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April 21, 2014

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

Dear Chairman Miller:

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

(1) Summary for March 2014, of specific studies and investigations;

(2) Statement of expenses for March 2014, and the Fund Balance Statement;

(3) Monthly report of travel performed, March 2014, and

(4) Listing of Committee employees for March 2014, including addresses, titles, and gross monthly salaries.

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

Sincerely,

Edward R. Royce Chairman

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

# **SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**

## MARCH 3 – 7, 2014

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

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 2014

10:00 A.M. **Joint Hearing: "Iran's Support for Terrorism Worldwide"** Subcommittee on the Middle East and North Africa, Chairman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen and the Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade, Chairman Ted Poe

> WITNESSES The Honorable Pete Hoekstra Shillman Senior Fellow

Matthew Levitt, Ph.D. Director and Former-Wexler Fellow Stein Program on Counterterrorism and Intelligence The Washington Institute for Near East Policy

Mr. J. Matthew McInnis Resident Fellow American Enterprise Institute

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 2014

10:00 A.M. Hearing: "Threats to Israel: Terrorist Funding and Trade Boycotts" Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade, Chairman Ted Poe

> WITNESSES Mr. Edwin Black Author

David Pollock, Ph.D. Kaufman Fellow The Washington Institute for Near East Policy

Mr. Steven Perles Founder and Senior Partner Perles Law Firm, P.C.

 12:00 P.M. Members Only Meeting with His Excellency Dr. Yuval Steinitz, the Minister of Strategic Affairs and Intelligence Affairs of the State of Israel
Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

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4:00 P.M.	Members Only Classified Briefing with the Defense Intelligence
	Agency on Russian Aggression in Ukraine
	Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

5:00 P.M. Joint Members Only Classified Briefing on Russia's Adherence to the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty House Committee on Foreign Affairs, House Committee on Armed Services, and House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 2014

9:00 A.M. Hearing: "U.S. Foreign Policy Toward Ukraine" Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

> WITNESSES Mr. Eric Rubin Deputy Assistant Secretary Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs U.S. Department of State

The Honorable Paige Alexander Assistant Administrator Bureau for Europe and Eurasia U.S. Agency for International Development

Mr. Daleep Singh Deputy Assistant Secretary for Europe and Eurasia U.S. Department of the Treasury

10:00 A.M. Markup of: H. Res. 499 Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

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

#### RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 2/28 FEBRUARY 28, 2014

\*<u>H.RES.494</u> – "Affirming the importance of the Taiwan Relations Act." Sponsored by Chairman Royce.

**<u>H.R.4134</u>** – "To repeal the reduced annual cost-of-living adjustment of the retired pay of retired members of the Armed Forces under the age of 62 imposed by the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2013." Sponsored by Rep. Nugent, Richard B.

#### MARCH 4, 2014

**H.R.4143** – "To realign structures and reallocate resources in the Federal Government, in keeping with the core American belief that families are the best protection for children and the bedrock of any society, to bolster United States diplomacy and assistance targeted at ensuring that every child can grow up in a permanent, safe, nurturing, and loving family, and to strengthen intercountry adoption to the United States and around the world and ensure that it becomes a viable and fully developed option for providing families for children in need, and for other purposes." Sponsored by Rep. Granger, Kay.

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#### MARCH 5, 2014

**H.R.4152** – "To provide for the costs of loan guarantees for Ukraine." Sponsored by Rep. Rogers, Harold.

\*<u>H.R.4155</u> – "To authorize natural gas exports to certain foreign countries, and for other purposes." Sponsored by Rep. Poe, Ted.

\*H.J.RES.112 – "Providing for the approval of the Congress of the proposed Third Amendment to the Agreement for Co-operation Between the United States of America and the International Atomic Energy Agency that was transmitted to Congress on January 29, 2014." Sponsored by Chairman Royce.

\*<u>H.RES.499</u> – "Condemning the violation of Ukrainian sovereignty, independence, and territorial integrity by military forces of the Russian Federation." Sponsored by Chairman Royce.

\***H.RES.503** – "Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the need to bring the South Sudan conflict to a sustainable and lasting end and to promote reconciliation of longstanding and recent grievances to allow for a peaceful society with good governance." Sponsored by Rep. Smith, Christopher H.

#### MARCH 6, 2014

**H.CON.RES.91** – "Encouraging reunions of divided Korean American families." Sponsored by Rep. Rangel, Charles B.

\***H.RES.505** – "Strongly recommending that the United States renegotiate the return of the Iraqi Jewish Archive to Iraq." Sponsored Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana.

