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The Honorable Zoe Lofgren
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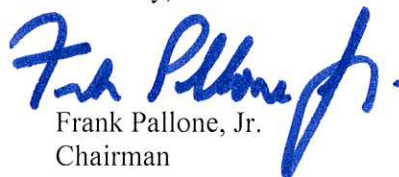
Dear Chairperson Lofgren:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report for July 2019 of the Committee on Energy and Commerce. The report includes the following:

1. A summary of studies, investigations, and activities of the Committee
2. A statement of expenses and fund balances
3. A statement 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
6. A listing of all Committee detailees.

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

Sincerely,


Frank Pallone, Jr.
Chairman

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SUMMARY OF STUDIES, INVESTIGATIONS, AND ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMITTEE

Month of July
2019

FULL COMMITTEE
Frank Pallone, Jr., Chairman

Hearings

The Committee on Energy and Commerce held a “Member’s Day” hearing on Thursday, July 25, 2019. The Committee members received testimony from 43 representatives in the House.

Markups

Full Committee Markup of 25 Bills, as approved by the following Subcommittees:

Approved by the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology (1 bill)

Approved by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce (6 bills)

Approved by the Subcommittee on Energy (10 bills)

Approved by the Subcommittee on Health (8 bills)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2019

The Committee on Energy and Commerce met in open session, pursuant to notice, to consider pending legislation as forwarded by several of its subcommittees. The full Committee took the following actions:

- (1) **H.R. 3375, the “Stopping Bad Robocall Act”** (*Reps. Pallone and Walden*), was considered, as amended by the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology on June 25, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 3375), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a roll call vote of 48 yeas to 0 nays.**

The following actions were taken:

Amendment offered by Mr. Pallone, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment offered by Mr. Burgess, # 2, was agreed to by a voice vote; and

Amendment offered by Mr. Flores, # 3, was agreed to by a voice vote.

- (2) **H.R. 2211, the “Stop Tip-over of Unstable, Risky Dressers on Youth Act” or the “STURDY Act”** (*Reps. Schakowsky, McNERney, Soto, and Rush*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2211), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following action was taken:

Amendment offered by Mrs. Rodgers, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.

- (3) **H.R. 3172, the “Safe Sleep for Babies Act of 2019”** (*Rep. Cárdenas*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 3172), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (4) **H.R. 3170, the “Safe Crib Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Schakowsky, Kelly of Illinois, and Rush*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 3170), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (5) **H.R. 1618, the “Nicolas and Zachary Burt Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Kuster of New Hampshire and Carter of Georgia*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 1618), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (6) **H.R. 806, the “Portable Fuel Container Safety Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Thompson of California and others*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 806), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (7) **H.R. 2647, the “Safer Occupancy Furniture Flammability Act” or “SOFFAA”** (*Reps. Matsui, Griffith, Rush, and Cárdenas*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce on July 10, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (8) **H.R. 1315, the “Blue Collar to Green Collar Jobs Development Act of 2019”** (*Rush of IL*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote. The following action was taken:**
An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Rush, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (9) **H.R. 2665, the “Smart Energy and Water Efficiency Act of 2019”** (*McNerney of CA and Kinzinger of IL*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment offered by Mr. Griffith, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (10) **H.R. 2044, the “Smart Building Acceleration Act”** (*Welch of VT and Kinzinger of IL*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (11) **H.R. 359, the “Enhancing Grid Security through Public-Private Partnerships Act”** (*McNerney of CA and Latta of OH*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (12) **H.R. 360, the “Cyber Sense Act of 2019”** (*Latta of OH and McNerney of CA*); as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.

