

The details of this action are set forth in the enclosed memorandum from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

DONALD J. TRUMP.  
THE WHITE HOUSE, March 24, 2025.

#### REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 1851

Mr. BACON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to remove the gentleman from South Carolina (Mr. NORMAN) as cosponsor of H.R. 1851.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Nebraska?

There was no objection.

#### PROVIDING FOR THE EXPENSES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN THE ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH CONGRESS

Mr. STEIL. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the resolution (H. Res. 198) providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Nineteenth Congress, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

The text of the resolution is as follows:

H. RES. 198

*Resolved,*

#### SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH CONGRESS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred Nineteenth Congress, there shall be paid out of the applicable accounts of the House of Representatives, in accordance with this primary expense resolution, not more than the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses (including the expenses of all staff salaries) of each committee named in such subsection.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$14,903,700; Committee on Armed Services, \$25,977,070; Committee on the Budget, \$11,990,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$22,033,321; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$32,293,696; Committee on Ethics, \$9,276,290; Committee on Financial Services, \$22,402,184; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$24,376,741; Committee on Homeland Security, \$20,466,000; Committee on House Administration, \$16,885,446; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$19,240,928; Committee on the Judiciary, \$31,714,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$19,311,600; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$32,864,613; Committee on Rules, \$8,544,396; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$18,617,085; Committee on Small Business, \$8,629,846; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$10,740,218; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$23,290,035; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$12,136,370; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$30,290,000.

#### SEC. 2. FIRST SESSION LIMITATIONS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in section 1 for each committee named in

subsection (b), not more than the amount specified in such subsection shall be available for expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2025, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2026.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$7,231,375; Committee on Armed Services, \$12,988,535; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$10,979,883; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$15,774,974; Committee on Ethics, \$4,530,566; Committee on Financial Services, \$11,201,707; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$11,683,048; Committee on Homeland Security, \$10,233,000; Committee on House Administration, \$8,031,523; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$9,538,983; Committee on the Judiciary, \$15,857,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$9,655,800; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$15,907,947; Committee on Rules, \$4,272,198; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$9,228,599; Committee on Small Business, \$4,232,534; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$5,366,830; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$11,102,513; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$5,985,270; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$14,963,888.

#### SEC. 3. SECOND SESSION LIMITATIONS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not more than the amount specified in such subsection shall be available for expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2026, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2027.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$7,672,325; Committee on Armed Services, \$12,988,535; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$11,053,439; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$16,518,722; Committee on Ethics, \$4,745,724; Committee on Financial Services, \$11,200,477; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$12,693,693; Committee on Homeland Security, \$10,233,000; Committee on House Administration, \$8,853,923; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$9,701,945; Committee on the Judiciary, \$15,857,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$9,655,800; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$16,956,666; Committee on Rules, \$4,272,198; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$9,388,486; Committee on Small Business, \$4,397,312; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$5,373,388; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$12,187,522; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$6,151,100; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$15,326,112.

#### SEC. 4. VOUCHERS.

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

#### SEC. 5. REGULATIONS.

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

#### SEC. 6. ADJUSTMENT AUTHORITY.

The Committee on House Administration shall have authority to make adjustments in amounts under section 1, if necessary to comply with an order of the President issued under section 251A or 254 of the Balanced

Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or to conform to any change in appropriations for the purposes of such section 1.

#### COMMITTEE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

Mr. STEIL. Mr. Speaker, I have an amendment at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the committee amendment.

The Clerk read as follows:

Strike out all after the resolving clause and insert the following:

#### SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH CONGRESS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred Nineteenth Congress, there shall be paid out of the applicable accounts of the House of Representatives, in accordance with this primary expense resolution, not more than the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses (including the expenses of all staff salaries) of each committee named in such subsection.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$14,903,700; Committee on Armed Services, \$25,977,070; Committee on the Budget, \$11,990,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$20,159,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$28,800,000; Committee on Ethics, \$9,276,290; Committee on Financial Services, \$21,250,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$22,700,000; Committee on Homeland Security, \$19,750,000; Committee on House Administration, \$16,885,446; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$18,610,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$30,250,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$18,600,000; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$30,651,000; Committee on Rules, \$8,544,396; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$15,232,000; Committee on Small Business, \$8,100,000; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$10,250,000; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$22,854,319; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$11,916,000; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$26,600,000.

