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January 2, 2023

The Honorable Zoe Lofgren
Chairperson
Committee on House Administration
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairperson Lofgren:

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

- (1) Summary for December 2022 of specific studies and investigations;
- (2) Statement of Expenses for December 2022, and the Fund Balance Statement;
- (3) Monthly report of domestic travel performed for December 2022;
- (4) Listing of Committee staff for December 2022, their titles, and their gross monthly salaries;
- (5) Listing of Committee detailees for December 2022.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gregory W. Meeks".

Gregory W. Meeks
Chair

117th CONGRESS

2ND SESSION

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS
SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES
DECEMBER 1ST, 2022 – DECEMBER 2ND, 2022

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

None.

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

[H.R. 9397](#)*—“To promote global internet freedom.” Sponsored by Rep. Abigail Spanberger

[H.R. 9388](#)—“To require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to carry out certain activities to protect communities from the harmful effects of plastics, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Jared Huffman

[H.R. 9385](#)—“To impose restrictions on the investment in Chinese companies by tax-exempt entities.” Sponsored by Rep. Mike Gallagher

[H.R. 9347](#)*—“To direct the Secretary of State to develop and submit to Congress a strategy and implementation plan outlining United States efforts to counter the malign influence and activities of the Russian Federation and its proxies in Africa, Latin America, the Middle East, and other regions as appropriate, and for other purposes. Sponsored by Rep. Gregory Meeks.

[H.R. 9364](#)*—“To promote the African Continental Free Trade Area, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Karen Bass

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

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

None

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

[Implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolutions by Other Governments](#)
December 2, 2022. State transmitting pursuant to section 317 of the Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act of 2017 (P.L. 115-44).

[International Religious Freedom Designations](#). December 2, 2022. State transmitting consistent with section 402 of the International Religious Freedom Act of 1998 (IRF Act) (22 U.S.C. 6442), we hereby transmit the annual designations of “countries of particular concern” and “special watch list” under Section 402(b) of the IRF Act. Consistent with section 301 of the Frank R. Wolf International Religious Freedom Act of 2016 (Public Law 114-281) (Wolf Act), we hereby transmit notification of and reports on the designations of “entities of particular concern.” The reasons for the President’s waivers granted under Section 407 of the IRF Act are set out in the

attached memorandum of justification. Consistent with sections 402 and 404 of the IRF Act (22 U.S.C. 6442 and 22 U.S.C. 6444), we also hereby transmit the report of designations of specific sanctions that satisfy the requirements under section 402 of the IRF Act.

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

None.

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

Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE); Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance (ERMA); Overseas Humanitarian, Disaster, and Civic Aid (OHDACA); Diplomatic Programs (DP); Emergencies in the Diplomatic and Consular Service (K Fund); Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance (ESCM); Middle East Regional Cooperation (MERC); International Military Education and Training (IMET)

CN #22-371—Notification of intent to vote for a UN Security Council resolution extending the mandate of the UN Organization Stabilization Mission in the DRC. December 1, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-372—Notification of intent to obligate approximately \$260,000 in FY 2023 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the BridgeUSA STEM Scholarship Fund. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-373—Notification of intent to obligate approximately \$100,000 in FY 2023 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the BridgeUSA Journalism and Rule of Law Scholarship Program. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-374—Notification of intent to obligate approximately \$10,000 in FY 2023 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the BridgeUSA Physician Well-being Initiative. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-375—Notification of intent to obligate approximately \$465,000 in FY 2023 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the Ambassador Fund for Summer Work Travel. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-376—Notification of intent to obligate approximately \$100,000 in FY 2023 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the BridgeUSA Africa Polytechnic Collaboration Initiative. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

DDTC 22-041—Notification of intent to obligate \$100,000,000 in defense articles and services to Belgium and the Netherlands. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

