

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS
SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES
MAY 26 – MAY 29, 2015

*** MEETINGS, HEARINGS AND MARKUPS ***

None.

*** LEGISLATION REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ***

Asterisked () Bills Introduced by a Committee Member*

[H.R.2571](#)* – “To amend the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003 to authorize concurrent compacts for purposes of regional economic integration and cross-border collaborations, and for other purposes.” Sponsored by Rep. Karen Bass

[H.J.RES.56](#)* – “Providing for the approval of the Congress of the proposed Agreement for Cooperation Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the People’s Republic of China Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy transmitted on April 21, 2015.” Sponsored by Rep. Joe Wilson

*** EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS ***

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

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 5/22

EC #1557 — The Department’s final rule – Wassenaar Agreement 2014 Plenary Agreements Implementation and Country Policy Amendments [Docket No.: 150304217-5217-01] (RIN: 0694-AG44) received May 20, 2015, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A). May 22, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting communication.

EC #1586 — A report describing how the Iraq Train and Equip Fund supports the broader regional strategy in Iraq, pursuant to Sec. 1236(b)(2) of the National Defense Authorization Act. May 22, 2015. Department of State transmitting communication.

PM #41 — The termination of the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13617 of June 25, 2012, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(b). May 26, 2015.

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

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 5/22

Advanced Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (ANPR): Request for Comments on Improvements to Export Clearance Requirements. May 13, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 15(c) of the Export Administration Act.

Proposed Rule to Amend Export Administration Regulations: Revision of Destination Control Statement in §758.6 of the EAR. May 13, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 15(c) of the Export Administration Act.

Final Rule to Amend Export Administration Regulations to Facilitate Internet-based Communications with Persons in the Crimea Region of Ukraine. May 14, 2015. Department of Commerce transmitting report pursuant to Section 15(c) of the Export Administration Act.

FY 2015 Counter-Drug Plans, Activities, and Certifications: Governments of Belize, Colombia, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, and Peru. May 18, 2015. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant section 1033 of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 1998.

Burma's Progress on Democratization, Quality of Life, and U.S. Diplomatic Engagements (10/25/14-04/20/15). May 21, 2015. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to section 570(d) of Public Law 104-208.

Steps Taken to Address the Plight, Including Resettlement Needs, of Iranian Dissidents Located at Camp Liberty/Hurriya in Iraq. May 22, 2015. Department of State transmitting report as requested in Section 7042(c)(4) of the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015.

SBU: Iran-Related Multilateral Sanctions Regime Efforts (08/07/14-02/06/15). May 22, 2015. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 10(a) of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996, as amended.

Memorandum of Justification: Malaysia and Singapore – Zero Crude Oil Imports from Iran. May 22, 2015. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1245(d)(4)(D) of the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2012.

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

None.

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

International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INLCE), Economic Support Funds (ESF), Peacekeeping Operations (PKO), Economic Support Funds- Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO), Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO), Africa Regional Economic Support Funds (ESF), Nonproliferation, Antiterrorism, Demining and Related Programs (NADR), Foreign Military Financing (FMF), Countering Terrorism (CT), Antiterrorism Assistance (ATA), Partnership for Regional East Africa Counterterrorism (PRACT), Trans-Sahara Counterterrorism Partnership (TSCTP), Democracy Fund (DF) Pakistan Counterinsurgency Capability Funding (PCCF) International Military Education and Training (IMET), Development Credit Authority (DCA)

RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 5/22

CN #15-098 — Intent to obligate \$7,000,000 FY 2015 ESF-OCO funds to support technical assistance and equipment for the government of Iraq to reduce the risk of breach of the Mosul Dam. May 22, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #6 — Intent to obligate \$400,000 FY 2014 DA carryover funds through a section 632(a) inter-agency agreement with the U.S. Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC). April 26, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #7 — Intent to obligate \$400,000 FY 2014 DA carryover funds through a section 632(a) interagency with the U.S. African Development Foundation. May 1, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #85 — \$1,000,000 FY 2014 DA funds to Sri Lanka to improve private sector competitiveness. May 15, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #86 — \$5,000,000 FY 2014 CCF funds to support democracy, conflict, and humanitarian assistance in Lebanon. May 15, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #90 — \$3,400,000 FY 2015 ESF funds obligated to support Ebola response and preparedness in Liberia. May 22, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #91 — \$1,000,000 FY 20214 DA funds obligated to support political competition and consensus building programs in Venezuela. May 22, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #92 — \$8,300,000 FY 2015 ESF-OCO funds obligated to support conflict mitigation and reconciliation in Iraq. May 22, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

