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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE

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April 17, 2015

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

Dear Chairman Miller:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the original and a copy of the monthly report for March 2015, including,

1. A summary of studies, investigations, and activities of the Committee
2. A statement of expenses and fund balances
3. A statement of Committee travel expenses
4. A statement of Committee use of the frank
5. A listing of Committee employees showing their titles and gross monthly salaries.

This letter also certified that copies of this report are available, upon request, to each Member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Sincerely,



Fred Upton
Chairman

Attachments

March 2015

Committee on Energy and Commerce

Full Committee

There were no Full Committee hearing or markups in the month of March, 2015.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade

The Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade held a hearing on Wednesday, March 18, 2015 entitled "Discussion Draft of H.R. ____, Data Security and Breach Notification Act of 2015."

The Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing and Trade held a hearing on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 entitled "The Internet of Things: Exploring the Next Technology Frontier."

The Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade held a markup beginning on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 for opening statements on H.R. ____, the "Data Security and Breach Notification Act of 2015." The Committee reconvened on Wednesday, March 25, 2015 in open markup of the legislation.

H.R. ____, Data Breach Security and Notification Act of 2015

Author	Description	Outcome	Vote
Welch	Regarding definitions	Passed	Voice Vote
Pompeo	Regarding third party notification	Passed	Voice Vote
Cardenas/Blackburn	Regarding education and outreach for small businesses	Passed	Voice Vote
Cardenas/Blackburn	Regarding FTC website on data security best practices	Passed	Voice Vote
Pompeo	Regarding preemption	Withdrawn	

The Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on Tuesday, March 17, 2015 entitled “The Environmental Protection Agency’s Proposed 111(d) Rule for Existing Power Plants: Legal and Cost Issues”

The Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on Thursday, March 19, 2015 entitled “H.R. 906, to Modify the Efficiency Standards for Grid-Enabled Water Heaters.”

Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy

The Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy held a hearing on Wednesday, March 18, 2015 entitled “H.R. ____, the Improving Coal Combustion Residuals Regulation Act of 2015.” The Subcommittee reconvened to Tuesday, March 24, 2015 to hear additional testimony.

The Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy held a markup beginning on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 for opening statements on H.R. ____, the “Improving Coal Combustion Residuals Regulation Act of 2015.” The Committee reconvened on Wednesday, March 25, 2015 in open markup of the legislation.

H.R. ____, Improving Coal Combustion Residuals Regulation Act of 2015

Author	Description	Outcome	Vote
Pallone	En bloc amendment	Not agreed to	6-12
Caps	Regarding general requirements	Not agreed to	8-12

H.R. ____, the “Improving Coal Combustion Residuals Regulation Act of 2015,” was agreed to by a vote of 16-5

Subcommittee on Health

The Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 entitled “Examining the 340B Drug Pricing Program.”

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations

The Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Tuesday, March 3, 2015 entitled “Understanding the Cyber Threat and Implications for the 21st Century Economy.”

The Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Thursday, March 26, 2015 entitled “Examining the Growing Problems of Prescription Drug and Heroin Abuse: State and Local Perspectives.”

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Monthly Statement by CHA Requirements
114-1 March

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	March	March	
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$677,663.50	\$1,893,338.08	\$1,893,338.08
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$125.00	\$125.00
11- subtotal	\$677,663.50	\$1,893,463.08	\$1,893,463.08
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$134.04	\$205.86	\$205.86
Travel Subsistence	\$794.07	\$794.07	\$794.07
21-Travel subtotal	\$928.11	\$999.93	\$999.93
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$484.00	\$1,060.00	\$1,060.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$1,483.25	\$2,966.50	\$2,966.50
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$4,303.65	\$8,566.47	\$8,566.47
Computer Service	\$56.40	\$56.40	\$56.40
HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00
Postage/Courier/Box rental	\$55.58	\$84.13	\$84.13
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$6,418.88	\$12,769.50	\$12,769.50
Printing & Reproduction	\$357.85	\$880.95	\$880.95
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$6.40	\$6.40
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$357.85	\$887.35	\$887.35
Non-Technology Service Contracts	\$516.66	\$996.78	\$996.78
Technology Service Contracts	\$0.00	\$8,144.00	\$8,144.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$516.66	\$9,140.78	\$9,140.78
Bottled Water	\$1,192.99	\$2,129.81	\$2,129.81
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$4,072.00	\$4,162.00	\$4,162.00
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$56.10	\$414.50	\$414.50
Publications/Reference Material	\$0.00	\$3,327.72	\$3,327.72
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$5,321.09	\$10,034.03	\$10,034.03
Office Equipment Purchases less than \$25,000	\$25.00	\$2,356.38	\$2,356.38
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$1,770.82	\$5,455.46	\$5,455.46
31-Equipment subtotal	\$1,795.82	\$7,811.84	\$7,811.84
Total Expenses	\$693,001.91	\$1,935,106.51	\$1,935,106.51

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**Fund Balance Statement by CHA Requirements
March**

Total Authorization

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\$0.00**Less Expenses for:**

January	2015	\$551,354.15
February		\$690,750.45
March		\$693,001.91

Total Expenses to Date:**\$1,935,106.51****Unexpended authorization**

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Committee on Energy and Commerce		Expenses Paid Out for Domestic Travel on Committee Budget		Month: March 2015	
Traveller	Dates	Destination	Event	Air/Train Transportation	Reimbursement
MAJORITY MEMBER TRAVEL					
None					
MAJORITY STAFF TRAVEL					
Tom Hassenboehler	3/11-13/15	Boston, MA	Harvard University Business School symposium on Amercia's unconventional energy opportunity and the School of Government to discuss upcoming Committee legislation	Washington, DC (DCA) to Boston, MA (BOS) and return	Flight, Lodging, Ground Transportaion, Meals \$794.07
MINORITY MEMBER TRAVEL					
None					
MINORITY STAFF TRAVEL					
None					
WITNESS TRAVEL					
None					

