-14\]](#)

[H.R.4681](#) —To provide for the imposition of sanctions with respect to illicit captagon trafficking. Sponsor: [Hill, J. French \[Rep.-R-AR-2\]](#)

[H.Con.Res.57](#) —Expressing the sense of Congress supporting the State of Israel. Sponsor: [Pfluger, August \[Rep.-R-TX-11\]](#)

[H.Res.596](#) —Calling for the restoration of power-sharing in Northern Ireland. Sponsor: [Lawler, Michael \[Rep.-R-NY-17\]](#)

[H.Res.595](#) —Recognizing the significant impact and legacy of Cecil Corbin-Mark in the environmental justice community and further recognizing that climate change most severely impacts vulnerable and disadvantaged communities in the United States and around the world, and that it is the responsibility of the United States Government to work with its global partners to promote environmental justice. Sponsor: [Espaillat, Adriano \[Rep.-D-NY-13\]](#)



## \*\*\* EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS \*\*\*

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

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*EC – transmitting a Determination Under Section 506 (a) (1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to Provide Military Assistance to Ukraine.*

*PM – notification that the national emergency with respect to Hostage-Taking and the wrongful detention of the United States Nationals Abroad, declared in Executive Order 14078 of July 19, 2022, must continue in effect beyond July 19, 2023, pursuant to 50 USC 1622 (d); PL 94-412, SEC, 202 (d); (90 STAT. 1257).*

## \*\*\*REPORTING REQUIREMENTS\*\*\*

Report to Congress on Activities of the Pandemic Fund (Financial Intermediary Fund for Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness, and Response) Section 5563(h)(1) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263).

Report to Congress on A List of High-Level Officials from the United States Government Who Have Traveled to Taiwan and a List of High-Level Officials of Taiwan Who have Entered the United States Section 5520(b) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263).

Report USSEC Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which was added by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012, requires issuers that file annual or quarterly reports under Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act to include disclosure in such reports regarding certain activities specified in Section 13(r).

Report to Congress on Abuses Toward Dissidents on Behalf of the Government of Iran Sec. 204(a) of the Masih Alinejad Harassment and Unlawful Targeting Act of 2022 (Div. AA, P.L. 117-328) The State of Human Rights and the Rule of Law in Iran.

Report to Congress on Use of the Waiver Authority from Section 889(d)(2) of the John S. McCain National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2019 (Public Law 115–232) Section 7034(r) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L.117-103) The Secretary’s Section 889(d)(2) waiver authority has not been exercised to date.

Report to Congress on Foreign Persons who have Knowingly Engaged in Actions that Undermine Democratic Processes or Institutions, Significant Corruption, or Obstruction of Investigations into Such Acts of Corruption in El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua 22 USC 2277a (b): Targeted sanctions to fight corruption in El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua.

Report OIG inspected the executive direction, program and policy implementation, resource management, and information management operations of Embassy Lomé. OIG made 14 recommendations to Embassy Lomé. In its comments on the draft report, the embassy concurred with all 14 recommendations. OIG considers all 14 recommendations resolved.....

Report to Congress on The Reasons that the Continued Implementation of the New START Treaty Is in the National Security Interests of the United States per Sec. 1247(a) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (P.L. 114-92) This report is submitted in accordance with Section 1247 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law 114-92).

Report to Congress on A Report that Contains Information Relating to the Number and the Locations of United States Visa Denials Based, in Whole or in Part, on Grounds Related to Human Trafficking Section 1299R(e)(2) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2021 (P.L. 116-283) Visa Applications Denied on Grounds Related to Human Trafficking.

Report to Congress on Chinese Support to Russia with Respect to Its Unprovoked Invasion of and Full-Scale War Against Ukraine Section 5599 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023 (Div. E, P.L. 117-263) Consistent with section 5599 of the James N. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act, FY 2023 (P.L. 117-263), the Department of State submits this report.

Report to Congress, Department of Defense, pursuant to reporting requirements of Section 36(b) (5) (A) of the Arms Export Control Act AECA, as amended, transmittal related to enhancements or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology or capability described in Section 36 b 1 AECA cert 20-28 dated July 23, 2020. This transmittal reports the addition of the following MDE items: two (2) MAU-210 Enhanced Computer Control Groups (ECCG). The total cost of the new MDE articles is \$0.23 million. The total MDE remains \$30.52 million. The total case value remains \$634.70 million. **Purchaser: Government of Chile.**

Report to Congress, Department of Defense, pursuant to reporting requirements of Section 36(b) (5) (A) of the Arms Export Control Act AECA, as amended, transmittal related to enhancements or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology or capability described in Section 36 b 1 AECA cert 22-06 February 3, 2022. On February 3, 2022, Congress was notified by congressional certification transmittal number 22-06 of the possible sale, under Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, to the Government of Jordan of twelve (12) F-16 C Block 70 Aircraft; four (4) F-16 D Block 70 Aircraft; twenty-one (21) F100-GE-129D Engines or F100-PW229EEP Engines (16 installed, 5 spares); twenty-one (21) Improved Programmable Display Generators (iPDG) (16 installed, 5 spares); twenty-one (21) AN/APG-83 Active Electronically Scanned Array (AESA) Scalable Agile Beam Radars (SABR) (16 installed, 5 spares); twenty-one (21) Modular Mission Computers (MMC) 7000AH (16 installed, 5 spares)..... **Purchaser: Government of Jordan.**

Report to Congress, Department of Defense, pursuant to reporting requirements of Section 36(b) (5) (A) of the Arms Export Control Act AECA, as amended, transmittal related to enhancements

or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology or capability described in Section 36 b 1. MDE: Up to nine hundred sixty-nine (969) AIM-120C-8 Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missiles (AMRAAM) Up to twelve (12) AIM-120C-8 AMRAAM Guidance Sections. Non MDE: Also included are AIM-120 Captive Air Training Missiles (CATM); telemetry kit and control section spares, and containers; KGV-135A Communications Security (COMSEC) devices; Common Munitions Built-in-Test Reprogramming Equipment (CMBRE); ADU-891. **Prospective Purchaser: Government of Germany.**

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\*\*\* GAO REPORTS \*\*\*

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\*\*\* CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS \*\*\*

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CN – DFC will provide a 15-year direct loan of up to \$20,000,000 to Ummeed Housing Finance Private Limited (“Ummeed”) to provide affordable housing loans to low- and middle-income female borrowers in Tier II IV semi-urban and rural areas (as classified by the Government of India (“GoI”), based on population) in northern India (the “Project”).

CN – State Department Executive Summary: Diplomatic construction project Chisinau, Moldova [EUR-4297]. This project will replace and upgrade non-code compliant electrical equipment, wiring, and identified electrical panels and sub-panels within the Chancery and Annex building. Work will take place within Restricted Controlled Access Area (CAA). No work will take place in any Core Controlled Access Area to include the Post Communications Center (PCC).

CN – Department of State Congressional Certification for the U.S. Embassy Chisinau, Moldova Annex and Chancery Electrical Upgrade Project (EUR 4297).

CN - Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more. The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Taiwan, the Republic of Korea, Canada, and the UK to support a submarine combat management system.

CN 23 015 - The Department of State is informing you of the intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2023 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia (EUR/ACE). The funds will be used for cybersecurity assistance to Albania. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA), and section 1706 of the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. M, P.L.

117-328) (FY 2023 AUSAA) this is to advise that the U.S. Department of State intends to obligate \$21,950,000 in FY 2023 ESF funds appropriated in the FY 2023 AUSAA to support the activities described below.

