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Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 14, 2018

Mr. DAINES, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following original bill; which was read twice and placed on the calendar

A BILL

Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
4 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the
5 Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September
6 30, 2019, and for other purposes, namely:

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TITLE I

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

SENATE

EXPENSE ALLOWANCES

For expense allowances of the Vice President, \$18,760; the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, \$37,520; Majority Leader of the Senate, \$39,920; Minority Leader of the Senate, \$39,920; Majority Whip of the Senate, \$9,980; Minority Whip of the Senate, \$9,980; President Pro Tempore Emeritus, \$15,000; Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees, \$4,690 for each Chairman; and Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Policy Committees, \$4,690 for each Chairman; in all, \$189,840.

For representation allowances of the Majority and Minority Leaders of the Senate, \$14,070 for each such Leader; in all, \$28,140.

SALARIES, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

For compensation of officers, employees, and others as authorized by law, including agency contributions, \$205,376,812, which shall be paid from this appropriation as follows:

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

For the Office of the Vice President, \$2,417,248.

1 OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

2 For the Office of the President Pro Tempore,
3 \$723,466.

4 OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE EMERITUS

5 For the Office of the President Pro Tempore Emer-
6 itus, \$309,000.

7 OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

8 For Offices of the Majority and Minority Leaders,
9 \$5,255,576.

10 OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS

11 For Offices of the Majority and Minority Whips,
12 \$3,359,424.

13 COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

14 For salaries of the Committee on Appropriations,
15 \$15,142,000.

16 CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

17 For the Conference of the Majority and the Con-
18 ference of the Minority, at rates of compensation to be
19 fixed by the Chairman of each such committee,
20 \$1,658,000 for each such committee; in all, \$3,316,000.

21 OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES OF THE CONFERENCE OF
22 THE MAJORITY AND THE CONFERENCE OF THE MINORITY

23 For Offices of the Secretaries of the Conference of
24 the Majority and the Conference of the Minority,
25 \$817,402.

1 POLICY COMMITTEES

2 For salaries of the Majority Policy Committee and
3 the Minority Policy Committee, \$1,692,905 for each such
4 committee; in all, \$3,385,810.

5 OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN

6 For Office of the Chaplain, \$461,886.

7 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

8 For Office of the Secretary, \$25,783,000.

9 OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER

10 For Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper,
11 \$82,684,000.

12 OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJORITY AND

13 MINORITY

14 For Offices of the Secretary for the Majority and the
15 Secretary for the Minority, \$1,810,000.

16 AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS AND RELATED EXPENSES

17 For agency contributions for employee benefits, as
18 authorized by law, and related expenses, \$59,912,000.

19 OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL OF THE SENATE

20 For salaries and expenses of the Office of the Legisla-
21 tive Counsel of the Senate, \$6,115,000.

22 OFFICE OF SENATE LEGAL COUNSEL

23 For salaries and expenses of the Office of Senate
24 Legal Counsel, \$1,147,000.

1 EXPENSE ALLOWANCES OF THE SECRETARY OF THE
2 SENATE, SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF
3 THE SENATE, AND SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJOR-
4 ITY AND MINORITY OF THE SENATE

5 For expense allowances of the Secretary of the Sen-
6 ate, \$7,110; Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Sen-
7 ate, \$7,110; Secretary for the Majority of the Senate,
8 \$7,110; Secretary for the Minority of the Senate, \$7,110;
9 in all, \$28,440.

10 CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE SENATE

11 INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS

12 For expenses of inquiries and investigations ordered
13 by the Senate, or conducted under paragraph 1 of rule
14 XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, section 112
15 of the Supplemental Appropriations and Rescission Act,
16 1980 (Public Law 96–304), and Senate Resolution 281,
17 96th Congress, agreed to March 11, 1980, \$133,265,000,
18 of which \$26,650,000 shall remain available until Sep-
19 tember 30, 2021.

20 U.S. SENATE CAUCUS ON INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS

21 CONTROL

22 For expenses of the United States Senate Caucus on
23 International Narcotics Control, \$508,000.

1 SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

2 For expenses of the Office of the Secretary of the
3 Senate, \$10,036,000 of which \$6,436,000 shall remain
4 available until September 30, 2023 and of which
5 \$3,600,000 shall remain available until expended.

6 SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF THE SENATE

7 For expenses of the Office of the Sergeant at Arms
8 and Doorkeeper of the Senate, \$126,595,000, which shall
9 remain available until September 30, 2023.