CN #15-099 — \$2,477,000 FY 2014 INCLE funds obligated to support law enforcement programs, projects, and activities for Egypt. May 28, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #15-100 — \$180,000,000 FY 2014 GHP-State funds obligated to support PEPFAR technical leadership and support activities. May 28, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #15-101 — \$168,000 FY 2015 IMET funds obligated to support programs for Haiti. May 28, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

CN #15-102 — \$4,000,000 FY 2015 NADR funds obligated to support Conventional Weapons Destruction Programs. May 28, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification that USAID/Liberia intends to carry out using FY 2014 new obligation authority (NOA) including \$32,700,000 FY 2014/2015 Global Health Programs-USAID and \$79,038,000 FY 2014/2015 ESF funds. May 1, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Notification of intent to utilize \$708,375 Ministry of Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland contribution to assist with the DoD Cooperative Threat Reduction Program's Cooperative Biological Engagement Program efforts. May 22, 2015. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Notification of withdrawal of remaining funds contained in Egypt Economic Growth (Cash Transfer), CN #192 dated September 28, 2012 (\$191,000,000 ESF). May 12, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Notification of withdrawal of remaining funds contained in West Bank and Gaza CN #229 dated September 24, 2014 (\$4,200,000 ESF). April 27, 2015. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of Sig Sauer P226 Pistol TACOPS with Sound Suppressors and DBAL-PL Laser/illuminators for the Saudi Arabian Ministry of Defense estimated to cost \$5,972,352. May 28, 2015. Department of State transmitting notification.

United States House of Representatives

Committee on Foreign Affairs

Fund Balance Statement as of 5/31/2015

All BOC codes

Resolution: 2015

Report Done: 6/10/2015

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Less Expenses

Total Authorization

\$7,461,993.00

Year Month

2015 January

\$515,754.54

2015 February

\$605,992.54

2015 March

\$597,316.03

2015 April

\$602,974.41

2015 May

\$576,718.51

Total Committee Expenses to Date

\$2,898,756.03

Unexpended Authorization

\$4,563,236.97

Committee on Foreign Affairs

H. Res. Resolution: 2015

Statement of expenses from 5/1/2015 to 5/31/2015

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Report Done: Wednesday, June 10, 2015

Category	May 2015	Cumulative For Funding Resolution: 2015	5/31/2015
Staff Salaries	\$555,666.71	\$2,821,095.78	
Overtime	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Equipment	\$3,177.92	\$16,824.46	
Travel	\$211.29	\$3,707.15	
Rent, Communications and Utilities	\$11,568.21	\$36,933.97	
Printing and Reproduction	\$273.19	\$2,094.28	
Other Services	\$0.00	\$60.00	
Specialized Training	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Representational Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Supplies and Materials	\$5,821.19	\$18,040.39	
Grand Total	\$576,718.51	\$2,898,756.03	

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Fund Balance Statement as of 5/31/2015

All BOC codes

Resolution: 2015F

Report Done: 6/19/2015

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Less Expenses

Total Authorization \$5,000.00

Year	Month
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2015	January	\$3.15
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2015	February	\$2.79
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2015	March	\$3.88
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2015	April	\$8.33
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2015	May	\$2.38
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Total Committee Expenses to Date		\$20.53
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Unexpended Authorization		\$4,979.47
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Committee on Foreign Affairs