CN 23 230 – The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate FY 2022 Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funding. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political Military Affairs. Department of State – \$47,682,838 These funds will support Somalia (voluntary) and the Africa Conflict Stabilization and Border Security (ACSBS) program. The activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); sections 7015(c), 7015(d) 7015(f), 7019(b), and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV in the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN 23 231 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF) and Nonproliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining, and Related Programs (NADR) funds from the Prevention and Stabilization Fund. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Counterterrorism (CT), the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor (DRL), and the Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations (CSO). Department of State - \$5,062,500 The funds will advance the U.S. Government’s (USG) 10-year Strategy to Prevent Conflict and Promote Stability (SPCPS) in Libya, as envisioned in the Global Fragility Act. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 232 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$4,200,000 The funds will be used to support activities to combat transnational threats and crime and advance the rule of law in the Western Hemisphere. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 233 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF) from the Countering PRC Influence Fund (CPIF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). Department of State - \$6,550,000 The funds will be used for programs to support host-nation efforts to counter the PRC’s malign influence and activities in the Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia regions. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 234 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to transfer four Huey-II helicopters to support the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL) aviation program in Peru in accordance with section 7052 of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328). Enclosed are the determination and Congressional Notification. Department of State – \$9,957,465.

CN 23 234 – Secondary document, State Department determination that select aircraft are no longer required to meet previous programmatic purposes. Pursuant to section 7052(b) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act. Four Huey II Helicopters procured for counternarcotics and law enforcement programs in Afghanistan and Pakistan using prior year International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement funds are no longer required to meet programmatic purposes in Afghanistan and Pakistan.

CN 23 235 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Fund (ESF) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Secretary's Office of Global Women's Issues, which leads coordination of the Gender Equity and Equality Action (GEEA) Fund for the Department of State. Department of State - \$20,000,000 (ESF) The funds will advance the economic security of women and girls by increasing their access to resources, services, and leadership opportunities and by addressing the barriers that limit their ability to participate fully in the economy. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. This determination and the accompanying CN shall be transmitted to the appropriate Congressional Committees.

CN 23 236 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) sourced from the Countering the People's Republic of China (PRC) Influence Fund (CPIF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Counterterrorism (CT). Department of State – \$13,401,500 The funds will support programming to increase law enforcement counterterrorism capacity which will also promote U.S. international standards that counter Chinese influence in priority countries globally. The planned activities are explained further in the enclosure.

CN 23 237 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Nonproliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) Countering PRC Influence Funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation (ISN). Department of State - \$11,470,000.

CN 23 238 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate FY 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF) as described below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Foreign Assistance (F). Department of State - \$850,000 The funds will be used to support the implementation of the Foundations for Evidence-Based Policymaking Act (Evidence Act). The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 239 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds made available in the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). \$2,650,000 The funds will be used to support Drug Supply Reduction (DSR) and Fighting Corruption programs. Including, but not limited to special notification countries - Afghanistan, Bahrain, Burma, Cambodia, Colombia, Cuba, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Iran,

Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Mexico, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Philippines, the Russian Federation, Rwanda, Somalia, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Uzbekistan, Venezuela, Yemen, and Zimbabwe.

CN 23 240 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia (AEECA) funds to Moldova. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). o Department of State - \$2,963,000 Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), this is to advise that the U.S. Department of State intends to obligate \$2,963,000 in FY 2022 AEECA funds.

CN 23 241 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds as described below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs. Department of State - \$208,975 The funds will be used to support democracy-building initiatives in Cuba. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, sections 7015(c) and (f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN 23 242 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES). Department of State - \$1,000,000. The Arctic Council is a consensus-based forum comprising the eight countries with territory in the Arctic (United States, Canada, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Kingdom of Denmark (including Greenland), and Russia)). Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7015(c) and (f), and 7061(a) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (SFOAA), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$1,000,000 in FY 2022 ESF to fund regional programs and support a series of environmental and climate initiatives of the Arctic Council.

CN 23 243 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia (AEECA) funds by the agency listed below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia. Department of Agriculture - \$2,025,802 The funds will be used for programs in Georgia and Uzbekistan. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 244 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia and Fiscal Year 2023 Economic Support Fund



(ESF) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). Department of State - \$2,650,000 The funds will be used for cybersecurity assistance to Albania. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA); sections 7009(b)(3) and 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 328) (FY 2023 SFOAA).

CN 23 245 – The funds will be used to implemented four projects in Sub-Saharan Africa as part of the Department’s broader Countering PRC Influence Fund (CPIF). These projects have been selected from proposals submitted by domestic offices and overseas posts at State and USAID around the world via a competitive internal funding proposal process. They range in scope from countering PRC predatory economic behavior, to combatting illicit environmental activities and trafficking in persons (TIP) by the PRC, to tackling corruption benefitting the PRC in the oil sector. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (FAA), and sections 7015(c), (f), (h)(2)(F), 7032(b)(1), 7041(a)(1), of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (SFOAA).

CN 23 246 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate FY 2022 Foreign Military Financing (FMF) funds from the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2022 (FMF-AUSAA). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. Department of State – \$80,000,000 These funds will support Zambia. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (FAA), and sections 7015(c), (f), (h)(2)(F), 7032(b)(1), 7041(a)(1), of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (SFOAA).

CN 23 247 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate FY 2022 Foreign Military Financing (FMF) Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act (FMF-AUSAA) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$204,000,000 These funds will support FMF programs in the Europe and Eurasia Region for Ukraine and regional partners and allies, including the Czech Republic, Montenegro, Romania, and Slovakia and, potentially, Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Estonia, Greece, Kosovo, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, North Macedonia, Poland, and Slovenia. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961 and sections 7015(c) and 7015(d)(1) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), this notification is to advise of our intent to obligate up to \$204,000,000 in FY 2022 FMF-AUSAA funds in support of Europe and Eurasia Regional programs and Ukraine.

CN – Department of State Memorandum of Justification Under Section 302(b)(1) of the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-taking Accountability Act (U) Consistent with section 302(b)(1) of the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-taking Accountability Act (22 U.S.C. 1741(b)(1)), the Department of State is notifying you that the Secretary of State has

determined, based on the totality of the circumstances, that Joseph Ryan Cristella is wrongfully detained in Venezuela. (SBU) Cristella was detained in Venezuela on or around September 14, 2022. Cristella is charged with conspiracy. Additionally, Cristella has not been provided with a public defender or allowed to meet with counsel that was retained by his family for his defense.

CN – Department of State Determination under section 302(b)(1) the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-taking Accountability Act Pursuant to the authority vested in me by section 302(b)(1) the Robert Levinson Hostage Recovery and Hostage-taking Accountability Act (22 U.S.C. 1741(b)(1)), I hereby determine that Joseph Ryan Cristella is wrongfully detained in Venezuela. This determination shall be reported to the Congress.

CN – Department of State, Pursuant to Section 301 of the Diplomatic Security and Support Act of 2022, passed as section 9302 of the National Defense and Authorization Act for FY 2023, the Secretary of State has convened a Security Review Committee to examine the facts and the circumstances surrounding the death of a member of the Marine Security Augmentation Unit, who died from injuries resulting from a discharge of a firearm, during a training exercise at Embassy Abuja on December 17, 2022. The Security Review Committee will report to the Secretary of State its findings and any related recommendations.

CN - DDTC 23 025: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more. The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Taiwan, Malaysia, Greece in support of the procurement, installation, support services, training, and testing of a fire control radar weapon system.

CN - DDTC 22 076: Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, please find enclosed a certification of a proposed license amendment for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more. The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to Australia, Saudi Arabia, and UAE to support the preparation, shipment, delivery, inspection, acceptance, testing, and maintenance of PATRIOT missiles.

CN #194 - This narrative describes programs that USAID Asia Regional intends to carry out using FY 2022 new obligation authority (NOA). Of this NOA, notification is required for \$25,000,000, as described and underlined below, due to the following: (1) substantive changes from the FY 2022 Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ), marked by an asterisk (\*); (2) DA account level increase greater than 10 percent of FY 2022 CBJ request level. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7060(a)(2) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #195 - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to make a contribution in the amount of \$55,000,000 in FY 2022 GHP-USAID funding to the Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations (CEPI) multi-donor trust fund through a direct agreement with the World Bank, which is the trustee of the fund. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(g) and 7058(b)(5) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN #196 - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$2,000,000 of unallocated FY 2022 DA-CPIF funds to support a program that counters the Government of the People's Republic of China (PRC) influence in Southern Africa. This program will counter PRC malign development practices that compromise host nation sovereignty or development outcomes in ways that increase dependency on or vulnerability to the PRC. This program will also counter PRC activities that directly enable economic coercion, specifically around monopolistic practices in finance and infrastructure services. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #197 - This notification is to advise that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate a total of \$37,500,000 in FY 2022 DA resources from the Countering PRC Influence Fund (CPIF). These funds will support activities to counter the influence of the People's Republic of China (PRC) in the areas of private sector productivity, transport services, trade and investment, information and communications technology, good governance, civil society, and clean energy. Special notification is required for the Countering PRC Influence Fund, Indo-Pacific Strategy, and the countries of Uzbekistan and the Philippines. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E) and (F), of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #198 - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate approximately \$200,000 in FY 2022 DA funds for activities in Ethiopia under the Development Innovation Ventures (DIV) program. These funds were previously notified in CN #65 dated March 6, 2023, by the Bureau for Development, Democracy, and Innovation (DDI), and are being notified due to the special notification requirements related to the country of Ethiopia. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended; and section 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K). USAID intends to rely on the notwithstanding authority in section 7058(a) of the FY 2022 SFOAA for DIV activities in Ethiopia.

