

## House Calendar No. 14

116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 245

[Report No. 116–20]

Providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of  
Representatives in the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress.

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 21, 2019

Ms. LOFGREN submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the  
Committee on House Administration

MARCH 26, 2019

Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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## RESOLUTION

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House of Representatives in the One Hundred Sixteenth  
Congress.

1       *Resolved,*

2       **SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUN-**  
3               **DRED SIXTEENTH CONGRESS.**

4       (a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred  
5       Sixteenth Congress, there shall be paid out of the applica-  
6       ble accounts of the House of Representatives, in accord-

1   ance with this primary expense resolution, not more than  
2   the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses  
3   (including the expenses of all staff salaries) of each com-  
4   mittee named in such subsection.

5       (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees  
6   and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee  
7   on Agriculture, \$11,513,328; Committee on Armed Serv-  
8   ices, \$16,350,222; Committee on the Budget,  
9   \$10,380,424; Select Committee on the Climate Crisis,  
10   \$3,781,500; Committee on Education and Labor,  
11   \$14,578,714; Committee on Energy and Commerce,  
12   \$21,147,384; Committee on Ethics, \$7,015,392; Com-  
13   mittee on Financial Services, \$17,077,862; Committee on  
14   Foreign Affairs, \$16,240,724; Committee on Homeland  
15   Security, \$15,308,002; Committee on House Administra-  
16   tion, \$10,644,422; Permanent Select Committee on Intel-  
17   ligence, \$12,463,000; Committee on the Judiciary,  
18   \$15,860,594; Select Committee on the Modernization of  
19   Congress, \$487,500; Committee on Natural Resources,  
20   \$13,895,926; Committee on Oversight and Reform,  
21   \$18,990,068; Committee on Rules, \$6,654,378; Com-  
22   mittee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$11,079,654;  
23   Committee on Small Business, \$6,196,296; Committee on  
24   Transportation and Infrastructure, \$17,830,330; Com-

1 mittee on Veterans' Affairs, \$8,276,384; and Committee  
 2 on Ways and Means, \$18,266,864.

3 **SEC. 2. FIRST SESSION LIMITATIONS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in  
 5 section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not  
 6 more than the amount specified in such subsection shall  
 7 be available for expenses incurred during the period begin-  
 8 ning at noon on January 3, 2019, and ending immediately  
 9 before noon on January 3, 2020.

10 (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees  
 11 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee  
 12 on Agriculture, \$5,756,664; Committee on Armed Serv-  
 13 ices, \$8,175,111; Committee on the Budget, \$5,190,212;  
 14 Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, \$1,890,750; Com-  
 15 mittee on Education and Labor, \$7,289,357; Committee  
 16 on Energy and Commerce, \$10,573,692; Committee on  
 17 Ethics, \$3,507,696; Committee on Financial Services,  
 18 \$8,538,931; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$8,120,362;  
 19 Committee on Homeland Security, \$7,654,001; Committee  
 20 on House Administration, \$5,172,211; Permanent Select  
 21 Committee on Intelligence, \$6,231,500; Committee on the  
 22 Judiciary, \$7,930,297; Select Committee on the Mod-  
 23 ernization of Congress, \$450,000; Committee on Natural  
 24 Resources, \$6,947,963; Committee on Oversight and Re-  
 25 form, \$9,495,034; Committee on Rules, \$3,327,189; Com-

1 mittee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$5,539,827;  
 2 Committee on Small Business, \$3,098,148; Committee on  
 3 Transportation and Infrastructure, \$8,915,165; Com-  
 4 mittee on Veterans' Affairs, \$4,138,192; and Committee  
 5 on Ways and Means, \$9,133,432.

6 **SEC. 3. SECOND SESSION LIMITATIONS.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in  
 8 section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not  
 9 more than the amount specified in such subsection shall  
 10 be available for expenses incurred during the period begin-  
 11 ning at noon on January 3, 2020, and ending immediately  
 12 before noon on January 3, 2021.

13 (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees  
 14 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee  
 15 on Agriculture, \$5,756,664; Committee on Armed Serv-  
 16 ices, \$8,175,111; Committee on the Budget, \$5,190,212;  
 17 Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, \$1,890,750; Com-  
 18 mittee on Education and Labor, \$7,289,357; Committee  
 19 on Energy and Commerce, \$10,573,692; Committee on  
 20 Ethics, \$3,507,696; Committee on Financial Services,  
 21 \$8,538,931; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$8,120,362;  
 22 Committee on Homeland Security, \$7,654,001; Committee  
 23 on House Administration, \$5,472,211; Permanent Select  
 24 Committee on Intelligence, \$6,231,500; Committee on the  
 25 Judiciary, \$7,930,297; Select Committee on the Mod-

ernization of Congress, \$37,500; Committee on Natural Resources, \$6,947,963; Committee on Oversight and Reform, \$9,495,034; Committee on Rules, \$3,327,189; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$5,539,827; Committee on Small Business, \$3,098,148; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$8,915,165; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$4,138,192; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$9,133,432.

(c) REVIEW OF USE OF FUNDS IN FIRST SESSION.—

(1) REVIEW.—None of the amounts provided for in section 1 for a committee named in subsection (b) may be available for expenses of the committee after March 15, 2020, unless the chair or ranking minority member of the committee appears and presents testimony at a hearing of the Committee on House Administration held prior to such date to review the committee's use of the amounts provided for in section 1 during the first session of the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress and to determine whether the amount specified in subsection (b) with respect to the committee should be updated on the basis of the review.

(2) WAIVER.—The Committee on House Administration may waive the application of paragraph

1 (1) to any or all of the committees named in sub-  
2 section (b).

3 **SEC. 4. VOUCHERS.**

4 Payments under this resolution shall be made on  
5 vouchers authorized by the committee involved, signed by  
6 the chair of such committee, and approved in the manner  
7 directed by the Committee on House Administration.

8 **SEC. 5. REGULATIONS.**

9 Amounts made available under this resolution shall  
10 be expended in accordance with regulations prescribed by  
11 the Committee on House Administration.

12 **SEC. 6. RESERVE FUND FOR UNANTICIPATED EXPENSES.**

13 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is hereby established a  
14 reserve fund for unanticipated expenses of committees for  
15 the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress.

16 (b) AMOUNT.—The reserve fund under this section  
17 shall have a balance of \$8,000,000, of which—

18 (1) \$1,500,000 shall be available for unantici-  
19 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning  
20 at noon on January 3, 2019, and ending imme-  
21 diately before noon on January 3, 2020; and

22 (2) \$6,500,000 shall be available for unantici-  
23 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning  
24 at noon on January 3, 2020, and ending imme-  
25 diately before noon on January 3, 2021.

1       (c) ALLOCATION TO COMMITTEES.—Amounts in the  
2 reserve fund under this section shall be paid to a com-  
3 mittee pursuant to an allocation approved by the Com-  
4 mittee on House Administration.

5 **SEC. 7. ADJUSTMENT AUTHORITY.**

6       The Committee on House Administration shall have  
7 authority to make adjustments in amounts under section  
8 1, if necessary to comply with an order of the President  
9 issued under section 251A or 254 of the Balanced Budget  
10 and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or to conform  
11 to any change in appropriations for the purposes of such  
12 section 1.

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