DDTC 22-044—Notification of intent to obligate \$50,000,000 in defense articles and services to Ukraine. December 2, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of sanctions designation against individuals and companies that manage Hizballah's overarching financial apparatus operating throughout Lebanon. December 2, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification sanctions designation against three individuals for supporting the development of weapons of mass destruction and ballistic missiles in North Korea and Japan. December 2, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification sanctions designation against Haitian nationals Rony Celestin and Richard Lenine Hervé Fourcand for having engaged in activities or transactions that have materially contributed to the international proliferation of illicit drugs or their means of production. December 2, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of a report on Money Laundering from Fentanyl and Synthetic Opioids. December 2, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of proposed issuance of letter acceptance for defense articles and services in the amount of \$380,000,000 to the government of Finland. December 1, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of enhancements from the level of sensitivity of technology of defense articles in the amount of \$2,810,000,000 and services to Taipei. December 1, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #53—Notification of intent to resume operations in Vanuatu by returning volunteer service there. December 2, 2022. Peace Corps transmitting congressional notification.

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DECEMBER 5TH, 2022 – DECEMBER 9TH, 2022

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

Tuesday, December 6th

10:00am **Hearing:** Confronting Yemen's Humanitarian and Political Crises Without a Ceasefire Subcommittee on the Middle East, North Africa, and Global Counterterrorism, Chair Cicilline.

WITNESSES:

The Honorable Timothy A. Lenderking
Special Envoy for Yemen
U.S. Department of State

Ms. Sarah Charles
Assistant to the Administrator
Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance
U.S. Agency for International Development

5:30 pm **Markup:** H. Res. 1456, Of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Secretary of State to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the conclusion of the Department of State on whether Marc Fogel is wrongfully detained. H. Res. 1482, Of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Secretary of Defense and Secretary of State to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to Congressionally appropriated funds to the nation of Ukraine from January 20, 2021 to November 15, 2022. H.R. 9374, Countering Malign Russian Activities Globally Act. H.R. 9243, Providing Appropriate Recognition and Treatment Needed to Enhance Relations with ASEAN Act. H.R. 8654, End Tuberculosis Now Act.

Wednesday, December 9th

10:00 am **Hearing:** Understanding and Addressing Challenges in the Mekong Region. Subcommittee on Asia, the Pacific, Central Asia, and Nonproliferation. Chair Bera.

WITNESSES:

Mr. Brian Eyler

Director
Southeast Asia Program
The Stimson Center

Mr. Greg Poling
Director
Southeast Asia Program
Center for Strategic and International Studies

Dr. Patrick M. Cronin
Chair for Asia-Pacific Security
Hudson Institute

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

[H.R.9426](#)—“ To prohibit the use of Federal funds made available for foreign assistance to be used to support drag theater performances.” Sponsored by Rep. Gohmert, Louie

[H.Res.1509](#) — “Reaffirming the partnership between the United States and the Dominican Republic and advancing opportunities to deepen diplomatic, economic, and security cooperation between the two nations” Sponsored by Rep. Espaillat, Adriano

[H.R.9435](#)—“ To take certain actions with respect to Saudi Arabia in response to the shootings that occurred at Naval Air Station Pensacola in Florida on December 6, 2019.” Sponsored by Rep. Gaetz, Matt

[H.R.9460](#)—“ To criminalize transnational repression, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Schiff, Adam B.

[H.Res.1515](#) — “Expressing support for the draft United Nations General Assembly Resolution A/C.1/77/L.62 calling upon member states to commit not to conduct destructive direct-ascent anti-satellite missile tests, introduced by the United States at the 77th Session of the United Nations General Assembly.” Sponsored by Rep. Lieu, Ted

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

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

EC #06072—Notification of a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the stabilization of Iraq that was declared in Executive Order 13303 of May 22, 2003, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 (c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401 (c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703 (c); Public Law 95-223, Sec 204 (c); (91 Stat. 1627). December 7, 2022. Treasury transmitting executive communications.

EC #06073—Notification of a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to serious human rights abuse and corruption that was declared in Executive Order 13818 of December 20, 2017, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641 (c); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 401 (c); (90 Stat. 1257) and 50 U.S.C. 1703 (c); Public Law 95-223, Sec 204 (c); (91 Stat. 1627). December 7, 2022. Treasury transmitting executive communications.

EC #06074—Notification of a memorandum of justification of a drawdown under section 506 (a) (1) of the Foreign Assistance of 1961. December 7, 2022. State transmitting executive communications.