CN #199 - This notification is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate a total of \$9,250,000 of unallocated FY 2022 DA-CPIF and ESF-CPIF to support programming that will counter the PRC's malign influence in the Latin America and Caribbean regions. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #200 - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$5,230,000 in FY 2022 DA funds to support the USAID Partner Vetting System (PVS), Visa Compliance and International Exchanges program, Development Outreach and Communications (DOC) Program, and communication support, which are part of USAID Program Management Initiatives. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (FAA); and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7039(f), and 7060(a)(2) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN – USADF Rwanda, Pursuant to section 7015 (f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023, (Pub. L. 117-328, Division K, Title VII), I am writing to notify you of the United States African Development Foundation's (USADF) intention to award grant support to the following groups....

CN – USADF South Sudan, Pursuant to section 7015 (f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023, (Pub. L. 117-328, Division K, Title VII), I am writing to notify you of the United States African Development Foundation's (USADF) intention to award grant support to the following groups.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

**SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**

JULY 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 – JULY 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

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

10:15 AM

Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>

Markup on Various Measures: **H.R. 4619**, To authorize the sale of Virginia Class submarines to Australia in support of the trilateral security partnership between Australia, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and for other purposes; **H.R. 4725**, To conduct oversight and accountability of the State Department's implementation of AUKUS, and for other purposes; **H.R. 4716**, To amend the Arms Export Control Act in support of Australia and the AUKUS partnership; **H.R. 4715**, To amend the Arms Export Control Act in support of the United Kingdom and the AUKUS partnership; **H.R. 1776**, To prevent, treat, and cure tuberculosis globally; **H.R. 4517**, To require the Secretary of State to submit a plan for the reimbursement of personal funds expended to evacuate American citizens, American lawful permanent residents, and Afghan allies from Afghanistan, and for other purposes; **H.R. 3152**, To impose sanctions with respect to countries, individuals, and entities that engage in any effort to acquire, possess, develop, transport, transfer, or deploy Iranian missiles and related goods and technology, including materials and equipment, and for other purposes; **H.R. 4691**, To provide for congressional review of actions to terminate or waive sanctions imposed with respect to Iran; **H.R. 1456**, To limit the use of funds for the production of films using assets of the Department of State under certain circumstances, and for other purposes; **H.R. 4741**, To require the development of a strategy to promote the use of secure telecommunications infrastructure worldwide, and for other purposes; **H.Res. 578**, Calling for the immediate release of Eyvin Hernandez, a United States citizen and Los Angeles County public defender, who was wrongfully detained by the Venezuelan regime in March 2022; **H.R. 4825**, To require the imposition of sanctions and other measures relating to the Russian oil price cap policy, and for other purposes.

10:00 AM

Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: A Failure to Plan: Examining the Biden Administration's  
Preparation for the Afghanistan Withdrawal

Witnesses:

**Colonel Christopher D. Kolenda (Ret.)**  
Saber Six Foundation

**Colonel Seth Krummrich (Ret.)**  
Vice President  
Global Guardian  
(Former Chief of Staff, Special Operations Command Central)

**Command Sergeant Major Jacob Smith**  
4-31 Infantry, 2<sup>nd</sup> BCT  
10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division

Subcommittee on Oversight and Accountability, Chairman Mast

2:00 PM

Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: Illicit IT: Bankrolling Kim Jong Un

Witnesses:

**Mr. Bruce Klingner**  
Senior Research Fellow, Asian Studies Center  
The Heritage Foundation

**Ms. Jean H. Lee**  
Journalist and former Pyongyang Bureau Chief  
Associated Press

**Ms. Suzanne Scholte**  
President  
Defense Forum Foundation

3 | ***SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES***  
July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**Ms. Jenny Jun**  
Research Fellow  
Center for Security and Emerging Technology

Subcommittee on Indo – Pacific, Chairwoman Kim

2:00 PM

Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

Hearing: Colombia's Descent to Socialism: Assessing Gustavo Petro's  
Presidency

Witnesses:

**Mr. Mark Wells**  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs  
U.S. Department of State

**Mr. Peter Natiello**  
Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator  
Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean  
U.S. Agency for International Development

Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Chairwoman Salazar

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

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[H.R.5058](#) —To amend the Ukraine Freedom Support Act of 2014 to require the President to establish a semiconductor supply chain working group in response to the Russian invasion of Ukraine and submit reports to Congress on potential future disruptions to the supply chain.

**Sponsor:** [Titus, Dina \[Rep.-D-NV-1\]](#)

[H.R.5048](#) —To protect our democracy by preventing abuses of Presidential power, restoring checks and balances and accountability and transparency in government, and defending elections against foreign interference, and for other purposes. Protect our democracy by preventing abuses of Presidential power, restoring checks and balances and accountability and transparency in government, and defending elections against foreign interference, and for other purposes.

**Sponsor:** [Schiff, Adam B. \[Rep.-D-CA-30\]](#)



[H.R.5024](#) —To require the USAID Youth Coordinator, in their role as defined by the USAID Youth Policy, to coordinate cross-sectoral international development efforts related to youth, inclusive of youth, peace, and security, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Meng, Grace \[Rep.-D-NY-6\]](#)

[H.R.5019](#) — To limit the salaries and certain travel expenses of the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Mace, Nancy \[Rep.-R-SC-1\]](#)

[H.R.5006](#) —To direct the Secretary of State to take certain actions for the declassification and publication of materials relating to the Afghanistan withdrawal, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Issa, Darrell E. \[Rep.-R-CA-48\]](#)

[H.R.4994](#) — To establish officials and institutions for the strengthening of the partnership and cooperative transparency between the United States and Ukraine. **Sponsor:** [Fitzpatrick, Brian K. \[Rep.-R-PA-1\]](#)

[H.R.4977](#) — To amend the Better Utilization of Investments Leading to Development Act of 2018 to provide support in high-income economy countries for projects involving development or processing of certain critical materials. **Sponsor:** [Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" \[Rep.-R-GA-1\]](#)

[H.Con.Res.61](#) — Supporting Israeli democracy. **Sponsor:** [Schakowsky, Janice D. \[Rep.-D-IL-9\]](#)

[H.Res.627](#) — Condemning the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran for the massacre of political prisoners in 1988 and the uprisings of recent years, including the 2018, 2019, and 2022 uprisings, and calling for justice for its victims. **Sponsor:** [Gooden, Lance \[Rep.-R-TX-5\]](#)

[H.Res.624](#) —Recognizing the self-determination of Gibraltar to determine its status as a British Overseas Territory. **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#)

[H.R.4929](#) —To require the Secretary of State to submit a report on security threats in Lebanon, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Meng, Grace \[Rep.-D-NY-6\]](#)

[H.R.4928](#) —To provide for clarification and limitations with respect to the exercise of national security powers, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [McGovern, James P. \[Rep.-D-MA-2\]](#)

[H.R.4927](#) —To require ByteDance to divest itself of certain assets, and to require the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States to review certain business relationships between ByteDance and United States businesses, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [McClain, Lisa C. \[Rep.-R-MI-9\]](#)