H. Res. Resolution: 2015

Statement of expenses from 5/1/2015 to 5/31/2015

Whole Committee - Funding Limit

Report Done: Friday, June 19, 2015

Category	May 2015	Cumulative For Funding Resolution: 2015	5/31/2015
Staff Salaries	\$555,666.71	\$2,821,095.78	
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COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Name	Title	Gross Monthly Salary
Shirley Alexander	Printing Manager	9,166.67
Thomas Alexander	Deputy Chief Counsel O&I	11,250.00
Douglas Anderson	General Counsel	13,750.00
Heather Beckman	Dem Scheduler	4,583.33
Sarah Blocher	Prof Staff Member	6,666.67
Edward Burrier	Deputy Staff Director	14,000.00
Douglas Campbell	Dem Deputy Staff Director	13,666.67
Leah Campos	Senior Advisor	10,000.00
Vladimir Cerga	Info Resources Manager	9,166.67
Joan Condon	Sr Prof Staff Member	12,500.00
Alyssa Feldstein	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Peter Freeman	Senior Advisor	3,000.00
Adam Fridman	Staff Counsel O&I	6,666.67
Worku Gachou	Professional Staff Member	6,250.00
Sajit Gandhi	Dem Sr Prof Staff Member	10,083.33
John Gleason	Financial Administrator	8,333.33
Morley Greene	Committee Liaison	100.00
Elizabeth Heng	Chief of Outreach & Protocol	7,083.33
Thomas Hill	Prof Staff Member	10,416.67
Joseph Howell	Special Assistant	5,000.00
Mark Iozzi	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,916.67
Eric Jacobstein	Dem Sr Policy Advisor	9,666.67
Janice Kaguyutan	Dem Chief Counsel	12,583.33
Jessica Kelch	Policy Coordinator & Counsel	6,666.67
Robert Lattin	Dem Policy Analyst & Dep Com	3,875.00
Speros Mantas	Hearing Coordinator	4,000.00
Danny Marca	Asst Systems Admin	5,833.33
Kristen Marquardt	Prof Staff Member	10,000.00
Jean Marter	Director Cmte Operations	6,666.67
James McCormick	Senior Counsel	12,083.33
Audra McGeorge	Deputy Communications Director	7,083.33
Sean McReynolds	Committee Liaison	1,666.67
Timothy Mulvey	Dem Communications Director	9,666.67
Lila Nieves-Lee	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Kyle Parker	Dem Sr Prof Staff Member	10,500.00
Amy Porter	Chief of Staff	12,916.67
Mira Resnick	Dem Sr Prof Staff Member	8,833.33
Edmund Rice	Dem Sr Prof Staff Member	10,500.00
George Ritchey	Security Officer	8,333.33
Nilmini Rubin	Sr Prof Staff Member	11,666.67
Douglas Seay	Sr Prof Staff Member	10,833.33
Thomas Sheehy	Staff Director	14,375.00
Brian Skretny	Dem Senior Advisor	8,000.00
Russell Solomon	Press Assistant	2,916.67
Jason Steinbaum	Dem Staff Director	13,666.67
Hunter Strupp	Policy Advisor	5,416.67
Shelley Su	Professional Staff Member	5,416.67

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William Weitz	Dem Senior Advisor	500.00
Jennifer White	Dem Prof Staff Member	8,833.33
Shane Wolfe	Comm Director & Counsel	12,083.33
Matthew Zweig	Prof Staff Member	12,083.33

Name	Title	Gross Monthly Salary
SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRORISM, NON- PROLIFERATION AND TRADE		
Luke Murry	Subcommittee Staff Director	7,916.67
Mary Jacobson	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Naz Durakoglu	Dem Prof Staff Member	3,350.00
SUBCOMMITTEE ON THE MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTH ASIA		
Edward Acevedo	Subcommittee Staff Director	10,416.67
Golan Rodgers	Prof Staff Member	5,833.33
Nathan Gately	Prof Staff Member	3,333.33
Andres Uzcategui	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Casey Kustin	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,666.67
SUBCOMMITTEE ON ASIA, THE PACIFIC AND THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT		
Amy Chang	Subcommittee Staff Director	7,500.00
Jonathan Sarager	Prof Staff Member	5,000.00
Bryan Burack	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Donald MacDonald	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,966.67
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Gregory Simpkins	Subcommittee Staff Director	9,166.67
Piero Tozzi	Counsel	7,500.00
Mark Kearney	Staff Associate	3,333.33
Travis Adkins	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,666.67
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Paul Behrends	Subcommittee Staff Director	9,166.67
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Jessica Roxburgh	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Philip Bednarczyk	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,583.33
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Mark Walker	Subcommittee Staff Director	9,166.67
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Ronald Criscuolo	Staff Associate	2,916.67
Sadaf Khan	Dem Prof Staff Member	5,583.33