EC #0244—Notification of a memorial of the Senate of the State of Alaska, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 25, standing in solidarity with the people of Ukraine during this horrific and unnecessary war. December 7, 2022. Speaker transmitting executive communications.

EC—Notification of a report to congress on FY 2023 Allocations for CHIPS Act International Technology Security and Innovation Fund, November 2022, pursuant to Public Law 117-167, Sec. 102 (c) (3) (A); (136 Stat. 1376). December 8, 2022. State transmitting executive communications.

EC—Notification of the annual report on the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2462 note; Public Law 106-309, Sec. 304; (114 Stat. 1095). December 8, 2022. State transmitting executive communications.

EC—Notification of a report to congress on U.S. Compliance with the Authorization for Use of Military Force in Iraq section 4 of the Authorization for Use of Military force against Iraq resolution of 2002 (Public Law 107-243) (50 USC 1541) for the period from July 6, 2022, to September 4, 2022, pursuant to (116 Stat. 1501). December 8, 2022. State transmitting executive communications.

EC—The foreign claims settlement commission of the United States Annual Report for Calendar Year 2021, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 4107; July 3, 1948, ch. 826, Sec. 9 (as amended by Public Law 89-348, Sec. 2(6)); (79 Stat. 1312) and 22 U.S.C. 1622 (c); Mar. 10, 1950, ch. 54, Sec. 3 (c) (as amended by Aug. 9, 1955, ch. 645, Sec. 1); (69 Stat. 562). December 8, 2022. Justice transmitting executive communications.

EC—Notification of a determination under section 506 (a) (1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (FAA) to provide military assistance to Ukraine. December 8, 2022. State transmitting executive communications.

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

[All Significant Changes Made to the Foreign Affairs Manual or the Foreign Affairs Handbook.](#) December 5, 2022. State transmitting under section 5318(c) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (P.L. 117-81).

[Verification and Compliance Regarding the February 28 U.S.-Taliban Agreement.](#) December 6th, 2022. State transmitting under Section 1217(c) of the William M. (Mac) Thornberry NDAA for Fiscal Year 2021 (P.L. 116-283).

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[Annual Rewards for Justice Report](#). December 6th, 2022. State transmitting under section 36(g)(2) of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 USC 2708(g)(2)).

[United States Security Assistance Provides to Ukraine since February 24, 2022, Russian Invasion of Ukraine](#). December 6th, 2022. Defense transmitting pursuant to section 1102 of the Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2023 (division B of Public Law 117-180).

[Report to Congress on Foreign National for Whom Reward Will Be Offered](#). December 7, 2022. State transmitting under section 36(g)(3) of the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956.

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

[GAO-23-106042](#) – “National Security Space: Overview of Contracts for Commercial Satellite Imagery.” December 8, 2022.

[GAO-23-105782](#) – “Sudan Claims Resolution Act: State Verified Eligibility, Determined Compensation, and Distributed Payments.” December 8, 2022.

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

Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE); One-year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO); Africa Conflict Stabilization and Border Security (ACSBS); Complex Crises Fund (CCF); economic support fund (ESF)

CN #22-378—Notification of intent to obligate \$61,719,708 (FY2023) in One-year Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) to support Africa Conflict Stabilization and Border Security (ACSBS). December 8, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

DDTC 22-056—Notification of intent to obligate \$7,944,524 in defense articles and services to Estonia. December 8, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of memorandum of Justification to provide military assistance to Ukraine, including for self-defense and border security operations. December 9, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #27—Notification of intent to obligate \$5,000,000 (FY 2022) in Complex Crises Fund (CCF) to Somalia for conflict mitigation and stabilization. December 8, 2022. USAID transmitting congressional notification.