[H.R.4898](#) —To establish the Office of Press Freedom, to create press freedom curriculum at the National Foreign Affairs Training Center, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Allred, Colin Z. \[Rep.-D-TX-32\]](#)

[H.R.4847](#) — To provide for limitations on general license authorities under the Syria Sanctions Regulations. **Sponsor:** [Baird, James R. \[Rep.-R-IN-4\]](#)

[H.R.4842](#) —To authorize efforts to counter the influence of the People's Republic of China at the United Nations. **Sponsor:** [LaHood, Darin \[Rep.-R-IL-16\]](#)

[H.Res.613](#) —Recognizing Tunisia's leadership in the Arab Spring and expressing support for upholding its democratic principles and norms. **Sponsor:** [Phillips, Dean \[Rep.-D-MN-3\]](#)

[H.R.4825](#) — To require the imposition of sanctions and other measures relating to the Russian oil price cap policy, and for other purposes. **Sponsor:** [Dean, Madeleine \[Rep.-D-PA-4\]](#)

\*\*\* EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS \*\*\*

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

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*[EC](#) – transmitting a report concerning international agreements other than treaties entered into by the United States to be transmitted to the Congress within the sixty day period specified in the Case-Zablocki Act, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b (a) ; PL 92-403... ..*

*[PM](#) – transmitting a notification that the national emergency with respect to significant transnational criminal organizations, originally declared in Exec Order 13581 on July 24, 2011, is to continue in effect beyond July 24, 2023, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d) ; PL 94-412, Sec. 202 (d) ; 90 Stat. 1257).*

*[EC](#) – transmitting certification of proposed transfer of major defense equipment, Department Notification Number: RSAT case 23-9258. Transfer between Government of Denmark to the Government of Argentina.*

*[EC](#) - transmitting certification of proposed transfer of major defense equipment, Department Notification Number: RSAT case 23-9552. Transfer between Government of Germany to the Government of Ukraine.*

*[EC](#) – transmitting certification of a proposed transfer of major defense equipment, Department Notification Number: RSAT case 23-933. Government of Norway transfer to Government of Argentina.*

*[EC](#) - transmitting a determination under section 506 (a) (1) and section 614 (a) (1) of Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide military assistance to Ukraine.*

*[EC](#) – transmitting MOJ for the drawdown of defense articles and services and military education and training under section 506 (a) (1) and section 614 (a) (1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide immediate military assistance to Ukraine.*

PM – A notice that the national emergency with respect to Lebanon, declared in Exec Order 13441 on August 1, 2007, is to continue in effect beyond August 1, 2023. Pursuant 50 USC 1622(d); PL 94-412, SEC. 202(d); (90 STAT 1257) ...

EC – six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to hostage taking and the wrongful detention of United States nationals abroad that was declared in Exec Order 14078 of July 19, 2022, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94-412....

EC – six month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to global illicit drug trafficking declared in Exec Order 14059 of December 15, 2021 pursuant 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94-412.....

EC – six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Hong Kong declared in Exec. Order 13936 of July 14, 2020, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 © ; PL 94-412....

EC – transmitting the Department of Commerce’s 2023 National Export Strategy, referred July 24, 2023.

EC – transmitting USAID’s final rule – Acquisition Regulation: Foreign Tax Reporting, Conference Planning, and Trade Investment Activities (RIN: 0412-AB04) received July 17, 2023, pursuant 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); PL 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868).

ML – By the speaker: A memorial of the Legislature of the State of Wyoming, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, in support of Taiwan.

PM – A letter regarding certification by the Secretary of the Interior that National of Mexico are engaging the trade of Totoaba and Vaquita fish that diminish the effectiveness of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, Pursuant to 22 U.S.C> 197 (b); Aug. 27, 1953, CH 1019, Sec 8b....

EC – Notice that the national emergency declared on July 26, 2019, with respect to Mali declared in Exec Order 13882 must continue in effect beyond July 26, 2023, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d); PL 94-412, SEC. 202; (90 STAT. 1257) ....

EC – Transmitting the State Department’s final rule – Hostages and Wrongful Detention Sanctions Regulations received July 17, 2023, pursuant 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) 1 (A) ; PL 104-121, Sec

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\*\*\*REPORTING REQUIREMENTS \*\*\*

Report to Congress, Development Finance Corporation, on the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 Office of the Chief Executive Officer, Equal Employment Opportunity Program July 2023.

Report to Congress, Department of State Office of the Inspector General (OIG) Review of Ukraine Foreign Assistance Coordination and Oversight. Password: **XR71\$OIG**

[Report](#) to Congress on United Nations Implementation of Effective Policies and Procedures to Prevent Sexual Exploitation and Abuse and Trafficking in Persons in UN Peacekeeping Missions “Contributions for International Peacekeeping Activities” Heading of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) and Section 104(e)(2) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2005 (22 U.S.C. 7111).

[Report](#) to Congress, Securities Exchange Commission Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which was added by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012, requires issuers that file annual or quarterly reports under Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act to include disclosure in such reports regarding certain activities specified in Section 13(r).

[Report](#) to Congress on Demographic Data for Diversity in the Department of State Workforce Section 9402(a) of the Department of State Authorization Act of 2022 (Div. I, P.L. 117-263).

[Report](#) TO CONGRESS ON THE SPECIFIC ACTIONS TAKEN AGAINST COUNTRIES DETERMINED TO HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN A PATTERN OF NONCOMPLIANCE IN THE 2023 ANNUAL REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL CHILD ABDUCTION JULY 2023 SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THE SEAN AND DAVID GOLDMAN INTERNATIONAL CHILD ABDUCTION PREVENTION AND RETURN ACT 22 U.S.C. §9111, ET SEQ.

[Report](#) Department of Defense (DoD) Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 386 Report Submitted pursuant to 10 U.S. Code Section 386.

[Report](#) USAID International Disaster Assistance (IDA) and Development Assistance (DA) Unobligated and Obligated Balances (Quarter 3.).

\*\*\* GAO REPORTS \*\*\*

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[GAO Report 23-105668](#) Venezuela: Illicit Financial Flows and U.S. Efforts to Disrupt Them

\*\*\* CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS \*\*\*

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CN – Department of State MOJ for the drawdown of Defense Articles and Services and Military Education and Training to provide assistance to Taiwan. The president of the United States has authorized the Department of State to notify Congress pursuant Foreign Assistance Act 1961, to direct the drawdown of \$245 million in defense articles and services to Taiwan.

CN – Department of Defense reimbursement of the Government of Hungary in the amount of \$11,845,892.25 for the expenses incurred by the Hungarian Defense Forces during their deployments in support of OPERATION Inherent Resolve. The reimbursement period covers January 1, 2018, through December 31, 2019.

CN 23 248 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2018, FY 2019, and FY 2020 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons (TIP Office). Department of State - \$1,356,400. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7015(c) and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2018 (Div. K, P.L. 115- 141), the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2019 (Div. F, P.L. 116-6), and the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2020 (Div. G, P.L. 116-94), and in reliance, as necessary, on the authority in section 481(a)(4) of the FAA.

CN 23 249 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons (TIP Office). Department of State - \$3,171,500. The funds will 1) prevent human trafficking, support efforts to prosecute the perpetrators of trafficking, and protect and reintegrate victims of trafficking; and 2) support the development, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of these projects.

CN 23 250 – The Department of State, consistent with section 122(a) of the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. A, P.L. 117-180), the Department of State is notifying you of the intent to transfer an additional \$255,912,000 in FY 2022 Department of Defense Operation and Maintenance – Overseas Humanitarian, Disaster, and Civic Aid (OHDACA) funds to the Diplomatic Programs (DP) and Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance (ESCM) accounts. The funds would then be obligated for the purposes described in this notification (Operation Enduring Welcome and Operation Allies Welcome).

CN 23 251 – Department of State, pursuant to section 122(a) of the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. A, P.L. 117-180) (FY 2023 CR), the Department of State (DOS) is providing notice of the intent to transfer and merge \$1,073,888,000 from FY 2022 Department of Defense (DOD) Operation and Maintenance (O&M) – OHDACA funds to the ERMA Fund to support Operation Enduring Welcome (EW).