- (13) **H.R. 362, the “Energy Emergency Leadership Act”** (*Rush of IL and Walberg of MI*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (14) **H.R. 370, the “Pipeline and LNG Facility Cybersecurity Preparedness Act”** (*Rush of IL and Loebbeck of IA*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (15) **H.R. 2088, a bill to amend the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 to reauthorize the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program, and for other purposes** (*Stanton of AZ and Veasey of TX*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2088), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
The following amendment was offered:
An amendment offered by Mr. Buschon, # 1, was defeated by a voice vote.
- (16) **H.R. 2041, the “Weatherization Enhancement and Local Energy Efficiency Investment and Accountability Act”** (*Schrader and Carter of GA*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following actions were taken:
Amendment offered by Mr. Tonko, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote; and
Amendment offered by Mr. Rush, # 2, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (17) **H.R. 2119, a bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to reauthorize grants for improving the energy efficiency of public buildings, and for other purposes** (*Kelly of IL*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Energy on May 16, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment offered by Ms. Kelly of Illinois, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (18) **H.R. 2781, the “EMPOWER for Health Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Schakowsky and Burgess*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2781), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment offered by Rep. Schakowsky, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (19) **H.R. 728, the “Title VIII Nursing Workforce Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. Joyce of Ohio*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 728), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in full Committee.
- (20) **H.R. 1058, the “Autism CARES Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Smith of New Jersey and Doyle of Pennsylvania*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 1058), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Doyle of PA, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote; and
Amendment offered by Mrs. Rodgers of WA, # 1a, to the Doyle AINS was agreed to by a voice vote.

(21) **H.R. 2507, the “Newborn Screening Saves Lives Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. Roybal-Allard*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2507), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**

No amendments were offered in full Committee.

(22) **H.R. 776, the “Emergency Medical Services for Children Program Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. King of New York*), as approved by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019, **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as introduced, by a voice vote.**

No amendments were offered in full Committee.

(23) **H.R. 2035, the “Lifespan Respite Care Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Langevin and Rodgers of Washington*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2035), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, as amended, by a voice vote.**

No amendments were offered in full Committee.

(24) **H.R. 2296, the “More Efficient Tools to Realize Information for Consumers Act” or the “METRIC Act”** (*Reps. Schakowsky and Rooney of Florida*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2296), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following action was taken:

Amendment offered by Ms. Schakowsky, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.

(25) **H.R. 2328, the “Community Health Investment, Modernization, and Excellence Act of 2019”** (*Reps. O’Halloran and Stefanik*), as amended by the Subcommittee on Health on July 14, 2019 (Committee Print of H.R. 2328), **was ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following actions were taken:

Amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Pallone, # 1, (which also includes the **text of H.R. 3631 and H.R. 3630**), was agreed to, **amended**, by a voice vote. The following amendments were offered to the AINS:

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Walden, # 1a, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Pallone, # 1b, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Gianforte, # 1c, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Ms. Matsui, # 1d, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Ms. Kuster, # 1e, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Ms. Blunt Rochester, #1f, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Luján, # 1g, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Ruiz, # 1h, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Schrader, # 1i, was agreed to by a voice vote;

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Ms. Schakowsky, # 1h, was withdrawn; and

Amendment to the Pallone AINS offered by Mr. Ruiz, # 1i, was agreed to by a voice vote.

**H.R. 3631 and H.R. 3630 were included as titles in the Pallone AINS to H.R. 2328

SUBCOMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS AND TECHNOLOGY

Mike Doyle, Subcommittee Chairman

Hearings

The Subcommittee on Communications and Technology held a hearing on Tuesday, July 16, 2019, entitled, "Our Wireless Future: Building a Comprehensive Approach to Spectrum Policy."

Markups

No subcommittee markups were held in July of 2019.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON CONSUMER PROTECTION AND COMMERCE

Jan Schakowsky, Subcommittee Chairwoman

Hearings

The Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce held a legislative hearing on Wednesday, July 24, 2019, entitled, "Legislation to Make Cars in America Safer." The legislation that are the focus of this hearing were:

- H.R. 3888, the "Impaired Driving Study Act";
- H.R. 3593, the "Hot Cars Act of 2019";
- H.R. 3145, the "PARK IT Act of 2019"; and
- H.R. 3890, the "Combatting Impaired Driving Act".