CN #28—Notification of intent to obligate \$13,800,000 (FY 2022) to economic support fund (ESF) to Libya. December 8, 2022. USAID transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of Determination pursuant to Executive Order 14071 related to a price cap on crude oil of Russian Federation origin. December 5, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of sanction designation against Sitki Ayan who facilitated the sale of hundreds of millions of dollars’ worth of oil for Iran’s Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps-Qods Force (IRGC-QF). December 8, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification sanctions designation against Li Zhenyu and Xinrong Zhuo, and the networks of entities they control, including Dalian Ocean Fishing Co., Ltd. and Pingtan Marine Enterprise, Ltd. along with eight other affiliated entities for engaging in serious human rights abuse,

including on those vessels engaged in illegal, unreported, and unregulated (IUU) fishing. December 9, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of Sanctions designation against over 40 individuals and entities that are connected to corruption or human rights abuse across nine countries in recognition of International Anti-Corruption Day and Human Rights Day. December 9, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to upgrade or enhance \$2,100,000,000 in defense articles and services to the Government of France. December 5, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to upgrade or enhance \$436,100,000 defense articles and services to Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States (TECRO). December 5, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-66—Notification of intent to obligate \$1,500,000,000 in defense articles and services to the Republic of Korea. December 6, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-71—Notification of intent to obligate \$3,750,000,000 in defense articles and services to the Republic of Poland. December 6, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-55—Notification of intent to obligate \$330,000,000 in defense articles and services to the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representatives Office in the United States. December 6, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-56—Notification of intent to obligate \$98,000,000 in defense articles and services to the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representatives Office in the United States. December 6, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN #0U-22—Notification of intent to upgrade or enhance level of sensitivity of technology to the Government of Australia. December 7, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification to obligate \$75,000,000 (FY23) to Home First Finance Company India Limited (HFFC) to expand affordable housing loans. December 8, 2022. International Development Finance Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification to obligate \$725,000,000 (FY23) in a 20-year political risk insurance contract to Gabon for marine conservation and management. December 8, 2022. International Development Finance Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of all DFC FY23 Congressional Notifications transmitted to the Hill. December 9, 2022. International Development Finance Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to sign a millennium challenge compact with the government of Indonesia in the amount of 649,000,000 to assist Indonesia in addressing a binding constraint to economic growth. December 9, 2022. Millennium Challenge Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

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

Tuesday, December 13th

12:30 pm. **Hearing.** Modernizing International Development Assistance: Opportunities and Challenges. Subcommittee on International Development, International Organizations and Global Corporate Social Impact. Chair Castro.

WITNESSES:

Mr. Walter Kerr
Executive Director
Unlock Aid Coalition

Mr. Prashant Yadav
Senior Fellow
Center for Global Development

Zainab Usman
Senior Fellow and Director, Africa Program
Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

The Honorable Theodore Scott Yoho
Co-Chair
Consensus for Development Reform
(Former Member of Congress)

Wednesday 14th

10:00 am **Hearing:** U.S. Policy Towards the Caucasus. Subcommittee on Europe, Energy, the Environment, and Cyber. Chair Keating

WITNESSES:

The Honorable Karen Donfried
Assistant Secretary of State
European and Eurasian Affairs
U.S. Department of State

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1:00 pm. **Briefing.** Navigating the Political and Humanitarian Landscape in Yemen: a Conversation with Civil Society on Paths Forward for Congress. Subcommittee on Middle East, North Africa and Global Counterterrorism. Chair Cicilline.

WITNESSES:

Mr. Abdulwasea Mohammed
Policy and Advocacy Manager
Oxfam Yemen

Mr. Peter Salisbury
Senior Consulting Analyst
International Crisis Group
Consultant
World Bank

Ms. Muna Luqman
Founder and Chairperson
Food4Humanity
Co-Founder
Women's Solidarity Network

Ms. Radhya Al-Mutawakel
Co-Founder and Chairperson
Mwatana for Human Rights

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

[H.R.9490](#)—”To impose sanctions with respect to foreign telecommunications companies engaged in economic or industrial espionage against United States persons.” Sponsored by Rep. Gallagher.

[H.R.9492](#)—”To amend Public Law 110-457 to modify the provision relating to unique passport identifiers for covered sex offenders.” Sponsored by Rep. Higgins.

[H.R.9493](#)—”To amend the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 to reauthorize the export administrative subpoena authority and other authorities under that Act.” Sponsored by Rep. Higgins.

[H.R.9497](#)—”To prevent international violence against women.” Sponsored by Rep. Schakowsky.

[H.R.9500](#)—”To support prioritization and expanded use of innovation at the United States Agency for International Development.” Sponsored by Rep. Castro.