10 MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

11 For miscellaneous items, \$20,870,849 which shall re-
12 main available until September 30, 2021.

13 SENATORS' OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EXPENSE

14 ACCOUNT

15 For Senators' Official Personnel and Office Expense
16 Account, \$429,000,000 of which \$20,128,950 shall remain
17 available until September 30, 2021 and of which
18 \$5,000,000 shall be allocated solely for the purpose of pro-
19 viding financial compensation to Senate interns.

20 OFFICIAL MAIL COSTS

21 For expenses necessary for official mail costs of the
22 Senate, \$300,000.

1 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS
2 REQUIRING AMOUNTS REMAINING IN SENATORS' OFFI-
3 CIAL PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNT
4 TO BE USED FOR DEFICIT REDUCTION OR TO RE-
5 DUCE THE FEDERAL DEBT

6 SEC. 101. Notwithstanding any other provision of
7 law, any amounts appropriated under this Act under the
8 heading "SENATE" under the heading "CONTINGENT
9 EXPENSES OF THE SENATE" under the heading "SEN-
10 ATORS' OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EXPENSE AC-
11 COUNT" shall be available for obligation only during the
12 fiscal year or fiscal years for which such amounts are
13 made available. Any unexpended balances under such al-
14 lowances remaining after the end of the period of avail-
15 ability shall be returned to the Treasury in accordance
16 with the undesignated paragraph under the center heading
17 "GENERAL PROVISION" under chapter XI of the
18 Third Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1957 (2 U.S.C.
19 4107) and used for deficit reduction (or, if there is no
20 Federal budget deficit after all such payments have been
21 made, for reducing the Federal debt, in such manner as
22 the Secretary of the Treasury considers appropriate).

23 ADJUSTMENTS TO COMPENSATION

24 SEC. 102. Notwithstanding any other provision of
25 law, no adjustment shall be made under section 601(a)

1 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C.
 2 4501) (relating to cost of living adjustments for Members
 3 of Congress) during fiscal year 2019.

4 FILING BY SENATE CANDIDATES WITH COMMISSION

5 SEC. 103. Section 302(g) of the Federal Election
 6 Campaign Act of 1971 (52 U.S.C. 30102(g)) is amended
 7 to read as follows:

8 “(g) FILING WITH THE COMMISSION.—All designa-
 9 tions, statements, and reports required to be filed under
 10 this Act shall be filed with the Commission.”.

11 JOINT ITEMS

12 For Joint Committees, as follows:

13 JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE

14 For salaries and expenses of the Joint Economic
 15 Committee, \$4,203,000, to be disbursed by the Secretary
 16 of the Senate.

17 JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

18 For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on
 19 Taxation, \$11,169,000, to be disbursed by the Chief Ad-
 20 ministrative Officer of the House of Representatives.

21 For other joint items, as follows:

22 OFFICE OF THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN

23 For medical supplies, equipment, and contingent ex-
 24 penses of the emergency rooms, and for the Attending
 25 Physician and his assistants, including:

1 (1) an allowance of \$2,175 per month to the
2 Attending Physician;

3 (2) an allowance of \$1,300 per month to the
4 Senior Medical Officer;

5 (3) an allowance of \$725 per month each to
6 three medical officers while on duty in the Office of
7 the Attending Physician;

8 (4) an allowance of \$725 per month to 2 assist-
9 ants and \$580 per month each not to exceed 11 as-
10 sistants on the basis heretofore provided for such as-
11 sistants; and

12 (5) \$2,740,000 for reimbursement to the De-
13 partment of the Navy for expenses incurred for staff
14 and equipment assigned to the Office of the Attend-
15 ing Physician, which shall be advanced and credited
16 to the applicable appropriation or appropriations
17 from which such salaries, allowances, and other ex-
18 penses are payable and shall be available for all the
19 purposes thereof, \$3,798,000, to be disbursed by the
20 Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Rep-
21 resentatives.

1 OFFICE OF CONGRESSIONAL ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES

2 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

3 For salaries and expenses of the Office of Congres-
4 sional Accessibility Services, \$1,486,000, to be disbursed
5 by the Secretary of the Senate.

6 CAPITOL POLICE

7 SALARIES

8 For salaries of employees of the Capitol Police, in-
9 cluding overtime, hazardous duty pay, and Government
10 contributions for health, retirement, social security, pro-
11 fessional liability insurance, and other applicable employee
12 benefits, \$371,483,000 of which overtime shall not exceed
13 \$43,668,000 unless the Committee on Appropriations of
14 the House and Senate are notified, to be disbursed by the
15 Chief of the Capitol Police or his designee.