Markups

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2019

The Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce met in open markup session to consider six bills. The following actions were taken:

- (1) **H.R. 2211, the "Stop Tip-over of Unstable, Risky Dressers on Youth Act" or the "STURDY Act" (Reps. Schakowsky, McNerney, Soto, and Rush) was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following amendment was offered:

An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Ms. Schakowsky, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.

- (2) **H.R. 3172, the "Safe Sleep for Babies Act of 2019" (Rep. Cárdenas), was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following amendment was offered:

An amendment offered by Mr. Pallone, on behalf of Mr. Cárdenas, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.

- (3) **H.R. 3170**, the “**Safe Crib Act of 2019**” (*Reps. Schakowsky, Kelly of Illinois, and Rush*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following amendment was offered:
An amendment offered by Mrs. Rodgers of Washington, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (4) **H.R. 1618**, the “**Nicolas and Zachary Burt Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act of 2019**” (*Reps. Kuster of New Hampshire and Carter of Georgia*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following amendment was offered:
An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Ms. Schakowsky, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (5) **H.R. 806**, the “**Portable Fuel Container Safety Act of 2019**” (*Reps. Thompson of California and others*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following amendment was offered:
An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Latta, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (6) **H.R. 2647**, the “**Safer Occupancy Furniture Flammability Act**” or “**SOFFAA**” (*Reps. Matsui, Griffith, Rush, and Cárdenas*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, without amendment, by a voice vote.**
No amendment was offered to the bill in subcommittee.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENERGY
Bobby L. Rush, Chairman

Hearings

- (1) The Subcommittee on Energy held a hearing on Friday, July 12, 2019, entitled, “Keeping the Lights On: Addressing Cyber Threats to the Grid.”

Markups

There were no subcommittee markups for the month of July.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE
Paul Tonko, Chairman

Hearings

- (1) The Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change held a legislative hearing on Thursday, June 13, 2019, entitled, “Cleaning Up Communities: Ensuring Safe Storage and Disposal of Spent Nuclear Fuel.” The bills that were the focus of this hearing are as follows:
 - **H.R. 2699**, the “Nuclear Waste Policy Amendments Act of 2019”;
 - **H.R. 2995**, the “Spent Prioritization Act of 2019”, and
 - **H.R. 3136**, the “STORE Nuclear Fuel Act of 2019”
- (2) The Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce and the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change held a joint hearing on Thursday, June 20, 2019, entitled, “Driving in Reverse: The Administration’s Rollback of Fuel Economy and Clean Car Standards.”

Markups

No subcommittee markups were held in July of 2019.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH
Anna G. Eshoo, Chairwoman

Hearings

No subcommittee hearings were held in July of 2019.

Markups

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2019

The Subcommittee on Health met in open markup session to consider 10 bills. The following actions were taken:

- (1) **H.R. 2781, the “EMPOWER for Health Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Schakowsky and Burgess*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following actions were taken:
Amendment offered by Mr. Burgess, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote;
Amendment offered by Mr. Rush, # 2, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (2) **H.R. 728, the “Title VIII Nursing Workforce Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. Joyce of Ohio*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment offered by Ms. Matsui, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (3) **H.R. 1058, the “Autism CARES Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Smith of New Jersey and Doyle of Pennsylvania*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following actions were taken:
Amendment offered by Ms. Eshoo, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (4) **H.R. 2507, the “Newborn Screening Saves Lives Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. Roybal-Allard*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following actions were taken:
Amendment offered by Ms. Kelly of Illinois, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote
- (5) **H.R. 776, the “Emergency Medical Services for Children Program Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Rep. King of New York*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, without amendment, by a voice vote.**
No amendments were offered in subcommittee.
- (6) **H.R. 2035, the “Lifespan Respite Care Reauthorization Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Langevin and Rodgers of Washington*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**
The following action was taken:
Amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Ms. Eshoo, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.
- (7) **H.R. 2296, the “Fair Accountability and Innovative Research Drug Pricing Act of 2019” or the “FAIR Drug Pricing Act of 2019”** (*Reps. Schakowsky and Rooney of Florida*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote;**
The following action was taken:
An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Carter of Georgia, # 1, was agreed to by a voice vote.