[H.R.9508](#)—”To protect Americans from the threat posed by certain foreign adversaries using current or potential future social media companies that those foreign adversaries control to surveil Americans, learn sensitive data about Americans, or spread influence campaigns, propaganda, and censorship.” Sponsored by Rep. Gallagher.

[H.R.9426](#)—” To prohibit the use of Federal funds made available for foreign assistance to be used to support drag theater performances.” Sponsored by Rep. Gohmert.

[H.R.9511](#)—” To provide for security in the Black Sea region.” Sponsored by Rep. Keating.

[H.R.9521](#)—”To prohibit any head of a Federal agency from providing assistance to the Wuhan Institute of Virology and other laboratories in certain other foreign nations.” Sponsored Rep. Stewart.

[H.R.9539](#)—” To require the development of an inter-agency strategy and the submission of certain reports relating to the illegal export and trafficking of firearms from the United States to recipients in Mexico and certain Central American and Caribbean countries.” Sponsored by Rep. Castro.

[H.R.9540](#)—” 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” Sponsored by Rep Chabot.

[H.R.9554](#)—” To prohibit the use of Federal funds to negotiate or contribute to international agreements that provide for "loss and damage" funds as a result of climate change.” Sponsored by Rep. LaMalfa.

[H.R.9560](#)—”To amend the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 to provide for the control of and prohibition on the export of crude oil and finished oil products (other than natural gas) from the United States under that Act.” Sponsored by Rep. Sherman.

[H.R.9561](#)—” To require the President to remove the extension of certain privileges, exemptions, and immunities to the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Offices if Hong Kong no longer enjoys a high degree of autonomy from the People's Republic of China.” Sponsored by Rep. Smith.

[H.R.9596](#)—”To require a determination of whether certain Chinese entities are responsible for human rights abuses that meet the criteria for the imposition of sanctions under the Global Magnitsky Human Rights Accountability Act or the Uyghur Human Rights Policy Act of 2020.” Sponsored by Rep Pfluger.

[H.R.9598](#)—”To require a strategy for countering the People's Republic of China.” Sponsored by Rep. Smith.

*** EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS ***

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

EC #117-159— Notification that the National Emergency with respect to serious human rights abuses and corruption declared in Executive Order 13818 of December 20, 2017, is to continue in effect beyond December 20, 2022. Pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202 (d); (90 Stat. 1257) President transmitting executive communication. December 15, 2022.

EC—Notification that the National Emergency with respect to global illicit drug trafficking declared in Executive Order 14059 of December 15, 2021, is to continue in effect beyond December 15, 2022., Pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622 (d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202 (d); (90 Stat. 1257) President transmitting executive communication. December 15, 2022.

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

[Report on the Selection of Eligible Countries for Fiscal Year 2023](#). December 14, 2022. State transmitting pursuant to 608(d)(1) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, as amended (the “Act”).

[Defense Security Cooperation Agency FY21 Sec 333 Quarterly Report Q4](#). December 14, 2022. Defense transmitting pursuant to section 333 (F) of title 10, U.S.C.

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

[GAO-23-105347](#). “President’s Emergency Plan For AIDS Relief: State Has Taken Actions to Address Coordination Challenges, but Staffing Challenges Persist.” December 12, 2022.

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

Bureau of Global Health Security and Diplomacy (GHSD); Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE); Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX); German-American Partnership Program (GAPP); Office of Harassment and Bullying Intervention in the Bureau of Global Talent Management (GTM/HBI)

CN #22-379—Notification of intent to create the Bureau of Global Health Security and Diplomacy (GHSD). December 13, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-380—Notification of intent to obligate \$24,000,000 (FY23) Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX) in U.S. high schools. December 13, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-381—Notification of intent to obligate \$100,000 (FY23) Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) funds to support the German-American Partnership Program (GAPP). December 13, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-382—Notification of intent to create a new Office of Harassment and Bullying Intervention in the Bureau of Global Talent Management (GTM/HBI). December 14, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

DDTC 22-039—Notification of intent to obligate \$526,000,000 in defense articles and services to Germany and Canada. December 15, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

