

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 1 AND DEC. 31, 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
	12/18	12/19	Israel		843.28						843.28
	12/19	12/20	Austria		417.00						417.00
	12/20	12/21	Norway		655.25						655.25
Total	12/13	12/21	ALL				12,825.27				12,825.27
Hon. Louie Gohmert	12/14	12/16	Egypt		531.62						531.62
	12/16	12/17	Lebanon		210.00						210.00
	12/17	12/17	Libya								
	12/18	12/19	Israel		843.28						843.28
	12/19	12/20	Austria		417.00						417.00
Total	12/13	12/20	ALL				19,608.17				19,608.17
Samuel Ramer	12/14	12/16	Egypt		184.00						184.00
	12/16	12/17	Lebanon		75.00						75.00
	12/17	12/17	Libya								
	12/18	12/19	Israel		128.00						128.00
	12/19	12/20	Austria		417.00						417.00
	12/20	12/21	Norway		181.00						181.00
Total			ALL				7,898.80				7,898.80
Committee total					5,644.05		40,332.24				45,976.29

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.
* Per diem reimbursement.

HON. BOB GOODLATTE, Chairman, Jan. 30, 2014.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

4797. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Importation of Live Birds and Poultry, Poultry Meat, and Poultry Products From a Region in the European Union; Technical Amendment [Docket No. APHIS-2009-0094] (RIN: 0579-AD45) received February 10, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4798. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of General William M. Fraser III, United States Air Force, and his advancement on the retired list in the grade of general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4799. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of General Robert W. Cone, United States Army, and his advancement on the retired list in the grade of general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4800. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter authorizing Colonel Terry V. Williams, United States Marine Corps, to wear the insignia of the grade of brigadier general; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4801. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's Alternative Fuel Vehicle program report for FY 2013; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4802. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to Section 804 of the PLO Commitments Compliance Act of 1989 (title VIII, Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY 1990 and 1991 (Pub. L. 101-246)), and Sections 603-604 (Middle East Peace Commitments Act of 2002) and 699 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY 2003 (Pub. L. 107-228), the functions of which have been delegated to the Department of State; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4803. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Transmittal No. DDTC 13-179,

pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4804. A letter from the Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, transmitting the Commission's Performance and Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 2013; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4805. A letter from the Chief Operating Officer and Acting Executive Director, Election Assistance Commission, transmitting Fiscal Year 2013 Activities Report; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4806. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting eight legislative recommendations from the Commission; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4807. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Establishment and Modification of Area Navigation (RNAV) Routes; Atlanta, GA [Docket No.: FAA-2013-0860; Airspace Docket No. 12-ASO-36] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4808. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30937; Admt. No. 3572] received February 6, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4809. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30936; Admt. No. 3571] received February 6, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4810. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No.: 30940; Admt. No. 511] received February 6, 2014, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4811. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "27th Annual Report of Accomplishments Under the Airport Improvement Program for Fiscal Year (FY) 2010"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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. ISSA: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Supplemental report on H.R. 2804. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to require the Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs to publish information about rules on the Internet, and for other purposes (Rept. 113-354 Pt. 2).

Mr. GOODLATTE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1123. A bill to promote consumer choice and wireless competition by permitting consumers to unlock mobile wireless devices, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. 113-356). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. GOODLATTE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1944. A bill to protect private property rights (Rept. 113-357). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ISSA: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 3308. A bill to require a Federal agency to include language in certain educational and advertising materials indicating that such materials are produced and disseminated at taxpayer expense, with an amendment (Rept. 113-358). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ISSA: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 1232. A bill to amend titles 40, 41, and 44, United States Code, to eliminate duplication and waste in information technology acquisition and management (Rept. 113-359). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. CAMP: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 3979. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to ensure that emergency services volunteers are not taken into account as employees under the shared responsibility requirements contained in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, with an amendment (Rept. 113-360). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. WOODALL: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 487. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3865) to prohibit the Internal Revenue Service from modifying the standard for determining whether an organization is operated exclusively for the promotion of social welfare for purposes of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2804) to amend title 5, United States Code, to require the Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs to publish information about rules on the Internet, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (Rept. 113-361). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. BARBER:

H.R. 4075. A bill to provide funding to the National Institute of Mental Health to support suicide prevention and brain research, including funding for the Brain Research Through Advancing Innovative Neurotechnologies (BRAIN) Initiative; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. PETRI, Mr. WALZ, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. KIND, Mr. LATTA, Mrs. WALORSKI, Mr. DENT, and Mr. DUFFY):

H.R. 4076. A bill to address shortages and interruptions in the availability of propane and other home heating fuels in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself and Mr. BENISHEK):

H.R. 4077. A bill to ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by clarifying the application of the antitrust laws to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health care insurance issuers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 4078. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require that ITIN applicants submit their application in person at taxpayer assistance centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COLLINS of GEORGIA (for himself and Mrs. BLACKBURN):

H.R. 4079. A bill to amend title 17, United States Code, to ensure fairness in the establishment of certain rates and fees under sections 114 and 115 of such title, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BURGESS (for himself and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 4080. A bill to amend title XII of the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize certain trauma care programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. COLLINS of New York (for himself, Mr. REED, and Mr. GIBSON):

H.R. 4081. A bill to prohibit funds made available to the Department of Education or the Department of Justice from being used to provide postsecondary courses in prisons; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee:

H.R. 4082. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the work opportunity tax credit and to provide such credit for hiring long-term unemployed individuals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GIBSON:

H.R. 4083. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the rate of tax regarding the taxation of distilled spirits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MORAN, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. CONNOLLY):

H.R. 4084. A bill to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973 to establish a Community Gardens Pilot Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HIMES (for himself, Ms. DELAURO, and Ms. ESTY):

H.R. 4085. A bill to amend title 4 of the United States Code to limit the extent to which States may tax the compensation earned by nonresident telecommuters and other multi-State workers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 4086. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve 21st Century Community Learning Centers; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 4087. A bill to amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to provide grants to States for summer employment programs for youth; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 4088. A bill to provide funding for Violent Crime Reduction Partnerships in the most violent communities in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ROHRBACHER (for himself, Mr. MCKINLEY, and Mr. JONES):

H.R. 4089. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income compensation received by employees consisting of qualified distributions of employer stock; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia (for himself, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. LUCAS, and Mr. PETERSON):

H. Con. Res. 86. Concurrent resolution celebrating the 100th anniversary of the enactment of the Smith-Lever Act, which established the nationwide Cooperative Extension System; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BENISHEK:

H. Con. Res. 87. Concurrent resolution recognizing the occasion of the 200th Anniversary of the Star Spangled Banner and its importance to the people of the United States; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. MORAN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. DELANEY, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. WOLF, Mr. CONNOLLY, and Ms. NORTON):

H. Con. Res. 88. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. SALMON, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. SIRES, Mr. GARCIA, Mr. DESANTIS, Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. DEUTCH, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. YOHO, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, and Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois):

H. Res. 488. A resolution supporting the people of Venezuela as they protest peacefully for democratic change and calling to end the violence; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. MEADOWS):

H. Res. 489. A resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the need to facilitate and promote a robust response to the looming global crisis of Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SCHNEIDER:

H. Res. 490. A resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3546) to provide for the extension of certain unemployment benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. BARBER:

H.R. 4075.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. SHUSTER:

H.R. 4076.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 1 (related to general Welfare of the United States), and Clause 3 (related to regulation of Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with Indian tribes).

By Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 4077.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas:

H.R. 4078.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mr. COLLINS of Georgia:

H.R. 4079.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 8 of Section 8 of Article I of the U.S. Constitution.