16 GENERAL EXPENSES

17 For necessary expenses of the Capitol Police, includ-
18 ing motor vehicles, communications and other equipment,
19 security equipment and installation, uniforms, weapons,
20 supplies, materials, training, medical services, forensic
21 services, stenographic services, personal and professional
22 services, the employee assistance program, the awards pro-
23 gram, postage, communication services, travel advances,
24 relocation of instructor and liaison personnel for the Fed-
25 eral Law Enforcement Training Center, and not more

1 than \$5,000 to be expended on the certification of the
2 Chief of the Capitol Police in connection with official rep-
3 resentation and reception expenses, \$81,554,000, to be
4 disbursed by the Chief of the Capitol Police or his des-
5 ignee: *Provided*, That, notwithstanding any other provi-
6 sion of law, the cost of basic training for the Capitol Police
7 at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center for fis-
8 cal year 2019 shall be paid by the Secretary of Homeland
9 Security from funds available to the Department of Home-
10 land Security.

11 OFFICE OF COMPLIANCE

12 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

13 For salaries and expenses of the Office of Compli-
14 ance, as authorized by section 305 of the Congressional
15 Accountability Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1385), \$6,332,670,
16 of which \$900,000 shall remain available until September
17 30, 2020: *Provided*, That not more than \$500 may be ex-
18 pended on the certification of the Executive Director of
19 the Office of Compliance in connection with official rep-
20 resentation and reception expenses.

21 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE

22 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

23 For salaries and expenses necessary for operation of
24 the Congressional Budget Office, including not more than
25 \$6,000 to be expended on the certification of the Director

1 of the Congressional Budget Office in connection with offi-
2 cial representation and reception expenses, \$50,295,000.

3 ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

4 CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS

5 For salaries for the Architect of the Capitol, and
6 other personal services, at rates of pay provided by law;
7 for all necessary expenses for surveys and studies, con-
8 struction, operation, and general and administrative sup-
9 port in connection with facilities and activities under the
10 care of the Architect of the Capitol including the Botanic
11 Garden; electrical substations of the Capitol, Senate and
12 House office buildings, and other facilities under the juris-
13 diction of the Architect of the Capitol; including fur-
14 nishings and office equipment; including not more than
15 \$5,000 for official reception and representation expenses,
16 to be expended as the Architect of the Capitol may ap-
17 prove; for purchase or exchange, maintenance, and oper-
18 ation of a passenger motor vehicle, \$102,131,903.

19 CAPITOL BUILDING

20 For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
21 and operation of the Capitol, \$39,318,335, of which
22 \$12,981,000 shall remain available until September 30,
23 2023.

1 Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building and the
2 Folger Shakespeare Library, expenses for which shall be
3 advanced or reimbursed upon request of the Architect of
4 the Capitol and amounts so received shall be deposited
5 into the Treasury to the credit of this appropriation,
6 \$97,827,258, of which \$15,286,617 shall remain available
7 until September 30, 2023: *Provided*, That not more than
8 \$9,000,000 of the funds credited or to be reimbursed to
9 this appropriation as herein provided shall be available for
10 obligation during fiscal year 2019.

11 LIBRARY BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

12 For all necessary expenses for the mechanical and
13 structural maintenance, care and operation of the Library
14 buildings and grounds, \$64,125,666, of which
15 \$36,254,000 shall remain available until September 30,
16 2023.

17 CAPITOL POLICE BUILDINGS, GROUNDS AND SECURITY

18 For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
19 and operation of buildings, grounds and security enhance-
20 ments of the United States Capitol Police, wherever lo-
21 cated, the Alternate Computing Facility, and Architect of
22 the Capitol security operations, \$54,680,047, of which
23 \$28,777,000 shall remain available until September 30,
24 2023.

1 BOTANIC GARDEN

2 For all necessary expenses for the maintenance, care
3 and operation of the Botanic Garden and the nurseries,
4 buildings, grounds, and collections; and purchase and ex-
5 change, maintenance, repair, and operation of a passenger
6 motor vehicle; all under the direction of the Joint Com-
7 mittee on the Library, \$14,559,589, of which \$3,559,000
8 shall remain available until September 30, 2023: *Provided*,
9 That, of the amount made available under this heading,
10 the Architect of the Capitol may obligate and expend such
11 sums as may be necessary for the maintenance, care and
12 operation of the National Garden established under sec-
13 tion 307E of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act,
14 1989 (2 U.S.C. 2146), upon vouchers approved by the Ar-
15 chitect of the Capitol or a duly authorized designee.