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

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

#### **RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 2/28**

**EC #4862** — As required by Section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 170(c), a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Iran that was declared in Executive Order 12957 of March 15, 1995. February 28, 2014. Department of Treasury transmitting communication.

**EC #4920** — The Department's report on Foreign Policy-Based Export Controls for 2014. March 6, 2014. Department of Treasury transmitting communication.

**EC #4921** — A report including matters relating to the interdiction of aircraft engaged in illicit drug trafficking. March 6, 2014. Department of State transmitting communication.

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**PM #94** —Continuation Of The National Emergency With Respect To Zimbabwe (H.Doc. 113-94). March 4, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting notification that the national emergency with respect to the actions and policies of certain numbers of the Government of Zimbabwe and other persons to undermine Zimbabwe's democratic processes or institutions is to continue in effect beyond March 6, 2014, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d).

**PM #95** — Executive Order Declaring A National Emergency With Respect To The Situation In Ukraine (H.Doc. 113-95). March 6, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting notification that an Executive Order was issued declaring a national emergency with respect to the unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security and foreign policy of the United States posed by the situation in Ukraine, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.

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

**RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 2/28** 

<u>Independent Assessment of the Afghan National Security Forces</u>. January 24, 2014. CNA transmitting report in accordance with the 2013 National Defense Authorization Act.

**SEC Annual-Quarterly Report.** February 11, 2014. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012.

**FY 2013 Report on Humanitarian Assistance (HA).** February 26, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to Section 2561, Title 10, U.S.C.

**U.S. Overseas Loans and Grants and Assistance from International Organizations.** February 27, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting report on obligations and loan authorizations from July 1, 1945 through September 20, 2012.

**FY 2012** National Defense Authorization Act. March 4, 2013. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 1245(d)(4)(D), as amended, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain, and the UK have each reduced to zero purchases of Iranian crude oil and remained there.

<u>Country Reports on Human Rights Practices for 2013.</u> March 4, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 116(d) and 502(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and Section 504 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended.

**Determination and Certification of the Foreign Assistance Act Relating to the Largest Exporting and Importing Countries of Certain Precursor Chemicals.** March 5, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 490(b)(1)(A) of the Foreign Assistance Act.

**FY 2013 Humanitarian and Civic Assistance Program.** March 5, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report required by title 10, U.S.C., Section 401.

**FY 2014 Coalition Support Funds.** March 6, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to the Department of Defense Appropriations Acts, 2011, 2013 and Section 1233 of the National Defense Authorization Act, FY 2008.

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

<u>GAO-14-229</u> — CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING: State and USAID Made Progress Assessing and Implementing Changes, but Further Actions Needed. February 14, 2014.

**GAO-14-277** — INTERNATIONAL FOOD AID: Prepositioning Speeds Delivery of Emergency Aid, but Additional Monitoring of Time Frames and Costs Is Needed. March 5, 2014.

<u>GAO-14-209</u> — NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION: Stronger Planning and Evaluation Needed for Radiological Security Zone Pilot Project. March 6, 2014.

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

#### **RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 2/28**

As amended, the "United States Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria Act of 2003" ("Leadership Act"), the United States is required to withhold 20 percent of the amounts appropriated "pursuant to [the Leadership Act] for a contribution to support the Global Fund" until the Global Fund is certified to meet certain conditions. February 27, 2014.Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification of use of authority under Section 1206 of the FY 2006 National Defense Authorization Act to conduct or support programs in Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungry, Kenya, Latvia, Lithuania, Mauritania, Niger, Poland, and Romania. March 6, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more. March 7, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-046** — \$1,700,000 FY 2013 Democracy Funds (DF) obligated to support human rights and democracy activities in Europe and Eurasia. March 6, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-047** — \$3,260,000 FY 2010 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement (INCLE) funds previously notified for the Colombian National Police Aerial Eradication Program reprogrammed to include the procurement of a replacement aircraft for aerial eradication. March 7, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-048** — \$118,140,095 FY 2014 Peacekeeping Operations (PKO) and FY 2014 PKO-Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO) funds obligated to support the UN Support Office for AMISOM, the Multinational Forces and Observers the Global Peace Operations Initiative, South Sudan, and Mali. March 7, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-049** — FY 2013 Economic Support Funds- Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO) funds obligated to support a workforce development scholarship program for Tunisia. March 7, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-050** — FY 2014 operating plan for the Emergencies in Diplomatic and Consular Services (EDCS) appropriation reflecting \$50.3 million to meet unforeseen emergency requirements in support of the conduct of foreign affairs. March 7, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