DDTC 22-049—Notification of intent to obligate \$487,910,389 in defense articles and services to Korea. December 15, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #1—Notification of intent to obligate \$2,269,625 ESF (FY23) to Ukraine for good governance. December 14, 2022. USAID transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of sanction designated on four Zimbabwean individuals, two Zimbabwean entities, and removed seventeen Zimbabweans from the Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List (SDN List). December 12, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

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CN—Notification of sanction designation against Jose Calderon Rijo for contributing to the international proliferation of illicit drugs or their means of production. December 14, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to add 18 entities related to the Russian Federation's financial services sector to the Specifically Designated Nationals and Block Persons List. December 15, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of entering a Millennium Challenge Corporation with the Government Benin. December 14, 2022. Millennium Challenge Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of entering a Millennium Challenge Corporation with the Government Niger. December 14, 2022. Millennium Challenge Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to transfer Coast Guard Reliance Class Medium Endurance Cutter (WMEC) to Uruguay as an Excess Defense Article (EDA). December 14, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to transfer M1117 Armored Security Vehicles to Bangladesh as an Excess Defense Article (EDA). December 14, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN 0V-22-AT—Notification of intent to enhance or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology of the Government of Australia. December 15, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN 0J-22—Notification of intent to enhance or upgrades from the level of sensitivity of technology of the Government of Bulgaria. December 15, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to transfer of air surveillance radars to Mexico as an Excess Defense Article (EDA). December 16, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of FY23 training engagement schedule with friendly foreign countries. December 16, 2022. Defense Security Cooperation Agency transmitting congressional notification.

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

None.

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

[H.R.9623](#) – “To improve the anti-corruption and public integrity laws.” Sponsored by Rep. Jayapal.

[H.R.9663](#) – “To provide for United States participation in the Inter-Parliamentary Union.” Sponsored by Rep. Lee.

[H.R.9669](#) – “To amend the Sean and David Goldman International Child Abduction Prevention and Return Act of 2014 to expand protections for abducted children.” Sponsored by Rep. Smith.

[H.R.9671](#) – “To protect stateless persons in the United States.” Sponsored by Rep Raskin.

[H.R.9685](#) – “To provide for the admission and protection of refugees, asylum seekers, and other vulnerable individuals, to provide for the processing of refugees and asylum seekers in the Western Hemisphere, and to modify certain special immigrant visa programs.” Sponsored by Rep. Lofgren.

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

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

None.

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

[Report of Licensing Activities under the North Korean Sanctions Regulations for FY20.](#) December 19, 2022. Treasury transmitting pursuant section 7132 (a) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal year 2020.

[Politically Motivated Boycotts of, Divestment from, and Sanctions Against Israel.](#) December 20, 2022. State transmitting pursuant to section 909 of the Trade Facilitation and Trade Enforcement Act of 2015, P.L. 114-125.

[A Report Verifying Whether the Key Tenets of the February 29 Agreement, or Subsequent Agreements or Arrangements, and Accompanying Instruments for Implementation](#)

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are Being Upheld. December 20, 2022. State transmitting pursuant to section 1217 (c) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2021 (P.L. 116-283).

Annual report on the Joint Investment for Peace Initiative for FY 2022. December 21, 2022. U.S. International Development Finance Corporation transmitting pursuant PL 116-260, Division K, Sec 8005 (e).

List of Persons Who are Responsible for or Complicit in Certain Human Rights Abuses in Iran. December 22, 2022. State transmitting pursuant 22 USC 8514: Imposition of sanctions on certain persons who are responsible for or complicit in human rights abuses committed against citizens of Iran or their family members after the June 12 of 2009, elections in Iran.

Palestinian Payments for Acts of Terrorism and Limitation on Assistance to the West Bank and Gaza. December 23, 2022. State transmitting pursuant to Section 1004(a) and Section 1006 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2018 (Div. S, Title X — Taylor Force Act, P.L. 115-141).

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

GAO-23-105562 “Information Management: Agencies Need to Streamline Electronic Services.”
December 23, 2022.