16 CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER

17 For all necessary expenses for the operation of the
18 Capitol Visitor Center, \$23,054,946.

19 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

20 NO BONUSES FOR CONTRACTORS BEHIND SCHEDULE OR
21 OVER BUDGET

22 SEC. 140. None of the funds made available in this
23 Act for the Architect of the Capitol may be used to make
24 incentive or award payments to contractors for work on
25 contracts or programs for which the contractor is behind

1 schedule or over budget, unless the Architect of the Cap-
2 itol, or agency-employed designee, determines that any
3 such deviations are due to unforeseeable events, govern-
4 ment-driven scope changes, or are not significant within
5 the overall scope of the project and/or program.

6 SCRIMS

7 SEC. 141. None of the funds made available by this
8 Act may be used for scrims containing photographs of
9 building facades during restoration or construction
10 projects performed by the Architect of the Capitol.

11 LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

12 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

13 For all necessary expenses of the Library of Congress
14 not otherwise provided for, including development and
15 maintenance of the Library's catalogs; custody and custo-
16 dial care of the Library buildings; special clothing; clean-
17 ing, laundering and repair of uniforms; preservation of
18 motion pictures in the custody of the Library; operation
19 and maintenance of the American Folklife Center in the
20 Library; preparation and distribution of catalog records
21 and other publications of the Library; hire or purchase
22 of one passenger motor vehicle; and expenses of the Li-
23 brary of Congress Trust Fund Board not properly charge-
24 able to the income of any trust fund held by the Board,
25 \$474,429,000, of which not more than \$6,000,000 shall

1 be derived from collections credited to this appropriation
2 during fiscal year 2019, and shall remain available until
3 expended, under the Act of June 28, 1902 (chapter 1301;
4 32 Stat. 480; 2 U.S.C. 150): *Provided*, That the Library
5 of Congress may not obligate or expend any funds derived
6 from collections under the Act of June 28, 1902, in excess
7 of the amount authorized for obligation or expenditure in
8 appropriations Acts: *Provided further*, That the total
9 amount available for obligation shall be reduced by the
10 amount by which collections are less than \$6,000,000:
11 *Provided further*, That of the total amount appropriated,
12 not more than \$12,000 may be expended, on the certifi-
13 cation of the Librarian of Congress, in connection with
14 official representation and reception expenses for the
15 Overseas Field Offices: *Provided further*, That of the total
16 amount appropriated, \$8,855,000 shall remain available
17 until expended for the digital collections and educational
18 curricula program: *Provided further*, That of the total
19 amount appropriated, \$1,318,000 shall remain available
20 until expended for upgrade of the Legislative Branch Fi-
21 nancial Management System.

22 COPYRIGTH OFFICE

23 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

24 For all necessary expenses of the Copyright Office,
25 \$92,462,000, of which not more than \$39,218,000, to re-

1 main available until expended, shall be derived from collec-
2 tions credited to this appropriation during fiscal year 2019
3 under section 708(d) of title 17, United States Code: *Pro-*
4 *vided*, That the Copyright Office may not obligate or ex-
5 pend any funds derived from collections under such sec-
6 tion, in excess of the amount authorized for obligation or
7 expenditure in appropriations Acts: *Provided further*, That
8 not more than \$6,272,000 shall be derived from collections
9 during fiscal year 2019 under sections 111(d)(2),
10 119(b)(3), 803(e), 1005, and 1316 of such title: *Provided*
11 *further*, That the total amount available for obligation
12 shall be reduced by the amount by which collections are
13 less than \$45,490,000: *Provided further*, That \$4,328,000
14 shall be derived from prior year unobligated balances: *Pro-*
15 *vided further*, That not more than \$100,000 of the amount
16 appropriated is available for the maintenance of an “Inter-
17 national Copyright Institute” in the Copyright Office of
18 the Library of Congress for the purpose of training nation-
19 als of developing countries in intellectual property laws
20 and policies: *Provided further*, That not more than \$6,500
21 may be expended, on the certification of the Librarian of
22 Congress, in connection with official representation and
23 reception expenses for activities of the International Copy-
24 right Institute and for copyright delegations, visitors, and
25 seminars: *Provided further*, That, notwithstanding any

1 provision of chapter 8 of title 17, United States Code, any
2 amounts made available under this heading which are at-
3 tributable to royalty fees and payments received by the
4 Copyright Office pursuant to sections 111, 119, and chap-
5 ter 10 of such title may be used for the costs incurred
6 in the administration of the Copyright Royalty Judges
7 program, with the exception of the costs of salaries and
8 benefits for the Copyright Royalty Judges and staff under
9 section 802(e).