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**AT CN #4** — \$36,148,467 FY 2014 Global Health Programs/USAID (GHP/USAID), Global Health and Child Survival/USAID (GHCS/USAID), Development Assistant (DA) funds transferred to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) for the procurement of technical assistance services in infectious diseases through an agreement pursuant to section 632(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961. March 5, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

**CN #85** — Regional Narrative: Asia and Middle East Regional (AME). \$14,331,493 Development Assistance (DA) and \$4,805,463 Global Health Programs-USAID (GHP-USAID) FY 2013 new obligation authority (NOA) funds for various programs under USAID/AME; requiring additional notification for \$6,992,232. March 7, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

**CN #86**—\$4,978,000 from the FY 2013 Complex Crises Funds- Overseas Contingency Operations (CCF-OCO) obligated by Department of State and USAID for Burundi. March 7, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

**CN #87**—\$1,750,000 FY 2013 Complex Crises Funds-Overseas Contingency Operations (CCF-OCO) obligated for Guinea. March 7, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification. 113<sup>™</sup> CONGRESS

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

# **SURVEY OF ACTIVITIES**

## MARCH 10 – 14, 2014

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

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 2014

2:00 P.M. Joint Briefing & Hearing: "The Northern Ireland Peace Process Today: Attempting to Deal with the Past" Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations, Chairman Christopher H. Smith; and Subcommittee on Europe, Eurasia, and Emerging Threats, Chairman Dana Rohrabacher

## BRIEFER

The Baroness Nuala O'Loan Former Police Ombudsman for Northern Ireland (Appearing via teleconference)

WITNESSES <u>Panel I</u> The Honorable Richard N. Haass Chair Panel of Parties in the Northern Ireland Executive

<u>Panel II</u> Ms. Geraldine Finucane Wife of slain human rights attorney Patrick Finucane

Mr. Eugene Devlin Victim of the Military Reaction Force

Ms. Julia Hall Expert on Criminal Justice and Counter-Terrorism in Europe Amnesty International

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2014

1:15 P.M. Hearing: "Securing U.S. Interests Abroad: The FY 2015 Foreign Affairs Budget" Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

> WITNESS The Honorable John F. Kerry Secretary of State U.S. Department of State

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2014

### 9:30 A.M. Hearing: "The Promise of the Taiwan Relations Act" Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce

WITNESS Mr. Kin Moy Deputy Assistant Secretary Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs U.S. Department of State

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

#### Asterisked (\*) Bills Introduced by a Committee Member

#### MARCH 12, 2014

**H.R.4223** – "To restrict United States nationals from traveling to countries in which foreign governments or anti-government forces allow foreign terrorist organizations to engage in armed conflict for purposes of participating in such armed conflict or from providing material support to entities that are engaged in such armed conflict, and for other purposes." Sponsored by Rep. Frank R. Wolf.

#### MARCH 13, 2014

\*H.R.4229 – "To seek international sanctions against the Government of Venezuela with respect to foreign persons responsible for or complicit in ordering, controlling, or otherwise directing, the commission of serious human rights abuses against citizens of Venezuela, and for other purposes." Sponsored by Rep. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen.

\*<u>H.R.4231</u> – "To prohibit United States assistance to the East-West Center." Sponsored by Rep. Matt Salmon.

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

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

EC #4954 — The March 2014 International Narcotics Control Strategy Report, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2291(b)(2). March 11, 2014. Department of State transmitting communication.

**EC #4955** — The department's report entitled, "Country Reports on Human Rights Practices for 2013". March 11,2014. Department of State transmitting communication.

**PM #97** — Continuation Of The National Emergency With Respect To Iran (H. Doc 113-97). March 13, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting notification that the national emergency with respect to Iran originally declared on March 15, 1995, is to continue in effect beyond March 15, 2014.

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

### RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 3/07

**Overseas Building Operations Policy for Identifying and Disposing of Real Estate Worldwide**. February 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting report as required by the Conference Report(H.Rept. 104-863) accompanying H.R. 3610, the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act, 1997(P.L. 104-208).

**2012 Annual Report of the Vietnam Education Foundation.** March 5, 2014. Vietnam Education Foundation transmitting report in accordance with P.L. 106-554.

**Proposed Obligations for Cooperative Threat Reduction**. March 6, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report in accordance with Section 1205 of the NDAA for FY 1996, P.L.104-106, Section 1302 of the NDAA for FY 2014.

