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March 15, 2016

The Honorable Candice Miller, Chairman
Committee on House Administration
1309 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Miller:


In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report for February 2016, including:

1. A summary of specific studies, investigations and activities;
2. A fund balance and statement of expenses
3. A statement of Committee travel performed expenses;
4. A list of Committee employees showing their titles and gross monthly salaries.

This letter also certifies that copies of this report are available, upon request, to each Member of the Committee on Ways and Means.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,


Kevin Brady
Chairman

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Attachments

Monthly Report – Summary of Progress

Committee on Ways and Means

February 2016

Full Committee

February 2, 2016 – Hearing - Reaching America's Potential: Delivering Growth and Opportunity for All Americans

February 3, 2016 – Markup –

- Committee on Ways and Means Views and Estimates on the Fiscal Year 2017 Federal Budget
- H.R. 4294, "SAVERS Act of 2015."

February 10, 2016 – Hearing - Department of Health and Human Services Fiscal Year 2017 Budget Request

February 11, 2016 - Hearing - President's Fiscal Year 2017 Budget Proposal with U.S. Secretary of the Treasury Jacob J. Lew

February 24, 2016 – Hearing - Global Tax Environment in 2016 and Implications for International Tax Reform

Health

None

Human Resources

None

Oversight

None

Social Security

None

Tax Policy

None

Trade

None

Floor Action – Passed/Agreed to in House

1) House Passage

- H.R. 3442 “Debt Management and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 2015”– February 11, 2016

2) Signed Into Law

- H.R. 757 – “North Korea Sanctions and Policy Enhancement Act of 2016” - February 18, 2016
- H.R. 644 – “Trade Facilitation and Trade Enforcement Act of 2015” – February 24, 2016

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**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
February**

Total Authorization**114-2****\$8,757,645.00****Less Expenses for:**

January 2016

\$509,097.16

February

\$602,346.17

Total Expenses to Date:**\$1,111,443.33****Unexpended authorization**

\$7,646,201.67

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**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date
February**

Total Authorization

F114-2 **\$5,000.00**

Less Expenses for:

February 2016 **\$1.86**

Total Expenses to Date: **\$1.86**

Unexpended authorization **\$4,998.14**

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Monthly Statement by Paid Date
114-2 February

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	February	February	
Personnel Compensation	\$580,537.61	\$1,085,802.86	\$1,085,802.86
11-Personnel subtotal	\$580,537.61	\$1,085,802.86	\$1,085,802.86
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$41.71	\$41.71	\$41.71
21-Travel subtotal	\$41.71	\$41.71	\$41.71
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$328.00	\$328.00	\$328.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$1,561.50	\$1,561.50	\$1,561.50
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$11,601.83	\$11,601.83	\$11,601.83
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$13,491.33	\$13,491.33	\$13,491.33
Printing & Reproduction	\$239.60	\$449.25	\$449.25
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$126.50	\$126.50
Advertisements	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$284.60	\$620.75	\$620.75
Web/E-Mail/Hosting	\$499.00	\$499.00	\$499.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$499.00	\$499.00	\$499.00
Bottled Water	\$0.00	\$1,380.00	\$1,380.00
Food and Beverage	\$72.33	\$72.33	\$72.33
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$128.66	\$128.66	\$128.66
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$274.63	\$780.39	\$780.39
Publications/Reference Material	\$5,406.30	\$5,406.30	\$5,406.30
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$5,881.92	\$7,767.68	\$7,767.68
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$1,610.00	\$3,220.00	\$3,220.00
31-Equipment subtotal	\$1,610.00	\$3,220.00	\$3,220.00
Total Expenses	\$602,346.17	\$1,111,443.33	\$1,111,443.33

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**Monthly Statement by Paid Date
F114-2 February**

Description	YTD Including		
	February	February	Cumulative Total
Franked Mail	\$1.86	\$1.86	\$1.86
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$1.86	\$1.86	\$1.86
Total Expenses	\$1.86	\$1.86	\$1.86