(8) **H.R. 2328, the “Community Health Investment, Modernization, and Excellence Act of 2019”** (*Reps. O’Halloran and Stefanik*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, amended, by a voice vote.**

The following actions were taken:

An amendment in the nature of a substitute offered by Mr. Butterfield, # 1, amended, was agreed to by a voice vote.

Amendment to the Butterfield AINS offered by Mr. Kennedy, # 1a, was agreed to by a voice vote.

(9) **H.R. 3631, the “Territories Health Care Improvement Act”** (*Rep. Soto*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, without amendment, by a voice vote.** (*For further action, see H.R. 2328*)

(10) **H.R. 3630, the “No Surprises Act”** (*Reps. Pallone and Walden*), **was forwarded favorably to the full Committee, without amendment, by a voice vote.** (*For further action, see H.R. 2328*)

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT AND INVESTIGATIONS

Diana DeGette, Chair

Hearings

The Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Tuesday, July 16, 2019, entitled, “Oversight of Federal Efforts to Combat the Spread of Illicit Fentanyl.”

2019
MONTH OF JULY

LETTERS

Chairman Frank Pallone, Jr. with Subcommittee Chairs and other House and Senate Leaders

July 3, 2019- Chairman Pallone and five other House Committee and Sub Committee Chairs (Rep. Bennie G. Thompson, Chairman, Committee on Homeland Security; Rep. Jerrold Nadler, Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary; Rep. Nita M. Lowey, Chairwoman, Committee on Appropriations; Rep. Lucille Roybal-Allard, Chairwoman, Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Appropriations; Rep. Rosa DeLauro, Chairwoman, Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies) sent letters to Health and Human Services Secretary (HHS) Alex M. Azar and U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Acting Secretary Kevin McAleena. The document is regarding the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the two Departments that requires information collected for the benefit of children in the custody of HHS be shared with DHS.

July 9, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Consumer Protection and Commerce Subcommittee Chair Schakowsky sent a letter to Amazon Founder and CEO Jeff Bezos regarding Amazon's online marketplace. In the letter, the Committee leaders express their concerns regarding fraudulent and deceptive product ratings and reviews and whether Amazon financially benefits from these practices. The letter asks Amazon to respond to six questions that will help the Committee better understand what measure the company is taking to address this issue.

July 11, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Oversight and Investigations Chair Diana DeGette sent a letter to Health and Human Services Secretary (HHS) Alex M. Azar requesting additional information regarding a report that unaccompanied children who had been in a U.S. Customer Border Protection (CBP) in Yuma, Arizona recounted unsanitary and crowded conditions. The allegations were detailed in Significant Incident Reports (SIRs) prepared by providers that are funded by HHS. The letter asked for information to four questions regarding abuses of unaccompanied children that occurred in DHS custody prior to children being to the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) as well as actions HHS took to respond to those allegations.

July 15, 2019- Chairman Pallone and 3 other Committee and Subcommittee Chairs (Rep. Bobby L. Rush, Chairman, Committee on Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Energy; Rep. Nita M. Lowey, Chairwoman, Committee on Appropriations; Rep. Marcy Kaptur, Chairwoman, Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, and Related Agencies) sent a letter to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Chairman Kristine L. Svinicki regarding its potential changes the NRC is contemplating regarding Reactor Oversight Process (ROP). In the letter, the specify three alterations the Commission staff is reviewing that are concerning. The representatives request that NRC hold a public comment period prior to Commissioners voting on any changes.

July 22, 2019- Chairman Pallone sent a letter to Health and Human Services Secretary (HHS) Alex M. Azar regarding Public Law No. 16-22, the Pandemic and All-Hazards Preparedness and Advancing Innovation Act of 2019. The legislation required HHS to submit to Congress within 14 days of enactment a formal strategy and report regarding the oversight of and care for, unaccompanied alien children (UACs) within the care of HHS. The letter requests an updated status of this mandate and when HHS intends to deliver the formal strategy and report the Committee.

