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House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY

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The Honorable Gregg Harper
Committee on House Administration
U.S. House of Representatives
1309 Longworth HOB
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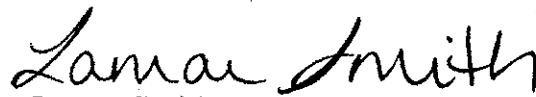
Dear Chairman Harper,

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology for March 2018, including the following:

- A summary of specific programs and investigations;
- A statement of expenses and fund balance;
- A statement of authorized Committee travel expenses, and
- A listing of Committee employees showing their titles and gross monthly salaries.

This letter also certifies that copies of this report are available to each Member of the Committee.

Sincerely,



Lamar Smith
Chairman

MONTHLY REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY

March 2018

FULL COMMITTEE:

Hearings and Mark-ups

March 14, 2018

Convened a Full Committee Hearing, *National Laboratories: World-Leading Innovation in Science*.

March 15, 2018

Convened a Full Committee Hearing, *An Overview of the National Science Foundation Budget Proposal for Fiscal Year 2019*.

March 22, 2018

Convened a Full Committee Markup of H.R. 5345, "American Leadership in Space Technology and Advanced Rocketry Act"; H.R. 5346, "Commercial Space Support Vehicle Act"; and H.R. 5086, "Innovators to Entrepreneurs Act of 2018". All bills were ordered reported, without amendment, by voice vote.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENERGY:

Hearings and Mark-ups

March 6, 2018

Convened an Energy Subcommittee Hearing, *The Future of U.S. Fusion Energy Research*.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT:

Hearings and Mark-ups

No hearings or mark-ups were convened by the Subcommittee on Environment during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT:

Hearings and Mark-ups

No hearings or mark-ups were convened by the Subcommittee on Oversight during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY:

Hearings and Mark-ups

No hearings or mark-ups were convened by the Subcommittee on Research and Technology during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON SPACE:

Hearings and Mark-ups

March 7, 2018

Convened a Space Subcommittee Hearing, *An Overview of the NASA Budget for Fiscal Year 2019.*

OTHER ACTIVITIES

FULL COMMITTEE:

March 1, 2018

H.R. 5141, United States-Israel Security Assistance Authorization Act of 2018, was introduced by Rep. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 7, 2018

H.R. 5196, CENOTE Act of 2018, was introduced by Rep. Steven Palazzo and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 8, 2018

H.R. 5212, GREENER Fuels Act, was introduced by Rep. Peter Welch and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 13, 2018

H.R. 5260, Advanced Nuclear Energy Technologies Act, was introduced by Rep. Clay Higgins and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 14, 2018

H.Res. 782, Expressing support for designation of March 14, 2018, as "National Pi Day," was introduced by Rep. Bill Foster and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 15, 2018

H.R. 5310, Municipal Infrastructure Savings and Transparency Act, was introduced by Rep. Brian Babin and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 20, 2018

H.R. 5345, ALSTAR Act, was introduced by Rep. Mo Brooks and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

H.R. 5346, Commercial Space Support Vehicle Act, was introduced by Rep. Bill Posey and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

H.R. 5356, National Security Commission Artificial Intelligence Act of 2018, was introduced by Rep. Elise Stefanik and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

March 22, 2018

H.R. 5086, Innovators to Entrepreneurs Act of 2018, introduced by Rep. Daniel Lipinski and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, was considered by the Committee and ordered reported by voice vote.

H.R. 5345, ALSTAR Act, introduced by Rep. Mo Brooks and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, was considered by the Committee and ordered reported by voice vote.

H.R. 5346, Commercial Space Support Vehicle Act, introduced by Rep. Bill Posey and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, was considered by the Committee and ordered reported by voice vote.

H.R. 5387, Consortia-Led Energy and Advanced Manufacturing Networks Act, was introduced by Rep. Matt Cartwright and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

H.Res. 802, Supporting the goals and ideas of World Water Day, was introduced by Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENERGY:

No bills or resolutions were referred to the Subcommittee on Energy during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT:

No bills or resolutions were referred to the Subcommittee on Environment during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT:

No bills or resolutions were referred to the Subcommittee on Oversight during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY:

No bills or resolutions were referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Technology during March 2018.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON SPACE:

No bills or resolutions were referred to the Subcommittee on Space during March 2018.