10 CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH SERVICE

11 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

12 For all necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
13 of section 203 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of
14 1946 (2 U.S.C. 166) and to revise and extend the Anno-
15 tated Constitution of the United States of America,
16 \$123,828,000: *Provided*, That no part of such amount
17 may be used to pay any salary or expense in connection
18 with any publication, or preparation of material therefor
19 (except the Digest of Public General Bills), to be issued
20 by the Library of Congress unless such publication has
21 obtained prior approval of either the Committee on House
22 Administration of the House of Representatives or the
23 Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate:
24 *Provided further*, That this prohibition does not apply to
25 publication of non-confidential Congressional Research

1 Service (CRS) products: *Provided further*, That a non-con-
 2 fidential CRS product includes any written product con-
 3 taining research or analysis that is currently available for
 4 general congressional access on the CRS Congressional
 5 Intranet, or that would be made available on the CRS
 6 Congressional Intranet in the normal course of business
 7 and does not include material prepared in response to
 8 Congressional requests for confidential analysis or re-
 9 search.

10 BOOKS FOR THE BLIND AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED
 11 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

12 For all necessary expenses to carry out the Act of
 13 March 3, 1931 (chapter 400; 46 Stat. 1487; 2 U.S.C.
 14 135a), \$52,521,000: *Provided*, That of the total amount
 15 appropriated, \$650,000 shall be available to contract to
 16 provide newspapers to blind and physically handicapped
 17 residents at no cost to the individual.

18 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

19 REIMBURSABLE AND REVOLVING FUND ACTIVITIES

20 SEC. 150. (a) IN GENERAL.—For fiscal year 2019,
 21 the obligational authority of the Library of Congress for
 22 the activities described in subsection (b) may not exceed
 23 \$194,608,000.

24 (b) ACTIVITIES.—The activities referred to in sub-
 25 section (a) are reimbursable and revolving fund activities

1 that are funded from sources other than appropriations
2 to the Library in appropriations Acts for the legislative
3 branch.

4 GOVERNMENT PUBLISHING OFFICE

5 CONGRESSIONAL PUBLISHING

6 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

7 For authorized publishing of congressional informa-
8 tion and the distribution of congressional information in
9 any format; publishing of Government publications au-
10 thorized by law to be distributed to Members of Congress;
11 and publishing, and distribution of Government publica-
12 tions authorized by law to be distributed without charge
13 to the recipient, \$79,000,000: *Provided*, That this appro-
14 priation shall not be available for paper copies of the per-
15 manent edition of the Congressional Record for individual
16 Representatives, Resident Commissioners or Delegates au-
17 thorized under section 906 of title 44, United States Code:
18 *Provided further*, That this appropriation shall be available
19 for the payment of obligations incurred under the appro-
20 priations for similar purposes for preceding fiscal years:
21 *Provided further*, That notwithstanding the 2-year limita-
22 tion under section 718 of title 44, United States Code,
23 none of the funds appropriated or made available under
24 this Act or any other Act for printing and binding and
25 related services provided to Congress under chapter 7 of

1 title 44, United States Code, may be expended to print
2 a document, report, or publication after the 27-month pe-
3 riod beginning on the date that such document, report,
4 or publication is authorized by Congress to be printed, un-
5 less Congress reauthorizes such printing in accordance
6 with section 718 of title 44, United States Code: *Provided*
7 *further*, That unobligated or unexpended balances of ex-
8 pired discretionary funds made available under this head-
9 ing in this Act for this fiscal year may be transferred to,
10 and merged with, funds under the heading “Government
11 Publishing Office Business Operations Revolving Fund”
12 no later than the end of the fifth fiscal year after the last
13 fiscal year for which such funds are available for the pur-
14 poses for which appropriated, to be available for carrying
15 out the purposes of this heading, subject to the approval
16 of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Rep-
17 resentatives and the Senate: *Provided further*, That not-
18 withstanding sections 901, 902, and 906 of title 44,
19 United States Code, this appropriation may be used to
20 prepare indexes to the Congressional Record on only a
21 monthly and session basis.

