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April 17, 2013

Honorable Candice Miller, Chairwoman U.S. House of Representatives Committee on House Administration 1309 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Madam Chairwoman:

Complying with regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith three copies of the monthly report for the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for the month of March 2013.

Attached are the following:

- A statement of expenses and fund balance; (1)
- (2)Summary of specific studies:
- (3)A statement of Committee travel;
- (4)A copy of the Committee payroll certification;

A copy of this report is furnished to the Ranking Member of the Committee, and the report is available for review by all Members.

Sincerely,

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Chairman

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U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Veterans' Affairs

Fund Balance Statement by CHA Requirements March

Total Aut	horization	\$3,446,830.00
Less Expen	ses for:	
January	2013	\$183,467.52
February		\$216,398.18
March		\$210.596.83

Total Expenses to Date:

\$610,462.53

Unexpended authorization

\$2,836,367.47

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Monthly Statement by CHA Requirements 113-1 March

		YTD Including	
Description	March	March	Cumulative Total
Severance	\$0.00	\$13,895.83	\$13,895.83
- subtotal	\$0.00	\$13,895.83	\$13,895.83
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$195,455.10	\$548,499.73	\$548,499.73
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00
11-Personnel subtotal	\$195,455.10	\$553,999.73	\$553,999.73
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$0.00	\$23.59	\$23.59
21-Travel subtotal	\$0.00	\$23.59	\$23.59
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$257.00	\$425.00	\$425.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$449.00	\$898.00	\$898.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$2,505.83	\$4,994.31	\$4,994.31
Recording - (TRANSFER)	\$162.38	\$162.38	\$162.38
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$3,374.21	\$6,479.69	\$6,479.69
Printing & Reproduction	\$988.70	\$1,088.50	\$1,088.50
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$6.40	\$6.40
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$988.70	\$1,094.90	\$1,094.90
Laundry Service	\$23.75	\$23.75	\$23.75
Representational Expenses	\$193.60	\$193.60	\$193.60
Technology Service Contracts	\$7,100.00	\$21,300.00	\$21,300.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$7,317.35	\$21,517.35	\$21,517.35
Bottled Water	\$0.00	\$252.00	\$252.00
Food and Beverage	\$148.45	\$148.45	\$148.45
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$1,581.25	\$1,811.25	\$1,811.25
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$826.77	\$1,566.79	\$1,566.79
Publications/Reference Material	\$0.00	\$3,357.95	\$3,357.95
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$2,556.47	\$7,136.44	\$7,136.44
Computer Software Purchase less than \$10,000	\$0.00	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$905.00	\$2,715.00	\$2,715.00
31-Equipment subtotal	\$905.00	\$6,315.00	\$6,315.00
Total Expenses	\$210,596.83	\$610,462.53	\$610,462.53

SUMMARY OF SPECIFIC STUDIES AND INVESTIGATIONS

MARCH

MAR 20, 2013 | Hearing

Focusing on People: A Review of VA's Plans for Employee
Training, Accountability, and Workload Management to Improve
Disability Claims Processing

MAR 19, 2013 | Hearing

Joint Subcommittee Hearing of the HVAC Subcommittee on Oversight & Investigations & SBC Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce: Consistently Inconsistent: Challenges for Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Businesses

Joint Hearing of the Committee on Small Business Contracting and Workforce Subcommittee and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs Oversight & Investigations Subcommittee

MAR 14, 2013 | Hearing

Lowering the Rate of Unemployment for the National Guard and Reserve: Are We Making Progress?

MAR 13, 2013 | Hearing

<u>Meeting Patient Care Needs: Measuring the Value of VA Physician</u>
<u>Staffing Standards</u>

MAR 13, 2013 | Hearing

Gulf War: What Kind of Care are Veterans Receiving 20 Years Later?

MAR 6, 2013 | Hearing

<u>Joint House and Senate Committees on Veterans' Affairs to receive Legislative Presentation of Multiple Veteran Service Organizations (VSOs)</u>

MAR 6, 2013 | Hearing

Waiting for Care: Examining Patient Wait Times at VA

MAR 5, 2013 | Hearing

Joint House and Senate Committees on Veterans' Affairs to receive Legislative Presentation of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

TRAVEL/INVESTIGATIONS

MARCH

March 21 - 22, 2013 - Committee travel to St Ambros U, Davenport, IA, to participate in a Veterans Meeting.

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GONZALEZ, SAMANTHA E PROFESSIONAL STAFF	25,000.00	4,583.33	03/01/13 03/31/13	
HANNEL, ERIC EUGENE SUBC STAFF DIRECTOR - I & O	120,000.00	10,000.00	03/01/13 03/31/13	
LARA, JUAN DEM STAFF DIR & COUNSEL, EO	131,902.00	10,991.83	03/01/13 03/31/13	
MCQUADE, ROBERT H RESEARCH ASSISTANT	41,500.00	3,343.06	03/01/13 03/31/13 LWOP 01/28/13 TO 03/01/13	
MURRAY, CAROL S OFFICE MANAGER/LEG COORDINATOR	81,900.00	6,825.00	03/01/13 03/31/13	
RILEY, RORY E STAFF DIRECTOR., DAMA	110,000.00	9,166.67	03/01/13 03/31/13	
ROGAN, LAUREN PROF STAFF MEM, DISABILITY ASS	55,000.00	4,583.33	03/01/13 03/31/13	
SIEGEL, MICHAEL N MEDIA ASST	32,500.00	2,708.33	03/01/13 03/31/13	
TOWERS, JONATHAN A DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	150,000.00	12,500.00	03/01/13 03/31/13	
TUCKER, DAVID MICHAEL DEP DEM STAFF DIR & CHIEF COUN	142,208.00	11,850.67	03/01/13 03/31/13	
WIBLEMO, CATHLEEN CECILIA DEM STAFF DIRECTOR, HEALTH	132,164.00	11,013.67	03/01/13 03/31/13	
ZAPATA, JIAN SENIOR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	55,485.00	4,623.75	03/01/13 03/31/13	

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I CERTIFY THAT THE LISTED EMPLOYEES HAVE PERFORMED THEIR ASSIGNED OFFICIAL DUTIES FOR THE OFFICES OF THIS COMMITTEE, AND THAT THEY HAVE CERTIFIED THAT THEY HAVE NO RELATIONSHIP TO A CURRENT MEMBER OF CONGRESS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED HEREON