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U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Science, Space, and Technology
Monthly Statement by Paid Date
115-2 March

Description	March	YTD Including March	Cumulative Total
Non Statutory Compensation	\$420,136.85	\$1,217,545.97	\$1,217,545.97
11 Personnel Compensation subtotal	\$420,136.85	\$1,217,545.97	\$1,217,545.97
Commercial Transportation	\$539.50	\$1,248.10	\$1,248.10
Lodging	\$304.97	\$513.32	\$513.32
Meals	\$197.31	\$197.31	\$197.31
Car Rental	\$439.82	\$439.82	\$439.82
Gasoline	\$28.78	\$28.78	\$28.78
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$422.49	\$685.79	\$685.79
21 Travel subtotal	\$1,932.87	\$3,113.12	\$3,113.12
DC Telecommunication Equipment	\$220.00	\$440.00	\$440.00
DC Telecommunication Services	\$635.50	\$1,271.00	\$1,271.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls	\$2,413.95	\$4,535.74	\$4,535.74
HIR Graphics	\$0.00	\$18.00	\$18.00
Postage/Courier/Box Rental	\$37.85	\$38.34	\$38.34
23 Rent, Communications, and Utilities subtotal	\$3,307.30	\$6,303.08	\$6,303.08
Printing & Reproduction	\$0.00	\$394.75	\$394.75
24 Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$0.00	\$394.75	\$394.75
Non-Technology Service Contracts	\$99.00	\$99.00	\$99.00
25 Other Services subtotal	\$99.00	\$99.00	\$99.00
Bottled Water	\$422.02	\$891.33	\$891.33
Food & Beverage	\$369.52	\$421.07	\$421.07
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$137.99	\$1,367.43	\$1,367.43
Office Supplies (Transfer)	\$129.75	\$236.45	\$236.45
Computer Software <\$500	\$278.36	\$308.35	\$308.35
Publications/Reference Material	\$254.06	\$533.56	\$533.56
26 Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$1,591.70	\$3,758.19	\$3,758.19
Maintenance / Repairs	\$2,654.95	\$5,429.76	\$5,429.76
31 Equipment subtotal	\$2,654.95	\$5,429.76	\$5,429.76
Total Expenses	\$429,722.67	\$1,236,643.87	\$1,236,643.87

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Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
March

Total Authorization	
115-2	\$5,484,978.00
Less Expenses for:	
January, 2018	\$383,379.96
February, 2018	\$423,541.24
March, 2018	\$429,722.67
Total Expenses to Date:	\$1,236,643.87
Unexpended Authorization	\$4,248,334.13

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Committee on Science, Space, and Technology - FM
Monthly Statement by Paid Date
115-2 March

Description	March	YTD Including	Cumulative Total
		March	
Franked Mail	\$33.25	\$157.53	\$157.53
FM Franking subtotal	\$33.25	\$157.53	\$157.53
Total Expenses	\$33.25	\$157.53	\$157.53

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Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
March

Total Authorization	
115-2	\$5,000.00
Less Expenses for:	
February, 2018	\$124.28
March, 2018	\$33.25
Total Expenses to Date:	\$157.53
Unexpended Authorization	\$4,842.47

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology
Payroll Information for Monthly Committee Report

Fiscal Year	2018
Month Paid	March-18
Type	(Multiple Items)