**Determination for East Asian and Pacific Affairs to Waive the Travel Restrictions.** March 7,2014. Department of State of transmitting report pursuant to the authority under Section 5(a)(2)of the Tom Lantos Block Burmese JADE (Junta's Anti-Democratic Efforts) Act of 2008.

*SBU:* Iran. March 10, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to the NDAA of FY 2012.

**<u>FY 2014 DSCA Security Cooperation Sales.</u>** March 11,2014. Department of Defense transmitting report in accordance with Sections 36(a) and 26(b) of the Arms Export Control Act.

**SEC Annual-Quarterly Report.** March 11, 2014. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012.

*SBU:* Yemen. March 11, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 606(a)(3)(B)(ii)(II) of the Secure Embassy Construction and Counterterrorism Act of 1999(P.L. 106-113).

Transmittal No. 13-76, Air Force's Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to Pakistan for Defense Articles. March 11, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act.

Transmittal No. 0Q-13, Report of Enhancement or Upgrade of Sensitivity of Technology or Capability. March 12, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting report pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(5)(A) of the Arms Export Control Act(AECA).

**U.S. Trade and Development Agency FY 2015 Congressional Budget Justification**. March 12, 2014. U.S. Trade and Development Agency transmitting report.

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

<u>GAO-14-360</u> — COUNTERING OVERSEAS THREATS: Gaps in State Department Management of Security Training May Increase Risk to U.S. Personnel. March 10, 2014.

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<u>GAO-14-109</u> — NUCLEAR SAFETY: Countries' Regulatory Bodies Have Made Changes in Response to the Fukushima Daiichi Accident. March 11, 2014.

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

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of 19 excess High Mobility Multipurpose Wheeled Vehicles (HMMWV's) to the Government of Senegal. March 11, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

**CN #14-050** — FY 2014 Diplomatic and Consular Programs (D&CP) appropriation including Worldwide Security Protection (WSP) planned transfers into and out of FY 2014 D&CP account to provide a net allocation account level of \$5.3 billion. March 11, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN #14-051** — FY 2013 \$2,000,000 International Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement funds for a global program to combat trafficking in persons. March 12, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN #88** — \$2,500,000 of FY 2013 Economic Support Funds(ESF) intends to obligate carryover in the area of economic growth for programs to support the implementation of the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme (KPCS) for rough diamonds in Cote d'Ivoire and Guinea. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

**CN #89**—\$1,000,000 of FY 2013 Democracy Funds (DF) intends to obligate carryover funds in the area of Governing Justly and Democratically to support the efforts of Somalia's Federal Government in meeting critical parliamentary and electoral benchmarks. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

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

None.

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

Asterisked (\*) Bills Introduced by a Committee Member

### RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS 2/14 MARCH 14, 2014

\*<u>H.R. 4254</u> – "To impose sanctions on individuals who are complicit in human rights abuses committed against nationals of Vietnam or their family members, and for other purposes." Sponsored by Chairman Royce

\***H.RES. 520** – "Calling for an end to attacks on Syrian civilians and expanded humanitarian access." Sponsored by Chairman Royce

## MARCH 21, 2014

H.R. 4278 - "Ukraine Support Act." Sponsored by Chairman Royce

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

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

**PM#98** — Blocking Property Of Additional Persons Contributing To The Situation In Ukraine (H. Doc 113-98). March 18, 2014. The President of the United States transmitting notification that expanding the scope of the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13660 of March 6,2014.

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

### **RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 3/14 Quarterly Report of the Office of Foreign Assets Control.** March 12, 2014. Department of Treasury transmitting report under Section 906(b) of the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export Enhancement Act of 2000.

<u>Costs of Congressional Printing and Binding</u>. March 12, 2014. Government Printing Office transmitting report.

**2014 NDAA Report on Changes in the US-China Relationship.** March 14, 2014. U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission transmitting report pursuant to P.L 106-398, as amended by P.L. 109-108.

The Effectiveness of UN Efforts to Prevent Sexual Exploitation and Abuse and Trafficking in Persons in UN Peacekeeping Missions. March 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting report consistent with Section 104(e) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2005(P.L. 109-164).

Determination Under the Iran-Iraq Arms Non-Proliferation Act of 1992. March 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting report consistent with Section 1606 of the Iran-Iraq Arms Non-Proliferation Act of 1992 (P.L. 102-484)(IIANPA).

The Status of Actions to Prevent the Smuggling of methamphetamine into the United State from Mexico. March 18, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 723 of the Combat Methamphetamine Epidemic Act of 2005. Title VII, of the USA Patriot Improvement and Reauthorization Act of 2005(P.L. 109-177).