CN 23 252 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs (NEA). Department of State - \$75,000 (ESF) ESF funds (\$75,000) will cover program support costs to provide administration and oversight of FY 2021's Jordan Chief of Mission Priorities Program. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and section 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 253 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia (AEECA) funds. This notification is being



submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). Department of State - \$1,475,000. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and section and 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), this is to advise that the Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs of the U.S. Department of State intends to obligate \$1,475,000 in FY 2022 AEECA funds to support democracy programming in **Georgia**.

CN 23 254 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES). Department of State - \$10,000,000 The funds will support activities to support environmental defenders. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7041(f)(3), and section 7061(a) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L.117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN 23 255 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia, and Central Asia (AEECA) funds by the agency listed below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). Department of the Treasury - \$1,712,332 The funds are to be used by the Department of the Treasury's Office of Technical Assistance (OTA) and its Office of International Affairs (IA) to support the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD). Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 256 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia (AEECA) by the agency listed below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). Department of Commerce - \$1,113,000 The funds will be used by the Special American Business Internship Training (SABIT) Program to provide hands-on training and technical assistance to a wide range of individuals from Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia, including but not limited to business executives, healthcare professionals and civil society representatives. The funds will be used for programs across Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia. Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Europe and Eurasia Regional. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (FY 2022 SFOAA), (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 257 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2023 Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) funds transferred from the CHIPS for America International Technology Security and Innovation (ITSI) Fund. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Security and

Nonproliferation (ISN). Pursuant to sections 634A and 582 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7030(b) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117- 328) (FY 2023 SFOAA).

CN 23 258 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Cyberspace and Digital Policy (CDP). Department of State - \$12,984,000 The funds will support the Digital Connectivity and Cybersecurity Partnership (DCCP). The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. This notification is submitted pursuant to sections 534(b)(3) (as made available globally by section 536 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2004 (P.L. 108-199)) and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(F), 7041(a)(1), and 7041(f)(1) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA).

CN 259 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Secretary's Office of Global Women's Issues (S/GWI), the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor (DRL), and the Bureau of South and Central Asian Affairs (SCA). Department of State - \$6,000,000 The funds will be used to support assistance for Afghan women, girls, and civil society. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 260 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support (ESF) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor (DRL). Department of State – \$5,500,000 The funds will support human rights and democracy programs for Burma. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7015(c) and (f) and 7032(b)(1) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 103-117), this is to advise that the Department of State intends to obligate \$5,500,000 in FY 2022 ESF funds to support human rights and democracy programs in Burma including for appropriate administration and oversight of such programs. Assistance under this CN will be provided in special notification countries, including Burma.

CN 23 261 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds as described below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs. Department of State - \$5,000,000 These funds will be used to support the Organization of American States (OAS) Inter-American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR).

CN 23 262 - The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Two-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$638,060 These funds will support the Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership (TSCTP) program. The activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.



CN 23 263 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). • Department of State – \$1,400,000 The funds will be used to support counternarcotics, transnational threats and crime, and rule of law activities under the Central America Regional Security Initiative (CARSI) that will benefit the people of Nicaragua. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7041(a)(1) and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA),

CN 23 264 - The Department of State informs you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 One-Year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) and FY 2023 Two-Year PKO funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. • Department of State – \$1,527,500 These funds will support the Global Defense Reform Program (GDRP) and Global Peace Operations Initiative (GPOI) programs. These activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA); sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7041(a)(1) and the special notification requirement under the “Peacekeeping Operations” heading in Title IV of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (Div. K, P.L. 117-328) (FY 2023 SFOAA).

CN 23 265 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Economic Support Funds. This notification is submitted on behalf of the Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES). Department of State – \$140,360,000 Funding will support activities to advance environment programs, including adaptation, clean energy, and sustainable landscapes. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (FAA), and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(g), 7041(f)(1), 7045(c)(3), and 7061(a) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K., P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA). The activities notified herein will benefit assistance-eligible countries globally and may include the following special notification countries: **Bahrain, Cambodia, Colombia, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Mexico, Pakistan, Philippines, Rwanda, Somalia, Sri Lanka, Uzbekistan, Yemen, and Zimbabwe.**

CN 23 266- The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 State Africa Regional Economic Support Funds – Prevention and Stabilization Funds (ESF-PSF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of African Affairs (AF). • Department of State - \$1,800,000 The funds will be used to support programming and staffing as part of the implementation of the Global Fragility Act (GFA) and subsequent U.S. Strategy to Prevent Conflict and Promote Stability in Mozambique. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), 7032(b)(1), and

7043(a)(1)(A) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103)

CN 23 267 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2023 Nonproliferation, Antiterrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) funds for Export Control and Border Security (EXBS), Global Threat Reduction (GTR), and Weapons of Mass Destruction Terrorism (WMDT) programs. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation (ISN). Department of State - \$21,000,000. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), 7032(b)(1), and 7043(a)(1)(A) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103)

CN 23 268 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds from the Countering PRC Influence Fund (CPIF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL). Department of State – \$25,934,000 A portion of the funds will support the Indo-Pacific Strategy. Funds will support citizen security and law enforcement, transnational threats and crime, and rule of law projects and activities in Laos, Morocco, Peru, Thailand, State Africa (AF) Regional – East Africa Transnational Organized Crime (EATOC), State AF Regional – West Africa Regional Security Initiative (WARSI), State East Asia Pacific (EAP) Regional, State Near East Asia (NEA) Regional, and State South and Central Asia (SCA) Regional. The activities planned are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), 7032(b)(1), and 7043(a)(1)(A) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103)

CN 23 269 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs (EAP). Department of State - \$550,000 The funds will support ongoing democracy programs in Burma. None of these funds will benefit the government of Burma. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA), and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), 7032(b)(1), and 7043(a)(1)(A) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act (SFOAA), 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 270 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Nonproliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation (ISN). • Department of State - \$600,000 **Tunisia**. Pursuant to section 582 and 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and sections 7015(c) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103).

CN 23 271 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support Fund resources. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of Global Partnerships (E/GP). Department of State - \$1,498,500 The funds will drive programming to scale sustainability-focused entrepreneurship in makerspaces globally and provide funding for the Women in Science (WiSci) program that convenes camps in developing economies where U.S. and foreign girls can experience hands-on training and inspiration from experts in the STEAM fields.

CN 23 272 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 State Africa Regional Economic Support Funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of African Affairs (AF) • Department of State - \$4,055,000 The funds will be used to support programming and staffing as part of the implementation of the Global Fragility Act (GFA) in **Coastal West Africa (Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Guinea, and Togo)**. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure.

CN 23 273 - The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Economic Support funds (ESF). This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs (EAP) and U.S. Embassy Port Moresby. Department of State - \$325,000 The funds will support conflict prevention and stabilization programming in Papua New Guinea as part of the implementation of the Global Fragility Act and subsequent U.S. Strategy to Prevent Conflict and Promote Stability. The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(D) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA), and section 509(a)(4) of the Global Fragility Act of 2019 (Title V, Div. J, P.L. 116-94), the Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs (EAP) of the Department of State intends to obligate up to \$250,000 in FY 2022 ESF - PSF funds to support activities in Papua New Guinea (PNG).

CN 23 274 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year 2022 Assistance for Europe, Eurasia and Central Asia (AEECA) funds by the agency listed below. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office of the Coordinator of U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia (EUR/ACE). • Department of Commerce - \$11,062,699 The funds are to be used by the Office of the General Counsel of the Department of Commerce to support the Commercial Law Development Program (CLDP), which broadly supports democratic advancement and good governance in beneficiary countries by promoting economic growth and supporting implementation of World Trade Organization (WTO) requirements, promoting trade liberalization, and protecting intellectual property rights (IPR). The planned activities are explained further in the attached enclosure. Pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) and sections 7009(b)(3), 7015(c), and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (Div. K, P.L. 117-103) (FY 2022 SFOAA). **Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Kosovo, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, North Macedonia, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Central Asia Regional, Europe and Eurasia Regional.**

CN 23 275 – The Department of State is informing you of its intent to obligate Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds. This notification is being submitted on behalf of the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons (TIP Office). • Department of State - \$14,588,467 The funds will be used to prevent human trafficking, support efforts to prosecute the perpetrators of trafficking, and protect and reintegrate victims of trafficking.