Name	Title	Gross Monthly Compensation
Anderson, Catherine	Staff Assistant	\$2,500.00
Barber, Sara	Professional Staff	\$4,333.33
Beavin, Michael	Professional Staff	\$10,833.33
Bharwani, Rajesh D.	Deputy Staff Director	\$10,833.33
Brazauskas, Joseph	Staff Director	\$11,666.67
Callen, Ashley	Chief Counsel for Investigations/Staff Dir.	\$12,500.00
Colliatie, Drew	Professional Staff	\$7,291.67
Connally, Thomas	Counsel	\$6,250.00
Domenech, Emily	Staff Director	\$11,666.67
Dunn, Bridget	Press Assistant	\$3,750.00
Dziadon, Daniel	Policy Assistant	\$3,750.00
English, Jonlyn Bristol	Professional Staff	\$5,166.67
Eskandani, Rebekah	Press Secretary/Digital Media Coord.	\$3,000.00
Faith, G. Ryan	Professional Staff	\$7,083.33
Finke, Gina	Executive Assistant	\$3,166.67
Florida, Joseph	Professional Staff	\$3,916.67
Fromm, Sharon Molly (Boyl)	Gen. Counsel & Parliamentarian	\$11,666.67
Grigoryan, Juliya	Counsel	\$7,083.33
Gurley, Emily Hollis	Finance Assistant	\$750.00
Hall, Steven "Troy"	Policy Assistant	\$3,750.00
Hammond, Tom J.	Staff Director	\$12,500.00
Heinzerling, Mariah	Intern	\$750.00
Hooghan, Priyanka	Professional Staff	\$4,333.33
Hurilla, Lyndsay	Intern	\$1,000.00
Johnson, Catherine "Cate"	Professional Staff	\$7,083.33
Johnson, Mitchell	Intern	\$1,000.00
Johnson, Stanton R.	Professional Staff	\$5,166.67
Kassel, Chase	Director of Member Services & Coalitions	\$1,375.00
Kopshever, Kristin N	Admin. & Comm. Director	\$7,833.33
Li, Allen	Senior Professional Staff	\$7,625.00
Marin, Mark	Chief of Staff	\$14,375.00
McDonald, Thea	Communications Director	\$7,500.00
Minerio, Michael	Senior Advisor	\$12,500.00
Norman, Russell Evan	Deputy Chief Counsel	\$7,916.67
Norwood, Charles	(blank)	\$750.00
Obermann, Richard M.	Chief of Staff	\$13,750.00
O'Brien, Hillary	Professional Staff	\$6,250.00
Palasits, Sara	Research Assistant	\$2,750.00
Pasternak, Douglas S.	Staff Director	\$10,750.00
Philp, Curtis	Shared Employee	\$9,000.00
Piazza, John L.	Chief Counsel	\$12,166.67
Prasanna. Aayush	Intern	\$1,000.00
Rankin, Charles "Duncan"	Professional Staff	\$4,583.33
Ratliff, Sara	Policy Assistant	\$3,750.00
Roos, Amber Harris	Finance Assistant	\$1,000.00
Rosenberg, Adam	Staff Director	\$10,291.67
Ross, John E.	Finance Director	\$687.50
Shannon, Cliff	Staff Director	\$14,224.67

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Payroll Information for Monthly Committee Report

Name	Title	Gross Monthly Compensation
Smith, Ashley	Deputy Chief of Staff & Senior Counsel	\$14,224.67
Sokolov, Dahlia L.	Staff Director	\$11,333.33
Traynham, Benjamin	Counsel	\$7,916.67
Vaia Reimer, Kristina	(blank)	\$750.00
VerVelde, Brandon	Press Secretary	\$5,416.67
Vinyard, Ashlee	Shared Employee	\$4,625.00
Voyles, Travis	Professional Staff	\$6,250.00
Wandel, Bryan Paul	Finance Assistant	\$750.00
Ward, Jimmy	Professional Staff	\$6,666.67
Weerasinghe, Pamitha D.	Professional Staff	\$5,000.00
Whitney, Pamela L.	Senior Professional Staff	\$10,291.67
Whittaker, Larry W.	Shared Employee	\$3,875.00
Wickre, Jennifer	Professional Staff	\$10,833.33
Wright, Sangina Q.	Senior Publications Editor	\$5,000.00
Wydler, Christopher	Deputy Chief of Staff & Senior Advisor	\$14,333.33
Grand Total		\$420,136.85

REPORT OF TRAVEL PERFORMED
 Committee on Science, Space, and Technology
 115th Congress, 2nd Session
 March 2018**

Traveler	Dates of Travel		Purpose	Itinerary	Reimbursement Claimed			
	From	To			Trans.	Per Diem	Other	TOTAL

**There was no travel performed by the Committee during the month of March 2018.