July 23, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Ranking Member Walden, along with the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change Chairman Paul D. Tonko and Ranking Member John Shimkus, and Representative Tom O'Halleran, sent a letter to Acting Administrator Andrew Wheeler of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regarding the EPA plan to address human health and environmental risks associated with abandoned uranium mines on the Navajo Nation. The letter referred to the most recent plan that was developed in 2008, and that the EPA and involved agencies renewed their commitment in 2014 to addressing this issue. The Committee asked the EPA to provide information about the EPA's efforts to clean up and remediate these abandoned uranium mine sites.

July 23, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Ranking Member Walden, along with the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations Chair Diana DeGette and Ranking Member Brett Guthrie, sent a letter to the Comptroller General of the United States of the Government Accountability Office (GAO) regarding concerns over HHS information security system management. The Committee referred to previous requests made by the Committee to GAO on examining information security systems at HHS's operating divisions which exposed information security deficiencies. The letter requests that GAO conduct a review that examines HHS's structural approach to cybersecurity and addresses questions on specific aspects of HHS cybersecurity entities and structural designs.

July 25, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Ranking Member Walden, along with the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations Chair Diana DeGette and Ranking Member Brett Guthrie, sent a letter to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Acting Commissioner Norman E. Sharpless regarding concerns stemming from the slower than expected progress of manufacturers and providers of marketed treatments containing stem cell products to come into compliance with premarket approval requirements. The Committee expressed concerns over this recent pattern of unsafe therapies due to the harmful adverse impacts on patients. The letter requested the FDA reply to six questions related to FDA's strategy for monitoring this new market and plans to implement a long-term compliance enforcement strategy.

July 30, 2019- Chairman Pallone sent a letter to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Director Dr. Robert R. Redfield regarding a recent report that CDC is reorganizing its environmental health division in ways that could diminish the effectiveness of critical programs. The letter specifically referred to the structural changes made to the Climate and Health Program that could undermine its mission to counter the public health effects of climate change. The Committee requested that CDC staff provide a briefing on this program and the recent change since Congress is committed to funding health efforts that provide tools to deal with challenges associated with climate change.

July 30, 2019- Chairman Pallone and Ranking Member Walden along with the Subcommittee on Health Chairwoman Anna G. Eshoo and Ranking Member Michael C. Burgess and the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations Chair Diana DeGette and Ranking Member Brett Guthrie sent a letter to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regarding the potential threat to the U.S. heparin supply due to the outbreak of African swine fever in China. In the letter, the Committee leaders requested that FDA staff provide a briefing on how the agency is monitoring the threats to the U.S. heparin supply and plans to address a potential shortage of this critical drug component.

U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Energy and Commerce

Monthly Statement by CHA Requirements
116-1 July

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	July	July	
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$747,998.20	\$4,658,562.82	\$4,658,562.82
Accrued Leave	\$1,319.44	\$4,097.22	\$4,097.22
11-Personnel Compensation subtotal	\$749,317.64	\$4,662,660.04	\$4,662,660.04
Commercial Transportation	\$392.00	\$392.00	\$392.00
Lodging	\$244.46	\$244.46	\$244.46
Meals	\$86.46	\$106.51	\$106.51
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$22.06	\$137.63	\$137.63
21-Travel subtotal	\$744.98	\$880.60	\$880.60
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$412.00	\$2,824.00	\$2,824.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$1,308.75	\$7,744.00	\$7,744.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$6,089.67	\$25,273.59	\$25,273.59
HIR Graphics (TRANSFER)	\$238.00	\$478.00	\$478.00
23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal	\$8,048.42	\$36,319.59	\$36,319.59
Printing & Reproduction	\$264.45	\$2,680.24	\$2,680.24
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$36.00	\$82.80	\$82.80
24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$300.45	\$2,763.04	\$2,763.04
Equipment Installation	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Training	\$0.00	\$15.00	\$15.00
Technology Service Contracts	\$380.00	\$4,407.72	\$4,407.72
Web Development, Hosting	\$0.00	\$6,405.00	\$6,405.00
25-Other Services subtotal	\$380.00	\$10,852.72	\$10,852.72
Bottled Water	\$888.33	\$5,455.69	\$5,455.69
Food and Beverage	\$706.52	\$5,160.06	\$5,160.06
Framing (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$232.00	\$232.00
Habitation Expense	\$0.00	\$689.22	\$689.22
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$1,022.72	\$3,084.58	\$3,084.58
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$118.13	\$2,712.94	\$2,712.94
Software under \$500	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$70.00
Publications/Reference Material	\$3,381.50	\$19,757.78	\$19,757.78
26-Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$6,187.20	\$37,162.27	\$37,162.27
Office Equipment Purchases less than \$25,000	\$0.00	\$28,584.93	\$28,584.93
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$2,723.80	\$16,993.60	\$16,993.60
31-Equipment subtotal	\$2,723.80	\$45,578.53	\$45,578.53