CN # 201 - This notification is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate a total of \$1,691,271 to World Bank's Living Standards Measurement Study's (LSMS) 50x2030 Initiative, a multi-donor trust fund. These funds were previously notified in the CN #37 dated January 26, 2018; CN #119 dated May 3, 2019; CN #98 dated March 19, 2020; CN #24 dated December 16, 2021; and CN #157 dated May 24, 2023. Funds are being notified due to special notification requirements related to trust fund contributions through international financial institutions. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(g) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #202 - This notification is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$2,000,000 of FY 2022 DA funds for Conflict Mitigation and Stabilization programming. These funds were previously notified by the USAID/Bureau for Conflict Prevention and Stabilization (CPS) in CN #114, dated April 18, 2023. Additional notification is required because of the special notification requirements related to the Indo-Pacific Strategy and the countries of Burma and Cambodia. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7060(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #203 - This notification advises that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$6,000,000 of unallocated FY 2022 DA-CPIF funds to support a program that counters the Government of the People's Republic of China (PRC) influence in Zambia. The Bolstering Independence in the Information Communications and Technology (ICT) Sector in Zambia program will advance two priority lines of effort: (1) counter PRC malign development practices that compromise host nation sovereignty or development outcomes in ways that increase dependency on or vulnerability to the PRC; and (2) counter PRC activities that directly enable economic coercion, specifically around monopolistic practices in finance and infrastructure services. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN # 204 - This notification is to advise that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$4,000,000 in FY 2022 GHP-USAID funds for health security programs in Azerbaijan. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the

Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7058(b)(5) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #205 - This notification is to advise that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$6,770,513 in FY 2022 ESF for Cuba. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA). USAID will rely on the authority in section 109(a) of the Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity (LIBERTAD) Act, 1996 (P.L. 104-114).

CN # 206 - This notification advises that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to provide \$4,000,000 in FY 2022 GHP-USAID funding to a Single Donor Trust Fund (SDTF) with the Global Financing Facility for Women, Children and Adolescents (GFF). This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c), 7015(g) and 7058(b)(5) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN # 207 - This notification is to advise that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$12,062,500 in FY 2022 ESF-Prevention and Stabilization Funding (PSF) to support programming to mitigate drivers of conflict and promote long-term stability in Libya. This notification is submitted pursuant to 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; sections 7015(c), 7015(f), and 7015(h)(2)(D) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA); and section 509(a)(4) of the Global Fragility Act (P.L. 116-94, Division J, Title V). In line with the purposes of PSF, these funds will continue to support implementation of the Global Fragility Act in Libya.

CN #208 - - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$1,005,000 in FY 2022 DA-CPIF funds through the Bureau for Policy, Planning and Learning (PPL) to support the continued use and expansion of the People's Republic of China (PRC) Economic and Political Influence on Development (PEPID) Dashboard Site and Analytics Program, a core programmatic activity supporting the Agency's approach to strategic competition with the PRC. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #209 - This notification is to advise that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$7,000,000 in FY 2022 DA-CPIF resources to support activities that will counter the influence of the People's Republic of China (PRC) by targeting corruption and strengthening critical cyber infrastructure in Albania, North Macedonia, Armenia, and Serbia. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of

State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN #210 - This notification advises that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$5,250,000 in FY 2022 DA-CPIF funds to provide support through the Bureau for Development, Democracy, and Innovation (DDI) to strategically counter the influence of the People's Republic of China (PRC). This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) of 1961, as amended; and sections 7015(c) and 7015(h)(2)(F) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (P.L. 117-103, Division K) (SFOAA).

CN # 211 - This notification advises that the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) intends to obligate \$15,100,000 in FY 2022 ESF funds to support key commitments, including programs that will allow USAID to engage in efforts to control methane, conserve forest landscapes, and mitigate the effects of the changing climate. This includes \$4,000,000 in Sustainable Landscapes; \$9,000,000 in Clean Energy; and \$2,100,000 in Adaptation. Funds are notified due to substantive change, special notification requirements related to the Indo-Pacific Strategy; programming in special notification countries of Colombia, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Honduras, Haiti, the Philippines, Rwanda, Somalia, and Sri Lanka; interagency agreements; and trust fund contributions through an international financial institution. This notification is submitted pursuant to section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act (FAA) as amended; and sections 7009(b)(3), 7014(a), 7015(c), 7015(f), 7015(g), 7015(h)(2)(E), and 7044(d)(3) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 P.L. 117-103 (Division K) (SFOAA). Assistance to Ethiopia will rely on notwithstanding authority in SFOAA section 7061(a).

CN – Peace Corps: Pursuant to Section 7015(a) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Act of 2023 (Division K of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023, P.L. 117-328) and Section 8(k) of the Peace Corps Act (22 U.S.C. 2509(k)), this letter constitutes notification that, due to the unpredictable timeline for the return of Volunteers to in-person service in Ukraine because of Russia's unprovoked invasion, the Peace Corps intends to significantly reduce the current physical and staff infrastructure of our program in Ukraine.

CN – DFC will provide a nine-year, direct loan of up to \$30,000,000 to Dalmia Polypro Industries Private Limited (“Dalmia”) to finance the design, development, equipment purchase, construction, and operation of a new 171,000 metric tons per annum (“mtpa”) plastic waste recycling facility and all associated facilities in Nashik, India (the “Project”). This notification is submitted pursuant to Section 1446 of the BUILD Act of 2018 (P.L. 115-254, Division F) in advance of the DFC's intended financial commitment outlined below.

CN – DFC will provide post-investment technical assistance (“TA”) grant funding in an amount of up to \$5,000,000 to increase the developmental impact and improve the commercial sustainability of DFC's existing ~\$80 million debt investment in The Urban Resilience Fund (“TURF”), managed by Meridiam SAS which was previously notified to Congress in CN# FY222-17, dated March 10, 2022. Meridiam is a global investor and asset manager founded in

2005, with a portfolio of \$18 billion of investments in more than one hundred transport, construction, and public services projects. Based in Paris, France, with offices in nine other countries, Meridiam specializes in developing, financing, and managing long-term public infrastructure projects in **Europe, North America, and Africa**. This notification is submitted pursuant to Section 7015(f) of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023 (P.L. 117-328, Division K) in advance of DFC's intended financial commitment outlined below.



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**Monthly Statement by Paid Date**  
**118-1 July**

