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The House met at 11 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. HARRIS).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,

June 24, 2013.

I hereby appoint the Honorable ANDY HARRIS to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Patrick J. Conroy, offered the following prayer: Loving God, we give You thanks for giving us another day.

As the energy and tensions of these legislative days play out, may there be peace among the Members of the people's House. Grant that all might be confident in the mission they have been given and buoyed by the spirit of our ancestors who built our Republic through many trials and contentious debates. May all strive with noble sincerity for the betterment of our Nation.

Many centuries ago, You blessed Abraham for his welcome to strangers

by the oak of Mamre. Bless this Chamber in the days to come with the same spirit of hospitality so that all Americans might know that in the people's House all voices are respected, even those with whom there is disagreement.

May all that is done be for Your greater honor and glory. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, the following

enrolled bill was signed by Speaker pro tempore WOLF on Thursday, June 20, 2013:

H.R. 475, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to include vaccines against seasonal influenza within the definition of taxable vaccines.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Karen L. Haas, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by Speaker pro tempore WOLF on June 20, 2013.

H.R. 475. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to include vaccines against seasonal influenza within the definition of taxable vaccines.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the House stands adjourned until noon tomorrow for morning-hour debate.

There was no objection.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, June 25, 2013, at noon.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the second quarter of 2013 pursuant to Public Law 95-384 are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, EMILY M. PEREZ, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 9 AND MAY 14, 2013

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Emily M. Perez	5/10	5/12	Afghanistan		28.00		^{3 4} 11,905.10				11,933.10
	5/12	5/13	United Arab Emirates		185.96				236.87		422.83

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, EMILY M. PEREZ, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 9 AND MAY 14, 2013—Continued

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Committee total					231.96		11,905.10		236.87		12,355.93

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.³ Military air transportation.⁴ Transportation inclusive for two.

MS. EMILY M. PEREZ, June 12, 2013.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, JONNI KABERLE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 24 AND MAY 27, 2013

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Jonni Kaberle	5/24	5/27	Jordan		1,141.71		6,462.90		312.50		7,917.11
Committee total					1,141.71		6,462.90		312.50		7,917.11

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

JONNI KABERLE, June 19, 2013.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO LUXEMBOURG, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 18 AND MAY 20, 2013

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Hon. Mike Turner	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		4,575.00				5,413.00
Hon. Ted Poe	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		2,728.00				3,666.00
Hon. David Scott	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		4,575.00				5,413.00
Hon. Tom Marino	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		4,575.00				5,413.00
Jeff Dressler	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		2,728.00				3,666.00
Janice Robinson	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		1,544.00				2,382.00
David Fite	5/18	5/20	Luxembourg		838.00		1,544.00				2,382.00
Committee total					5,866.00		22,269.00				28,135.00

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HON. MICHAEL B. TURNER, June 7, 2013.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

1947. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting authorization of Brigadier General Marshall B. Webb and Colonel Ronald D. Buckley, United States Air Force, to wear the authorized insignia of the major general and brigadier general, respectively; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1948. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral Joseph D. Kernan, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1949. A letter from the Director, Washington Headquarters Services, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's twenty-third annual report for the Pentagon Renovation and Construction Program Office (PENREN); to the Committee on Armed Services.

1950. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the ninety-ninth Annual Report for Calendar Year 2012; to the Committee on Financial Services.

1951. A letter from the Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank, transmitting a report on transactions involving U.S. exports to Air Astana JSC of Almaty, Kazakhstan pursuant to Section 2(b)(3) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended; to the Committee on Financial Services.

1952. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a notification stating that the national emergency, declared in Executive Order 13466 of June 26, 2008, is to continue in effect beyond June 26, 2013, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d); (H. Doc. No. 113—40); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

1953. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Department of State, transmitting a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction that was declared in Executive Order 12938 of November 14, 1994, and continued by the President each year, most recently on November 1, 2012; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1954. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a notification of a deployment after the conclusion of a training exercise for a combat-equipped detachment; (H. Doc. No. 113—39); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

1955. A letter from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's annual report for Fiscal Year 2012 prepared in accordance with Section 203(a) of the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act), Public Law 107-174; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1956. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 2012, through March 31, 2013; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

1957. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a forward to the Federal Voting Assistance Program's 2010 Electronic Voting Support Wizard Pilot Program Report to Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

1958. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting Fiscal Year 2011 Report to Congress on Funding Needs for Contract Support Costs of Self-Determination Awards, corrected; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 910. A bill to reauthorize the Sikes Act (Rept. 113—119 Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1299. A bill to provide for the transfer of certain public land currently administered by the Bureau of Land Management to the administrative jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Army for inclusion in White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 113—120 Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 1672. A bill to