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February 2016

Month	Dates of Travel	Name	Begin/End Location	Per Diem	Transportation	Other	Total
January 2016	None						
February 2016	None						
March 2016							
April 2016							
May 2016							
June 2016							
July 2016							
August 2016							
September 2016							
October 2016							
November 2016							
December 2016							

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016

Process Level: WM000 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS

Accounting Organization: 10WM000

Department: WM000 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ELLARD, ANGELA P CHIEF TRADE COUNSEL	170,696.00	14,224.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
STEWART, DAVID B STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
WEIDINGER, MATTHEW A DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	170,696.00	14,224.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ACUNA GORDON, JENNIFER S COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
ANGUS, BARBARA M CHIEF TAX COUNSEL	168,411.00	10,759.59	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	APPOINTMENT 02/08/16
ARBETTER, ERICA CARI DIGITAL DIRECTOR	63,500.00	5,291.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
ARONSON, LAUREN B PRESS SECRETARY	83,000.00	2,075.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	APPOINTMENT 02/22/16
BAKER, MICHAEL K ASSISTANT CLERK	55,000.00	4,583.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
BLANKENSHIP, APRIL L FINANCIAL ADMIN - REPUBLICAN	21,211.00	1,767.58	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
CARR, MACHALAGH OVERSIGHT STAFF DIRECTOR	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
CLAEYS, STEPHEN J TRADE COUNSEL	130,000.00	10,833.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
COOKSEY, KATHARINE ELIZABETH DEPUTY PRESS SECRETARY	40,000.00	3,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
CUSMANO, ROBERT JOSEPH LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
DECESARO, ANNE M STAFF DIRECTOR	152,000.00	12,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
DORNETTE, DAVID PAUL STAFF ASSISTANT	30,000.00	2,500.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
FREIMAN, SHAUN KELLY PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	1,388.89	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	APPOINTMENT 02/26/16
FRIEDMAN, JEFFREY E TAX COUNSEL	140,000.00	11,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
FUSSELL, NASIM DEYLAMI TRADE COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
GELFAND, TEGAN NOELLE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	8,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
GOTO, MEINAN PROFESSIONAL STAFF	55,000.00	4,583.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
GRABERT, LISA M PROFESSIONAL STAFF	130,000.00	10,833.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
GREENE, REGINALD B DOCUMENTS CLERK	110,000.00	0.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	TERMINATED 01/31/16
GUAGLIANONE, PAUL D COALITIONS COORDINATOR	45,000.00	3,750.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
HALATAEI, ALLISON E GEN. COUNSEL & PARLIAMENTARIAN	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
HANCOCK, HAROLD PROFESSIONAL STAFF	135,000.00	11,250.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
HASLETT, BRIGHTON NICOLE LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	38,000.00	2,216.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	APPOINTMENT 02/10/16
HOSTETLER, MARGARET ANN PROFESSIONAL STAFF	130,000.00	10,833.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
LAHASKY, ROSEMARY A PROFESSIONAL STAFF	95,000.00	7,916.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
MARTIN, RYAN T PROFESSIONAL STAFF	130,000.00	10,833.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
MONIE, BRIAN ALEXANDER STAFF ASSISTANT	30,000.00	1,250.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	APPOINTMENT 02/16/16
MURRY, EMILY H SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF DIR-HEALTH	152,000.00	13,933.34	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
NEELY, AMANDA H OVERSIGHT COUNSEL	100,000.00	8,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
PARKS, STEPHANIE M PROFESSIONAL STAFF	85,000.00	7,083.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
ROCCA, ANDREW D LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	37,500.00	3,125.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
ROSNER, LARA ELAINE PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	8,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
RUSCIANO, SARAH V SPEC ASSIST TO THE STAFF DIR	37,000.00	3,083.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
RUSSELL, MATTHEW MILES LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT	35,000.00	2,916.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/01/16
SANDELL, JOHN D ASSOCIATE TAX COUNSEL	70,000.00	5,833.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
SCHILLINGER, EMILY L COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	165,000.00	13,750.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
SCHNEIDER, DONALD F SENIOR ECONOMIST	80,000.00	6,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
SHUART, AMY N STAFF DIRECTOR	150,000.00	12,500.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
STOTTMANN, CHRISTINA M COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATOR	100,000.00	8,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
UEHLECKE, NICHOLAS Y PROFESSIONAL STAFF	80,000.00	6,555.55	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/03/16
WARREN, MARK E TAX COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ANTELL, GEOFFREY D TRADE COUNSEL	150,000.00	625.00		
GREENE, REGINALD B DOCUMENTS CLERK	110,000.00	4,583.33		
MCKEOWN, ANDREW JOHN ECONOMIST	50,000.00	2,083.33		