| Description  | July                | YTD Including<br>July | Cumulative Total      |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Non Statutory Compensation                             | \$745,465.94        | \$4,743,983.19        | \$4,743,983.19        |
| Accrued Leave  | \$0.00              | \$42,013.89           | \$42,013.89           |
| Bonus  | \$0.00              | \$400.00              | \$400.00              |
| <b>11 Personnel Compensation subtotal</b>              | <b>\$745,465.94</b> | <b>\$4,786,397.08</b> | <b>\$4,786,397.08</b> |
| Plane  | \$2,176.34          | \$3,805.67            | \$3,805.67            |
| Train  | \$0.00              | \$1,480.00            | \$1,480.00            |
| Lodging  | \$1,360.30          | \$4,252.74            | \$4,252.74            |
| Meals  | \$565.21            | \$1,104.85            | \$1,104.85            |
| Wifi   | \$5.00              | \$5.00                | \$5.00                |
| Car Rental   | \$0.00              | \$181.51              | \$181.51              |
| Taxi   | \$881.57            | \$2,453.32            | \$2,453.32            |
| Parking  | \$87.00             | \$232.00              | \$232.00              |
| <b>21 Travel subtotal</b>                              | <b>\$5,075.42</b>   | <b>\$13,515.09</b>    | <b>\$13,515.09</b>    |
| DC Telecommunication Equipment                         | \$368.00            | \$2,223.00            | \$2,223.00            |
| DC Telecommunication Services                          | \$1,193.25          | \$6,934.75            | \$6,934.75            |
| DC Telecommunication Tolls                             | \$5,041.06          | \$37,502.70           | \$37,502.70           |
| HIR Graphics   | \$100.00            | \$880.00              | \$880.00              |
| Utilities  | \$4,093.52          | \$12,282.77           | \$12,282.77           |
| <b>23 Rent, Communications, and Utilities subtotal</b> | <b>\$10,795.83</b>  | <b>\$59,823.22</b>    | <b>\$59,823.22</b>    |
| Printing & Reproduction                                | \$0.00              | \$1,874.30            | \$1,874.30            |
| Photographic (Transfer)                                | \$0.00              | \$257.50              | \$257.50              |
| Reproduction of Fed/Public Law                         | \$170.00            | \$540.00              | \$540.00              |
| <b>24 Printing and Reproduction subtotal</b>           | <b>\$170.00</b>     | <b>\$2,671.80</b>     | <b>\$2,671.80</b>     |
| Web Dev Hst,Email & Rltd Serv                          | \$3,464.28          | \$8,563.11            | \$8,563.11            |
| <b>25 Other Services subtotal</b>                      | <b>\$3,464.28</b>   | <b>\$8,563.11</b>     | <b>\$8,563.11</b>     |
| Technology Service Contracts                           | \$0.00              | \$540.00              | \$540.00              |
| Bottled Water  | \$3,551.41          | \$6,997.96            | \$6,997.96            |
| Food & Beverage  | \$1,086.78          | \$4,903.81            | \$4,903.81            |
| Framing (Transfer)                                     | \$0.00              | \$191.00              | \$191.00              |
| Habitation Expense                                     | \$169.48            | \$169.48              | \$169.48              |
| Office Supplies (Outside)                              | \$4,713.06          | \$17,075.05           | \$17,075.05           |
| Office Supplies (Transfer)                             | \$592.96            | \$8,436.02            | \$8,436.02            |
| Computer Software <\$500                               | \$14.00             | \$1,154.71            | \$1,154.71            |
| Publications/Reference Material                        | \$0.00              | \$3,983.94            | \$3,983.94            |
| <b>26 Supplies and Materials subtotal</b>              | <b>\$10,127.69</b>  | <b>\$43,451.97</b>    | <b>\$43,451.97</b>    |
| Office Equip. Purch. < \$25,000                        | \$28,730.00         | \$28,730.00           | \$28,730.00           |
| Comp. Hardware Purch. < \$25,000                       | \$21,406.15         | \$21,406.15           | \$21,406.15           |
| Maintenance / Repairs                                  | \$2,263.94          | \$16,911.31           | \$16,911.31           |
| Warranties   | \$0.00              | \$1,513.12            | \$1,513.12            |
| <b>31 Equipment subtotal</b>                           | <b>\$52,400.09</b>  | <b>\$68,560.58</b>    | <b>\$68,560.58</b>    |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                  | <b>\$827,499.25</b> | <b>\$4,982,982.85</b> | <b>\$4,982,982.85</b> |

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**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Foreign Affairs**  
**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date**  
**July**

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| <b>Total Authorization</b>      | <b>\$10,827,000.00</b> |
| <b>118-1</b>                    |                        |
| <br>                            |                        |
| <b>Less Expenses for:</b>       |                        |
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| January, 2023                   | \$536,953.38           |
| February, 2023                  | \$654,377.86           |
| March, 2023                     | \$689,748.19           |
| April, 2023                     | \$743,152.05           |
| May, 2023                       | \$756,719.85           |
| June, 2023                      | \$774,532.27           |
| July, 2023                      | \$827,499.25           |
| <b>Total Expenses to Date:</b>  | <b>\$4,982,982.85</b>  |
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| <b>Unexpended Authorization</b> | <b>\$5,844,017.15</b>  |

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**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Foreign Affairs - FM**  
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118-1 July

| <b>Description</b>          | <b>YTD Including</b> |               | <b>Cumulative Total</b> |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------------------|
|                             | <b>July</b>          | <b>July</b>   |                         |
| Franked Mail                | \$0.00               | \$0.00        | \$0.00                  |
| <b>FM Franking subtotal</b> | <b>\$0.00</b>        | <b>\$0.00</b> | <b>\$0.00</b>           |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>       | <b>\$0.00</b>        | <b>\$0.00</b> | <b>\$0.00</b>           |

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**Committee on Foreign Affairs - FM**  
**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date**  
**July**

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| <b>Total Authorization</b>      |                   |
| <b>118-1</b>                    | <b>\$5,000.00</b> |
| <b>Less Expenses for:</b>       |                   |
| January, 2023                   | \$0.00            |
| February, 2023                  | \$0.00            |
| March, 2023                     | \$0.00            |
| April, 2023                     | \$0.00            |
| May, 2023                       | \$0.00            |
| June, 2023                      | \$0.00            |
| July, 2023                      | \$0.00            |
| <b>Total Expenses to Date:</b>  | <b>\$0.00</b>     |
| <b>Unexpended Authorization</b> | <b>\$5,000.00</b> |

Report of Domestic Travel Performed  
 Committee on Foreign Affairs  
 118<sup>th</sup> Congress, 1<sup>st</sup> Session  
 July 2023

| Dates of Service 1 | Dates of Service 2 | Payee Name        | BOC lookup | Amount   | Description of Articles                             |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|----------|---|
| 07/05/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Plane      | \$601.81 | Air Travel: J. Deperalta AA 48005 DCA>>MIA MIA>>DCA |
| 07/07/2023         |                    | Olivia Late       | Plane      | \$631.81 | Air Travel: O. Late                                 |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Leslie Shedd      | Plane      | \$792.10 | Air - GSP-CLT-MIA-DCA L. Shedd                      |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Leslie Shedd      | Plane      | \$300.90 | Air - Change MIA-DCA                                |
| 07/05/2023         | 07/09/2023         | Olivia Late       | Lodging    | \$765.04 | Lodging: O. Late                                    |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Lodging    | \$297.63 | Lodging: J. Deperalta                               |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Maggie Goessler   | Lodging    | \$297.63 | Lodging: M. Goessler                                |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Leslie Shedd      | Lodging    | \$272.63 | Hotel - L. Shedd                                    |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Jacob Deperalta   | Meals      | \$136.57 | Meals: J. Deperalta                                 |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Leslie Shedd      | Meals      | \$174.10 | Meals   |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Wifi       | \$5.00   | WiFi on Travel: J. Deperalta                        |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Jacob Deperalta   | Taxi       | \$138.93 | Taxi: J. Deperalta                                  |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Leslie Shedd      | Taxi       | \$241.60 | Taxi and Uber                                       |
| 07/12/2023         | 07/18/2023         | Dwayne Clark      | Taxi       | \$50.85  | Taxi: D. Clark                                      |
| 07/11/2023         |                    | Philip Bednarczyk | Taxi       | \$18.91  | Taxi: P. Bednarczyk                                 |

Committee on Foreign Affairs  
Payroll Information for Monthly Committee Report

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|--------------|------------------|
| Fiscal Year: | (All)            |
| Month Paid:  | July-23          |
| Type         | (Multiple Items) |