SEC Annual-Quarterly Report. March 18, 2014. Securities and Exchange Commission transmitting report pursuant to Section 13(r) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by Section 219 of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012.

Map of Mineral Rich Zones Under Control of Armed Groups in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to P.L. 111-203, Section 1502(c)(2) of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act.

Visas Viper Committees Status. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to Section 304(f) of the Enhanced Border Security and Visa Entry Reform Act of 2002.

FY 2013 Annual Report on Intercountry Adoption. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting report consistent with Section 104 of P.L. 106-279, the Intercountry Adoption Act.

Certification for the US Embassy/Vienna, Austria. March 20, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to section 160(a) of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1988 and 1989 (P.L. 100-204).

Conference Report 112-31. March 21, 2014. Department of State transmitting report pursuant to the joint explanatory statement accompanying the Military Construction and Veterans Affairs and Related Appropriations Act, 2013 (P.L. 112-74).

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

None.

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

### **RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 3/14**

CN 14-052 — \$40,000,000 FY 2013 Economic Support Funds – Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO) obligated to be used by the Bureau of South and Central Asian Affairs for the program to support civil society, media, and women's empowerment in Afghanistan. March 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

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**CN 14-053** — \$5,175,000 FY 2009 Supplemental Peacekeeping Operations funds (PKO) obligated to support Peacekeeping Activities in the Central African Republic. March 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-054** — \$25,250,000 FY 2013 Economic Support Funds (ESF) obligated to support the Bureau of Oceans International Environmental and Scientific Affairs (OES) climate change program. March 14, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN #90** — \$973,009 FY 2013 Development Assistance (DA) funds obligated to the Economic Growth/Environment program area to support activities to address environmental challenges in the Halong Bay area in Vietnam. March 14, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

ECA Grant Notification: \$224,842 to the Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX) program. March 18, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification of the proposed grant transfer of excess F110-129 engines and control units to Chile under the Excess Defense Articles (EDA) program. March 19, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to the United Arab Emirates. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more to the Czech Republic and Poland. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$1,000,000 or more to the Army and Marine Units of the Armed Forces of the Philippines. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more to the Australian Government, Department of Defense. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to the Government of the Sultanate of Oman. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

Notification approved payment for the Government of Hungry in the amount of \$229,087 to reimburse it for expenses incurred in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM from October to December 2012. March 20, 2014. Department of Defense transmitting notification.

**CN 14-055** — \$3,925,595 FY 2013 Nonproliferation, Anti-Terrorism, Demining, and Related Programs funds obligated through the Regional Strategic Initiative program to support regional programs to counter the threat of terrorism and reduce support for terrorist activities, and for programs with the Global Counterterrorism Forum. March 19, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.



**CN 14-056** — \$2,600,000 FY 2010,2011,2012 Foreign Military Financing funds (FMF) for Tanzania and Caribbean Basin Security Initiative (CBSI). March 20, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-057** — \$3,195,000 FY 2013 Economic Support Funds (ESF) obligated to support the Full Participation Fund Program. March 20, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-058** — \$29,544,000 FY 2013 Economic Support Funds – Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO) obligated to support the Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs, Office of Middle East Partnership Initiative (NEA/MEPI) to promote political, economic and civil society empowerment in the Middle East region. March 20, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-057** — \$2,800,000 FY 2014 Economic Support Funds (ESF) obligated to be used by the Office of US Foreign Assistance Resources to improve the transparency of US Government foreign assistance programs. March 21, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN 14-060** — FY 2014 operating plan for the Embassy Security, Construction, and Maintenance (ESCM) account. March 21, 2014. Department of State transmitting notification.

**CN #91** — \$723,324,258 FY 2013 Economic Support Funds – Overseas Contingency Operations (ESF-OCO) obligated for civilian assistance programs in Pakistan. March 18, 2014. Agency for International Development transmitting notification.

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MARCH 24 – 28, 2014

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

### TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2014

- 10:00 A.M. Markup of: H.R. 4278, H. Res. 494, and H. Res 418 Full Committee, Chairman Edward R. Royce
- 1:30 P.M. Hearing: "The First One Thousand Days: Development Aid Programs to Bolster Health and Nutrition" Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations, Chairman Christopher H. Smith

WITNESSES <u>Panel I</u> Ms. Tjada D'Oyen McKenna Acting Assistant to the Administrator Bureau for Food Security U.S. Agency for International Development

Panel II Ms. Lisa Bos Senior Policy Advisor for Health, Education, and Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene World Vision

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