Total Expenses

\$767,702.49

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Fund Balance Statement by CHA Requirements
July

Total Authorization

116-1 \$10,573,692.00

Less Expenses for:

January	2019	\$457,832.68
February		\$678,724.17
March		\$688,152.84
April		\$719,761.60
May		\$721,390.97
June		\$762,652.04
July		\$767,702.49

Total Expenses to Date: **\$4,796,216.79**

Unexpended authorization **\$5,777,475.21**

July 2019 Travel

Traveler	Begin Date	End Date	Purpose	Transportation	Per Diem (lodging, meals)
Jennifer Barblan	7/12/2019	7/14/2019	Site visit to HHS and CBP facilities regarding issues related to Committee's oversight	1068.92	387.72
Justin Discigil	7/12/2019	7/14/2019	Site visit to HHS and CBP facilities regarding issues related to Committee's oversight	808.86	330.92
Rep. Greg Walden	7/12/2019	7/13/2019	Site visit to HHS and CBP facilities regarding issues related to Committee's oversight	576.80	

USPS FRANKED MAIL MONTHLY STATEMENT

Agency: 18000

July 2019

HONORABLE JOHN D DINGELL
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE
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WASHINGTON DC 20515-6115

SUMMARY OF MONTHLY ACTIVITY

Beginning Usage:		313.93
Postmaster:	59.09	
District Office Reports:	0.00	
Certification Adjustments:	0.00	
Late District Office Reports:	0.00	
Total Permit Costs:	0.00	
Total Meter Costs:	0.00	
Total Charges:		59.09
Ending Usage Total:		373.02

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Accounting Organization: 10CM000

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
CARROLL, JEFF STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GUARASCIO, TIFFANY DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SOUVALL, ANDREW W DIR OF COMM/MEM SVS & OUTREACH	170,696.00	14,224.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
ASLAMI, MOHAMMAD MAROOF OVERSIGHT COUNSEL	85,000.00	7,083.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BANEZ, JOSEPH HONESTO APILADO PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	60,000.00	5,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BARSTOW, KEVIN STEVEN CHIEF OVERSIGHT COUNSEL - LABO	140,000.00	11,666.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BENJAMIN, WILLIAM C SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR	87,500.00	7,291.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BOLEN, JACQUELYN L COUNSEL	80,000.00	6,666.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BOYER, JESSECA LANE PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	100,000.00	8,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BROWN, ALISON JOAN COUNSEL	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
CHASICK, JESSE ALEXANDER COUNSEL	95,000.00	5,013.89	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	TERMINATED 07/19/19
COHEN, JACQUELINE CHIEF ENVIROMENT COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
DAVIS, SHARON EILEEN CHIEF CLERK	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
DHINDSA, MANMEET KAUR COUNSEL	100,000.00	8,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
ERTEL, ELIZABETH BRUCKNER OFFICE MANAGER	78,000.00	6,500.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
FISCHER, ADAM SCOTT POLICY ANALYST	45,000.00	3,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
FRUCI, JEAN ENERGY & ENVIRO POLICY ADV	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