| Name                      | Title                                      | Gross Monthly Compensation |
|---------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Anderson, Douglas         | General Counsel                            | \$17,675.00                |
| Bednarczyk, Philip        | Sr Professional Staff Member               | \$11,500.00                |
| Bergal, Carina            | Subcommittee Counsel                       | \$10,000.00                |
| Billerbeck, Peter         | Professional Staff Member                  | \$11,416.67                |
| Bischoping, Mary          | Counsel                                    | \$10,416.67                |
| Bivens, Robert II         | Scheduler                                  | \$2,500.00                 |
| Bruce, Emmarose           | Staff Director                             | \$6,250.00                 |
| Callesen, Michael         | Professional Staff Member                  | \$8,750.00                 |
| Carey, Laura              | Sr PSM/Oversight Director                  | \$12,916.67                |
| Carr Johnson, Zakiya      | Professional Staff Member                  | \$11,250.00                |
| Carroll, Charles          | Professional Staff Member                  | \$10,416.67                |
| Castaneda, Alexis         | Policy Assistant                           | \$6,666.67                 |
| Cerga, Vladimir           | Director of Information & Technology       | \$10,833.33                |
| Chapman, William "Parker" | Sr Investigator and Deputy Parliamentarian | \$10,833.33                |
| Clark, Dwayne             | Professional Staff Member                  | \$7,083.33                 |
| Comrie, Blake             | Staff Associate                            | \$4,791.67                 |
| Davenport, Collin         | Committee Liaison                          | \$100.00                   |
| Del Beccaro, Christopher  | Sr Advisor                                 | \$100.00                   |
| Deperalta, Jacob          | Policy Analyst                             | \$5,833.33                 |
| Dufault, Claire           | Legislative Correspondent/Assistant        | \$4,583.33                 |
| Dunleavy, Jerry           | Senior Investigator                        | \$6,883.33                 |
| Earle, Katherine          | Subcommittee Staff Director                | \$12,500.00                |
| Foltz, Joseph             | Subcommittee Staff Director                | \$12,916.67                |
| Fontenot, Johnna          | Press Secretary                            | \$1,250.00                 |
| Frohlich, Michael         | Speech Writer                              | \$2,083.33                 |
| Fullerton, Laura          | Deputy Staff Director                      | \$17,675.00                |
| Galanes, Jason            | Committee Liaison                          | \$100.00                   |
| Gandhi, Sajit             | Deputy Staff Director                      | \$16,333.33                |
| Goessler, Maggie          | Professional Staff Member                  | \$8,333.33                 |
| Gorski, Jennifer          | Director of Operations & Parliamentarian   | \$15,833.33                |
| Gupta, Anubhav            | Sr Professional Staff Member               | \$11,041.67                |
| Heil, Brennan             | Deputy Communications                      | \$7,500.00                 |
| Jackson, Madeline         | Special Assistant                          | \$5,416.67                 |
| Jones, Sophie             | Subcommittee Staff Director                | \$6,250.00                 |
| Jordan, Aaron             | Deputy Chief Counsel                       | \$11,750.00                |
| Kaguyutan, Janice         | Chief Counsel                              | \$15,500.00                |
| Kokonos, Lance            | Policy Analyst                             | \$6,666.67                 |
| Kowalewski, Ann           | Professional Staff Member                  | \$9,583.33                 |
| Kulukundis, Christopher   | Policy Analyst                             | \$6,250.00                 |
| Lafargue, Sophia          | Staff Director                             | \$17,675.00                |
| Laponsa, Sasha            | Staff Associate                            | \$4,583.33                 |
| Late, Olivia              | Communications Assistant                   | \$4,166.67                 |
| Lazio, Molly              | Professional Staff Member                  | \$9,583.33                 |
| Lee, Eric                 | Professional Staff Member                  | \$9,166.67                 |
| Levine, Michael           | Professional Staff Member                  | \$9,583.33                 |
| Luyten, Derek             | HDP Executive Director                     | \$12,916.67                |
| Marca, Danny              | Systems Administration                     | \$7,291.67                 |

Committee on Foreign Affairs  
Payroll Information for Monthly Committee Report

| Name                  | Title   | Gross Monthly Compensation |
|-----------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Marcus, Robert        | Sr Professional Staff Member                  | \$11,833.33                |
| Markley, Sarah        | Professional Staff Member                     | \$9,166.67                 |
| Markus, Daniel        | Sr Professional Staff Member                  | \$12,500.00                |
| Martin, Joseph        | Sr Advisor                                    | \$3,750.00                 |
| Matlaga, Michael      | Sr Policy Analyst/Subcommittee Staff Director | \$8,333.33                 |
| McCune, Colin         | Finance Assistant                             | \$537.04                   |
| Milosch, Mark         | TLHRC Sr Professional Staff Member            | \$13,750.00                |
| Mirviss, Sophie       | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$6,250.00                 |
| Nodvin, Leah          | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$6,250.00                 |
| Norman, Sarah         | O&I Sr Counsel                                | \$11,250.00                |
| Pinover, McLaurine    | Deputy Communications Director                | \$9,583.33                 |
| Pitt, McCoy           | Legal Counsel                                 | \$7,291.67                 |
| Quintana, Ana         | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$12,500.00                |
| Ramsay, Brandon       | Sr. Policy Analyst/Subcomm Staff Director     | \$1,555.56                 |
| Ravishankar, Siddarth | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$6,250.00                 |
| Ritchey, George       | Security Officer                              | \$10,000.00                |
| Roos, Amber Harris    | Finance Director                              | \$4,123.33                 |
| Schwartz, Allison     | Policy Analyst                                | \$6,666.67                 |
| Shedd, Leslie         | Communications Director                       | \$14,916.67                |
| Shields, Brendan      | Staff Director                                | \$17,675.00                |
| Stanton, Kimberly     | Sr Professional Staff Member                  | \$9,166.67                 |
| Steffens, Jessica     | Sr Professional Staff Member                  | \$13,958.33                |
| Strother, William     | Sr Policy Analyst                             | \$7,083.33                 |
| Throckmorton, Shea    | Policy Analyst                                | \$6,250.00                 |
| Towns, Marcus         | Director of Member Services                   | \$7,916.67                 |
| Trudnak, Isabelle     | Staff Assistant                               | \$2,741.67                 |
| Vasilescu, Dikran     | Communications Director                       | \$11,000.00                |
| Vigil, Mary           | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$12,916.67                |
| Wagner, Megan         | Hearing Clerk                                 | \$10,416.67                |
| Walker, Rachel        | Senior Advisor                                | \$8,333.33                 |
| Walsh, James          | Sr Professional Staff Member                  | \$11,250.00                |
| Weiland, Frank        | Senior Counsel                                | \$13,333.33                |
| White, Christopher    | Counsel                                       | \$11,666.67                |
| Wisch, Samuel         | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$12,083.33                |
| Woody, Taryn          | Professional Staff Member                     | \$7,916.67                 |
| Zach, Gabriella       | Subcommittee Staff Director                   | \$12,500.00                |
| Grand Total           |   | \$745,465.94               |



| Dates of Service 1 | Dates of Service 2 | Payee Name        | BOC lookup | Amount   | Description of Articles                             |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|----------|---|
| 07/05/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Plane      | \$601.81 | Air Travel: J. Deperalta AA 48005 DCA>>MIA MIA>>DCA |
| 07/07/2023         |                    | Olivia Late       | Plane      | \$631.81 | Air Travel: O. Late                                 |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Leslie Shedd      | Plane      | \$792.10 | Air - GSP-CLT-MIA-DCA L. Shedd                      |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Leslie Shedd      | Plane      | \$300.90 | Air- Change MIA-DCA                                 |
| 07/05/2023         | 07/09/2023         | Olivia Late       | Lodging    | \$765.04 | Lodging: O. Late                                    |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Lodging    | \$297.63 | Lodging: J. Deperalta                               |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Maggie Goessler   | Lodging    | \$297.63 | Lodging: M. Goessler                                |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Leslie Shedd      | Lodging    | \$272.63 | Hotel -L. Shedd                                     |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Jacob Deperalta   | Meals      | \$136.57 | Meals: J. Deperalta                                 |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Leslie Shedd      | Meals      | \$174.10 | Meals   |
| 07/09/2023         |                    | Jacob Deperalta   | Wifi       | \$5.00   | WiFi on Travel: J. Deperalta                        |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Jacob Deperalta   | Taxi       | \$138.93 | Taxi: J. Deperalta                                  |
| 07/09/2023         | 07/10/2023         | Leslie Shedd      | Taxi       | \$241.60 | Taxi and Uber                                       |
| 07/12/2023         | 07/18/2023         | Dwayne Clark      | Taxi       | \$50.85  | Taxi: D. Clark                                      |
| 07/11/2023         |                    | Philip Bednarczyk | Taxi       | \$18.91  | Taxi: P. Bednarczyk                                 |

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**List of Detailees – July 2023**

| <b>Detailee</b>  | <b>Agency</b>                | <b>Current Assignment</b> |
|------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Letitia Fletcher | Government Publishing Office | 1/3/19 – 12/31/23         |
| John Morrisroe   | Department of State          | 8/1/23 – 8/1/24           |
| Russell Brooks   | Department of State          | 8/1/22 – 8/12/23          |