#### SEC. 2. FIRST SESSION LIMITATIONS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not more than the amount specified in such subsection shall be available for expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2025, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2026.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$7,231,375; Committee on Armed Services, \$12,988,535; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$10,059,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$14,300,000; Committee on Ethics, \$4,530,566; Committee on Financial Services, \$10,500,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$11,200,000; Committee on Homeland Security, \$9,750,000; Committee on House Administration, \$8,031,523; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$9,305,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$15,000,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$9,175,000; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$15,151,000; Committee on Rules, \$4,272,198; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$7,466,000; Committee on Small Business, \$4,000,000; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$5,000,000; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$11,427,160; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$5,870,000; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$13,100,000.

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

(a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not more than the amount specified in such subsection shall be available for expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2026, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2027.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$7,672,325; Committee on Armed Services, \$12,988,535; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000; Committee on Education and Workforce, \$10,100,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$14,500,000; Committee on Ethics, \$4,745,724; Committee on Financial Services, \$10,750,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$11,500,000; Committee on Homeland Security, \$10,000,000; Committee on House Administration, \$8,853,923; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$9,305,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$15,250,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$9,425,000; Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, \$15,500,000; Committee on Rules, \$4,272,198; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$7,766,000; Committee on Small Business, \$4,100,000; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$5,250,000; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$11,427,160; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$6,046,000; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$13,500,000.

**SEC. 4. VOUCHERS.**

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

**SEC. 5. REGULATIONS.**

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

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

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

(b) AMOUNT.—The reserve fund under this section shall have a balance of \$4,000,000, of which—

(1) \$2,000,000 shall be available for unanticipated expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2025, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2026; and

(2) \$2,000,000 shall be available for unanticipated expenses incurred during the period beginning at noon on January 3, 2026, and ending immediately before noon on January 3, 2027.

(c) ALLOCATION TO COMMITTEES.—Amounts in the reserve fund under this section shall be paid to a committee pursuant to an allocation approved by the Committee on House Administration.

**SEC. 7. ADJUSTMENT AUTHORITY.**

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

Mr. STEIL (during the reading). I ask unanimous consent to dispense with the reading.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

The committee amendment was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider is laid upon the table.

### EXPRESSING THE PROFOUND SORROW OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE DEATH OF THE HONORABLE RAÚL M. GRIJALVA

Mr. STANTON. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

#### H. RES. 240

*Resolved*, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of the Honorable Raúl M. Grijalva, a Representative from the State of Arizona.

*Resolved*, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. STANTON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 7 o'clock and 14 minutes p.m.), under its previous order and pursuant to House Resolution 240, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, March 25, 2025, at 10 a.m., for morning-hour debate, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Honorable RAÚL M. GRIJALVA.

### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

EC-586. A letter from the Chair, Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission, transmitting the Commission's March 2025 Report to Congress on Medicaid and CHIP, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1396(b)(1)(C); Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, title XIX, Sec. 1900 (as amended by Public Law 111-148, Sec. 2801(a)(1)(A)(iv)); (124 Stat. 329); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-587. A letter from the Acting Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy in the position of Inspector General, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-588. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-589. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec.

151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-590. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-591. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-592. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a notification of a federal vacancy, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-593. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting notification of a designation of acting officer, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-594. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel for Operations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting notification of a designation of acting officer, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

EC-595. A letter from the Chief, Legal, External Affairs and Performance Branch, Office of Government Ethics, transmitting two notifications of a federal vacancy, designation of acting officer and discontinuation of service in acting role, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, Sec. 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

### 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. WILLIAMS of Texas: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 1621. A bill to require the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to submit to Congress a report on the entrepreneurial challenges facing entrepreneurs with a disability, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-31). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 1634. A bill to provide for a memorandum of understanding between the Small Business Administration and the National Council on Disability to increase employment opportunities for individuals with disabilities, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-32). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 1804. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to require a report on 7(a) agents, and for other purposes (Rept. 119-33). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas: Committee on Small Business. H.R. 787. A bill to require plain language and the inclusion of key words in covered notices that are clear, concise, and accessible to small business concerns, and for other purposes; with an