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Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
GILBERT, EVAN S DEPUTY PRESS SECRETARY	60,000.00	5,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GOLDMAN, ELISA R SENIOR COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GORDON, WAVERLY L DEPUTY CHIEF COUNSEL	130,000.00	10,833.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GREENE, DANIEL MARTIN PROFESSIONAL STAFF MBR	75,000.00	6,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GUTIERREZ, AMY VICTORIA PROFESSIONAL STAFF MBR	75,000.00	6,875.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GUZMAN-TORO, OMAR ALEXANDER POLICY ANALYST	45,000.00	3,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
HABERMAN, ALICIA CAITLIN PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	110,000.00	9,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
HARVEY, JUDITH BAKER COUNSEL	100,000.00	8,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
HOEHN-SARIC, ALEXANDER DENNIS CHIEF COUNSEL, COMM & CONSUMER	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
HOLLAND, STEPHEN M HEALTH COUNSEL	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KAHAN, ZACHARY L OUTREACH & MBR SVS COORDINATOR	65,000.00	5,416.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KESSLER, ERIC S SR AD & STAF DIR FOR ENG & ENV	165,000.00	13,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KHATERZAI, SAHA PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	80,000.00	6,666.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KNAUER, CHRISTOPHER OVERSIGHT STAFF DIRECTOR	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KRANTZ, JOSHUA DAVID POLICY ANALYST	45,000.00	3,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
LARKIN, BRENDAN POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
LEE, UNA CHIEF HEALTH COUNSEL	135,000.00	11,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
LEHAN, CHRISTINA NICOLE INTERN	17,307.69	1,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	TERMINATED 07/26/19

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
LEVERICH III, GERALD BRUCE SENIOR COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
LEWIS, JOURDAN MARIE POLICY ANALYST	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MAGHAMFAR, DUSTIN JAVAD AIR AND CLIMATE COUNSEL	110,000.00	9,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MARSHALL, JOHN PHILLIP POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MCALOON, KEVIN GERARD OVERSIGHT INVESTIGATOR	115,000.00	9,583.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MCDONOUGH, AISLING E POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MILLER, DANIEL ARTHUR SENIOR POLICY ANALYST	55,000.00	4,583.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MONGER, JON OVERSIGHT COUNSEL	115,000.00	9,583.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MONTFORT, ELYSA ANNE PRESS SECRETARY	75,000.00	6,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MULLON, MEGHAN KAYE STAFF ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MURPHY, PHILIP H POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
ORLANDO, JOSEPH STEPHEN EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	43,000.00	3,583.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
PEEL, KAITLYN D DIGITAL DIRECTOR	53,000.00	4,416.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
ROBERTS, ALIVIA PADEN PRESS ASSISTANT	45,000.00	3,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
ROBINSON, TIMOTHY RAY CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
RODRIGUEZ, CHLOE VICTORIA POLICY ANALYST	45,000.00	3,750.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
ROY, MANIK R POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SADA III, ROBERTO POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
SALAS, JULIA K STAFF ASSISTANT	38,000.00	3,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SATCHELL, SAMANTHA N PROFESSIONAL STAFF MBR	65,000.00	5,416.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
TABOR, BENJAMIN SEWELL STAFF ASSISTANT	38,000.00	3,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
TERRY, SYDNEY LEE POLICY COORDINATOR	50,000.00	4,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
TOMILCHIK, REBECCA JULIA STAFF ASSISTANT	38,000.00	3,513.89	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
TRZECIAK, KIMBERLEE R CHIEF HEALTH ADVISOR	135,000.00	11,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
VAN BUREN, RICHARD ANDREW HEALTH COUNSEL	115,000.00	9,583.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
WALKER, EDWARD L TECHNOLOGY DIRECTOR	80,000.00	6,666.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
WRIGHT, JOSEPH TULEY ENERGY & ENVIRO POLICY ADV	110,000.00	9,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
YOUNG, CLIFFORD J PRESS SECRETARY	110,000.00	9,166.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - ACCRUED LEAVE