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PAYROLL CERTIFICATION - FINAL

03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015

Process Level: CM000 COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & COMMERCE

Accounting Organization: 10CM000

Department: CM000 COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & COMMERCE

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ALSPACH, ROBERT C CHIEF COUNSEL, HEALTH	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
ANDRES, GARY J STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
CHRISTIAN, KAREN E GENERAL COUNSEL	168,400.00	14,033.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
HASSENBOEHLER, THOMAS CHIEF COUNSEL, ENERGY & POWER	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
INGEBRETSON, CHARLES L CHIEF COUNSEL OVERSIGHT & INV	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
MARRERO, ALEXA COMMUNICATIONS DIR/DPTY STAFF	172,500.00	14,375.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
MCCARTHY, DAVID J CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
NAGLE, PAUL JOHN CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
REDL, DAVID J CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ABRAHAM, NICHOLAS P LEGISLATIVE CLERK	42,000.00	3,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BAKER, CHARLOTTE T DEPUTY COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	100,000.00	8,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BAUM, RAY SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR	115,000.00	9,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BELL, DAVID J STAFF ASSISTANT	34,000.00	2,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BONYUN, SEAN C COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	150,000.00	12,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BROWN, KATHERINE L PRESS ASSISTANT	36,000.00	3,000.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
BUSBEE, ALLISON POLICY DIRECTOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
CARD, REBECCA V STAFF ASSISTANT	34,000.00	2,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	

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Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
LIEBERMAN, BEN C COUNSEL	121,000.00	10,083.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
MCWILLIAMS, CARLYLE S PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	55,000.00	4,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
MOONEY, BRANDON P PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	100,000.00	8,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
NEUMAYR, MARY B SENIOR ENERGY COUNSEL	145,000.00	12,083.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
NEWMAN, EMILY P COUNSEL	70,000.00	1,555.56	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	TERMINATED 03/08/15
NOVARIA, KATHRYN ELISE PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	55,000.00	4,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
OHLY, JOHN C PROFESSIONAL STAFF MBR	95,000.00	7,916.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
PATAKI, TIMOTHY A PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	75,000.00	6,250.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
PITTMAN, GRAHAM E STAFF ASSISTANT	34,000.00	2,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
RATNER, MARK DALE POLICY COORDINATOR	10,000.00	833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
RICHARDS, TINA M COUNSEL	130,000.00	10,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
ROSENTHALL, KRISTA CARPENTER COUNSEL TO CHAIRMAN EMERITUS	64,000.00	5,333.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
ROTHSCHILD, TARA PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	105,000.00	8,750.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
SANTINI, CHRISTOPHER S POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,027.78	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	APPOINTMENT 03/02/15
SARLEY, CHRISTOPHER W POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
SAVERCOOL, CHARLOTTE A LEGISLATIVE CLERK	55,000.00	4,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
SEVCIK, MACEY ELIZABETH PRESS ASSISTANT	36,000.00	3,000.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
SIMONELLI, ADRIANNA M LEGISLATIVE CLERK	42,000.00	3,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	

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Accounting Organization: 10CM000

Department: CM000 COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & COMMERCE

Department	Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
CM000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	\$122,783.31	9	9
CM000	SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	\$359,468.28	56	57
CM000	Total	\$482,251.59	65	66

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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Accounting Organization: 10CM000

Department: CM090 COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & COMM-MIN

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
JONES, MEREDITH ASHLEY DIR OUTREACH/MBR. SERVICES	125,000.00	10,416.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
KESSLER, ERIC S SR AD & STAF DIR FOR ENG & ENV	150,000.00	12,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
KNAUER, CHRISTOPHER OVERSIGHT STAFF DIRECTOR	130,000.00	10,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	APPOINTMENT 03/01/15
LEE, UNA CHIEF OVERSIGHT COUNSEL	90,000.00	7,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	APPOINTMENT 03/01/15
LETTER, DEBORAH R STAFF ASSISTANT	36,000.00	3,000.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
LETTER, ELIZABETH F PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	62,000.00	5,166.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
MARSHALL, JOHN PHILLIP POLICY COORDINATOR	30,000.00	2,500.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	APPOINTMENT 03/01/15
MASSENBURG, JEWEL ANN ONLINE COMMUNICATIONS ASSIST	28,000.00	311.11	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	TERMINATED 03/04/15
MCCARTHY, MARGARET SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEM	82,000.00	6,833.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
PRYOR, RACHEL C HEALTH POLICY ADVISOR	91,000.00	7,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	P/R CHANGE 03/01/15
RICHTER, NICHOLAS T STAFF ASSISTANT	32,000.00	0.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	TERMINATED 02/28/15
ROBINSON, TIMOTHY RAY CHIEF COUNSEL	125,000.00	10,416.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
SKUKOWSKI, RYAN POLICY ANALYST	45,000.00	3,750.00	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
TRZECIAK, KIMBERLEE R HEALTH POLICY ADVISOR	105,000.00	291.67	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	APPOINTMENT 03/30/15
WALKER, EDWARD L TECHNOLOGY DIRECTOR	30,000.00	2,008.83	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	
WORONOFF, ARIELLE V HEALTH COUNSEL	79,000.00	6,583.33	03/01/2015 to 03/31/2015	



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Employee Group	Expenditure	Active	Paid
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL	\$137,158.31	10	10
SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL	\$540,472.47	83	86
Total	\$677,630.78	93	96

COMMENTS: (EXCEPTIONS MUST BE LISTED WITHIN THIS BOX)

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