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Accounting Organization: 10WM000

Department: WM000 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS

Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	42,824.34	3	3
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	302,446.58	40	40
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE	7,291.66	0	3
Total	352,562.58	43	46

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

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Process Level: WM000 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS
 Department: WM090 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS-MIN

Accounting Organization: 10WM000

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
MAYS, JANICE DEM CHIEF COUN & CHIEF TAX COUN	172,500.00	14,375.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ATTAPIT, SIRAT PROFESSIONAL STAFF	100,000.00	8,333.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/01/16
BALTZAN, ELIZABETH TRADE COUNSEL	125,000.00	10,416.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
BEHRINGER, CAROLINE COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	101,000.00	8,416.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/01/16
BREIDENBACH, CARRIE ANN DEMOCRATIC SCHEDULE COORDINATOR	73,000.00	6,083.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
CROUCH, CHRISTOPHER A STAFF DIRECTOR OVERSIGHT SC	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
EGORIN, MELANIE A PROFESSIONAL STAFF	108,000.00	9,000.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
FOSTER, DANIEL ROBERT SHARED EMPLOYEE	20,000.00	1,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
GOULD, JENNIFER A OFFICE MANAGER	115,000.00	9,583.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/01/16
HALL, AMY BETH PRO STAFF, HLTH SUBCOM	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
KALYANAM, ARUNA TAX COUNSEL	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
KEARNS, JASON E TRADE COUNSEL	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
LEE, ALAN TODD TAX COUNSEL	105,000.00	8,750.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	P/R CHANGE 02/01/16
LEVIN, SARAH PROF STF MEMBER, SUB ON HEALTH	108,000.00	9,000.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
MCAFFEE, KAREN B CHIEF TAX COUNSEL	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
MCCOY, MOYER BRANDON RESEARCH STAFF ASSISTANT	55,000.00	4,583.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
MULL, KEIGAN TYLER TRADE COUNSEL	95,000.00	7,916.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

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Department: WM090 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS-MIN

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
OLSON, KATHRYN ELIZABETH PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANT	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
PARKER, KEVIN JAMES PRESS SECRETARY	55,000.00	4,583.33	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
PRICHARD, JIWON TAX COUNSEL	144,000.00	12,000.00	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
STEIGER, MORNA STAFF DIRECTOR	164,000.00	13,666.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
TAI, KATHERINE C TRADE COUNSEL	125,000.00	10,416.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	
WALKER, ANTOINE M DEMOCRATIC SYSTEMS ADMINISTRAT	118,700.00	9,891.67	02/01/2016 to 02/29/2016	

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Department: WM090 COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS-MIN

Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	14,375.00	1	1
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	216,308.36	22	22
Total	230,683.36	23	23

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Accounting Organization: 10WM000

Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	57,199.34	4	4
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	518,754.94	62	62
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE	7,291.66	0	3
Total	583,245.94	66	69

COMMENTS: (EXCEPTIONS MUST BE LISTED WITHIN THIS BOX)

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