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
CHASICK, JESSE ALEXANDER COUNSEL	95,000.00	1,319.44		

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 Department: CM090 COMMITTEE ON ENERGY & COMM-MIN

Accounting Organization: 10CM000

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - 3(D) PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
BLOOMQUIST, MICHAEL D STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
FROELICH, MELISSA R CHIEF COUNSEL, DCCP	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
LONG, RYAN CHRISTOPHER DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	170,696.00	14,224.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
AHERN, NOLAN W POLICY COORDINATOR	1,200.00	100.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BARBLAN, JENNIFER F CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BOUNDS, LORISSA M POLICY COORDINATOR	1,200.00	100.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BOWEN, SARA KATHERINE PRESS ASSISTANT & DIGITAL COOR	40,000.00	3,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
BUCKALEW, ADAM LEWIS DIR OF COALITIONS & DEPUTY CHI	130,000.00	10,833.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
COLWELL, ROBIN C CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
COURI II, GERALD S DEPUTY CHIEF COUNSEL FOR ENVIR	130,000.00	10,833.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
DAVIS, JORDAN NEAL SENIOR ADVISOR	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
DISCIGIL, JUSTIN N PRESS SECRETARY	60,000.00	5,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
FOGARTY, MARGARET T LEGISLATIVE CLERK/PRESS ASST.	40,000.00	3,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GAMBO, THERESA N FINANCIAL & OFFICE ADMINISTRAT	87,500.00	7,291.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
GRAFF, CALEB MICHAEL PROFESSIONAL STAFF	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
HAVENS, BRITTANY PROFESSIONAL STAFF MEMBER	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KIELTY, PETER E GENERAL COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

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SPECIAL & SELECT COMMITTEE - PERSONNEL

Employee and Job Title	Annual Salary	Gross Pay	Period	Remarks
KOOHMARAIE, BIJAN COUNSEL	100,000.00	8,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
KURTH, TIMOTHY J DEPUTY CHIEF COUNSEL, TELECOM	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MARTIN, MARY K CHIEF COUNSEL, ENERGY & ENVIOR	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
MOONEY, BRANDON P DEPUTY CHIEF COUNSEL, ENERGY	130,000.00	10,833.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
PALUSKIEWICZ, JAMES CHIEF COUNSEL	160,000.00	13,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
RAINS, BRANNON TAYLOR LEGISLATIVE CLERK	40,000.00	3,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
RATNER, MARK DALE POLICY COORDINATOR	1,200.00	100.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
RODAY, ZACK MUSKIN COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	140,000.00	11,666.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SEUM, KRISTIN T COUNSEL	95,000.00	7,916.67	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SHATYNSKI, KRISTEN E PROFESSIONAL STAFF MBR	100,000.00	8,333.33	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SLOBODIN, ALAN MICHAEL CHIEF INVESTIGATIVE COUNSEL	154,878.00	12,906.50	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SOHN, NATALIE TURNER COUNSEL	120,000.00	10,000.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
SPENCER, PETER SENIOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF	133,775.00	11,147.92	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	
WINNICK, EVERETT G DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION TECHNO	75,000.00	6,250.00	07/01/2019 to 07/31/2019	

Committee on Energy and Commerce Detailees

July 2019

Majority

Jennifer Epperson	FCC	01/03/19 to 12/31/19
Megan Howard	FDA	01/30/19 to 12/20/19
Wayne Laufert	GPO	01/03/19 to 12/31/19
Patricia Mangrum	GPO	07/08/19 to 12/31/19
Elisabeth Olson	FERC	07/05/19 to 08/23/19
Benjamin Rossen	FTC	03/11/19 to 09/06/19
Emily Ryan	GAO	07/11/19 to 07/11/20

Minority

Michael Engel	FCC	05/29/19 to 05/28/20
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