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

Foreign Military Financing additional Ukraine supplemental appropriations act (FMF-AUSAA); Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE); Increase and Diversify Education Abroad for U.S. Students (IDEAS)

CN #22-383—Notification of intent to obligate \$907,000,000 FY22 Foreign Military Financing additional Ukraine supplemental appropriations act (FMF-AUSAA) to Eastern Europe. December 21, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-384—Notification of intent to obligate \$150,000,000 FY22 Foreign Military Financing (FMF) additional Ukraine supplemental appropriation act (FMF-AUSAA) to Ecuador. December 21, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-385—Notification of intent to obligate \$3,080,000 FY23 Educational and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) to support the TechWomen program. December 21, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-389—Notification intent to obligate \$1,400,000 (FY23) Education and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) to the Study of the U.S. institutes for Young Women Leaders. December 23, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-388—Notification of intent to obligate \$2,307,039 FY23 Education and Cultural Exchange Programs (ECE) to Traditional Public-Private Partnerships. December 23, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #22-387—Notification of intent to obligate \$3,000,000 FY23 Education and Cultural Exchange Program (ECE) to the Increase and Diversify Education Abroad for U.S. Students (IDEAS). December 23, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

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December 19th, 2022 – December 23rd,
2022

CN #22-386—Notification of intent to open an interim unclassified facility to serve as a U.S. embassy in Solomon Islands in Honiara. December 23, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of memorandum of justification to provide military assistance to Ukraine including for border security operations. December 21, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of determination to direct a drawdown of up to \$1,000,000,000 in defense articles and services to Ukraine. December 21, 2022. State transmitting congressional notification.

CN #29—Notification of intent to obligate \$8,000,000 FY23 from Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act (AUSAA), Economic Support Fund (ESF) to Belarus for good governance. December 20, 2022. USAID transmitting congressional notification.

CN #30—Notification of intent to obligate \$112,700,000 from Global Health Programs-USAID (GHP-USAID) for activities globally. December 20, 2022. USAID transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of humanitarian sanctions exceptions following UN Security Council resolution 2664. December 20, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of sanction designation against military and paramilitary officials in Iran. December 21, 2022. Treasury transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to obligate \$120,000 for farm irrigation operations in Somalia. December 20, 2022. U.S. African Development Foundation transmitting congressional notification.

CN—Notification of intent to obligate \$5,600,000 FY23 Development Credit/ Mission Transaction to expand lending to vulnerable populations in Colombia. December 21, 2022. International Development Finance Corporation transmitting congressional notification.

CN 23-0C—Notification of intent to upgrade level of sensitivity of technology to the Republic of Korea. December 22, 2022.

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COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**DECEMBER 26TH, 2022 – DECEMBER 30TH, 2022***** MEETINGS, HEARINGS, AND MARKUPS ******None.****** LEGISLATION REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE *****H.R.9700 – “Taiwan Status Diplomacy Act.” Sponsored by Rep. Chabot.***** EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS ******EC – Executive Communication; PM – Presidential Message; PT – Petition; ML – Memorial**None.****** REPORTING REQUIREMENTS ******None.****** GAO REPORTS ******None.****** CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS ******None.*

United States House of Representatives

Committee on Foreign Affairs

Fund Balance Statement as of 12/31/2022

All BOC codes

Resolution: 2022

Report Done: 1/19/2023

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Less Expenses

Total Authorization

\$9,518,773.00

Year Month

2022 January	\$572,049.13
2022 February	\$637,125.32
2022 March	\$660,198.22
2022 April	\$639,418.34
2022 May	\$653,865.83
2022 June	\$669,506.94
2022 July	\$680,982.83
2022 August	\$668,311.38
2022 September	\$685,683.28
2022 October	\$675,194.77
2022 November	\$1,043,602.48
2022 December	\$1,127,781.28
Total Committee Expenses to Date	\$8,713,719.80
Unexpended Authorization	\$805,053.20

Committee on Foreign Affairs

H. Res. Resolution: 2022

Statement of expenses from 12/1/2022 to 12/31/2022

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Report Done: Thursday, January 19, 2023

Category	December 2022	Cumulative For Funding Resolution: 2022	12/31/2022
Staff Salaries	\$1,039,097.20	\$8,370,385.28	
Overtime	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Equipment	\$7,672.42	\$107,755.69	
Travel	\$2,153.48	\$18,609.93	
Rent, Communications and Utilities	\$16,937.18	\$118,402.08	
Printing and Reproduction	\$109.00	\$2,427.97	
Other Services	\$396.32	\$5,612.65	
Specialized Training	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Representational Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Supplies and Materials	\$61,415.68	\$90,526.20	
Grand Total	\$1,127,781.28	\$8,713,719.80	

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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Ubong Akpaninyie	Policy Analyst	9,583.33
Douglas Anderson	Minority General Counsel	16,583.33
Philip Bednarczyk	Sr Professional Staff Member	16,250.00
Peter Billerbeck	Professional Staff Member	16,000.00
Robert Bivens	Committee Liaison	5,000.00
Ashley Borneo	Director of Member Services	20,333.33
Bryan Burack	Minority Professional Staff Member	13,583.33
Laura Carey	Sr Professional Staff Member	16,583.33
Zakiya Carr Johnson	Professional Staff Member	15,833.33
Vladimir Cerga	Director of Information Technology	15,208.33
Donna Charles	Professional Staff Member	25,833.33
Blake Comrie	Minority Staff Associate	2,750.00
Collin Davenport	Committee Liaison	100.00
Alexandra Davis	Professional Staff Member	15,833.33
Jacob DePeralta	Minority Special Assistant	7,500.00
Claire Dufault	Staff Associate	6,250.00
Katherine Earle	Minority Professional Staff Member	13,583.33
Matthew Finkel	Policy Analyst	20,041.67
Johnna Fontenot	Minority Deputy Press Secretary	4,083.33
Michael Frohlich	Minority Committee Liaison	2,800.00
Laura Fullerton	Minority Deputy Staff Director	16,975.00
Jason Galanes	Minority Committee Liaison	100.00
Meghan Gallagher	Minority Sr Professional Staff Member	13,583.33
Sajit Gandhi	Sr Professional Staff Member	18,300.00
John Gleason	Financial Administrator	14,375.00
Jeremy Gonzalez	Floor Coordinator/Intern Coordinator	19,416.67
Jennifer Gorski	Minority Parliamentarian	16,783.33
Angele Griffin	Policy Analyst	7,700.00
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Brennan Heil	Deputy Communications Director	11,916.67
Madeline Jackson	Minority Special Assistant	2,902.78
Aaron Jordan	Deputy Chief Counsel	15,916.67
Janice Kaguyutan	Chief Counsel	19,166.67
Lance Kokonos	Minority Policy Analyst	6,458.33
Sophia Lafargue	Staff Director	16,975.00
Olivia Late	Minority Communications Assistant	3,611.11
Molly Lazio	Minority Professional Staff Member	10,666.67
Danny Marca	System Administrator	11,666.67
Robert Marcus	Sr Professional Staff Member	16,583.33
Sarah Markley	Minority Professional Staff Member	10,250.00
Daniel Markus	Minority Professional Staff Member	13,583.33
Michael Matlaga	Sr Policy Analyst	11,000.00
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Jessica Steffens	Minority Sr Professional Staff Member	15,666.67
Marcus Towns	Minority Member Services Associate	7,500.00
Dikran Vasilescu	Communications Director	15,416.67
James Walsh	Minority Professional Staff Member	14,583.33
Frank Weiland	Minority Counsel	14,833.33
Samuel Wisch	Minority Professional Staff Member	15,000.00
Taryn Woody	Minority Professional Staff Member	10,250.00
Gabriella Zach	Minority Professional Staff Member	13,583.33
Ava Atanacio	Intern- Majority	1,000.00
Megan Dickey	Intern - Majority	1,000.00
Joseph Harrington	Intern - Minority	765.00
Jad Makdissi	Intern - Minority	1,080.00
Caylie Milazzo	Intern - Majority	766.67
Ireland Neville	Intern - Minority	1,125.00
Kimia Rahbar	Intern - Majority	200.00
Andrew Siguler	Intern - Minority	1,080.00
Michael Zanotti	Intern - Minority	1,170.00

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Sasha LaPonsa	Staff Associate	9,166.67

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Derek Luyten	Executive Director	16,541.67
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Committee on Foreign Affairs
List of Detailees – December 2022

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