1 PUBLIC INFORMATION PROGRAMS OF THE
2 SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS
3 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
4 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

5 For expenses of the public information programs of
6 the Office of Superintendent of Documents necessary to
7 provide for the cataloging and indexing of Government
8 publications and their distribution to the public, Members
9 of Congress, other Government agencies, and designated
10 depository and international exchange libraries as author-
11 ized by law, \$32,000,000: *Provided*, That amounts of not
12 more than \$2,000,000 from current year appropriations
13 are authorized for producing and disseminating Congres-
14 sional serial sets and other related publications for fiscal
15 years 2017 and 2018 to depository and other designated
16 libraries: *Provided further*, That unobligated or unex-
17 pended balances of expired discretionary funds made avail-
18 able under this heading in this Act for this fiscal year may
19 be transferred to, and merged with, funds under the head-
20 ing “Government Publishing Office Business Operations
21 Revolving Fund” no later than the end of the fifth fiscal
22 year after the last fiscal year for which such funds are
23 available for the purposes for which appropriated, to be
24 available for carrying out the purposes of this heading,

1 subject to the approval of the Committee on Appropria-
2 tions of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

3 GOVERNMENT PUBLISHING OFFICE BUSINESS

4 OPERATIONS REVOLVING FUND

5 For payment to the Government Publishing Office
6 Business Operations Revolving Fund, \$6,000,000, to re-
7 main available until expended, for information technology
8 development and facilities repair: *Provided*, That the Gov-
9 ernment Publishing Office is hereby authorized to make
10 such expenditures, within the limits of funds available and
11 in accordance with law, and to make such contracts and
12 commitments without regard to fiscal year limitations as
13 provided by section 9104 of title 31, United States Code,
14 as may be necessary in carrying out the programs and
15 purposes set forth in the budget for the current fiscal year
16 for the Government Publishing Office Business Operations
17 Revolving Fund: *Provided further*, That not more than
18 \$7,500 may be expended on the certification of the Direc-
19 tor of the Government Publishing Office in connection
20 with official representation and reception expenses: *Pro-*
21 *vided further*, That the Business Operations Revolving
22 Fund shall be available for the hire or purchase of not
23 more than 12 passenger motor vehicles: *Provided further*,
24 That expenditures in connection with travel expenses of
25 the advisory councils to the Director of the Government

1 Publishing Office shall be deemed necessary to carry out
2 the provisions of title 44, United States Code: *Provided*
3 *further*, That the Business Operations Revolving Fund
4 shall be available for temporary or intermittent services
5 under section 3109(b) of title 5, United States Code, but
6 at rates for individuals not more than the daily equivalent
7 of the annual rate of basic pay for level V of the Executive
8 Schedule under section 5316 of such title: *Provided fur-*
9 *ther*, That activities financed through the Business Oper-
10 ations Revolving Fund may provide information in any
11 format: *Provided further*, That the Business Operations
12 Revolving Fund and the funds provided under the heading
13 “Public Information Programs of the Superintendent of
14 Documents” may not be used for contracted security serv-
15 ices at Government Publishing Office’s passport facility in
16 the District of Columbia.

17 GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE

18 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

19 For necessary expenses of the Government Account-
20 ability Office, including not more than \$12,500 to be ex-
21 pended on the certification of the Comptroller General of
22 the United States in connection with official representa-
23 tion and reception expenses; temporary or intermittent
24 services under section 3109(b) of title 5, United States
25 Code, but at rates for individuals not more than the daily

1 equivalent of the annual rate of basic pay for level IV of
2 the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of such title;
3 hire of one passenger motor vehicle; advance payments in
4 foreign countries in accordance with section 3324 of title
5 31, United States Code; benefits comparable to those pay-
6 able under sections 901(5), (6), and (8) of the Foreign
7 Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4081(5), (6), and (8));
8 and under regulations prescribed by the Comptroller Gen-
9 eral of the United States, rental of living quarters in for-
10 eign countries, \$589,749,653: *Provided further*, That, in
11 addition, \$35,900,000 of payments received under sections
12 782, 791, 3521, and 9105 of title 31, United States Code,
13 shall be available without fiscal year limitation: *Provided*
14 *further*, That this appropriation and appropriations for ad-
15 ministrative expenses of any other department or agency
16 which is a member of the National Intergovernmental
17 Audit Forum or a Regional Intergovernmental Audit
18 Forum shall be available to finance an appropriate share
19 of either Forum's costs as determined by the respective
20 Forum, including necessary travel expenses of non-Federal
21 participants: *Provided further*, That payments hereunder
22 to the Forum may be credited as reimbursements to any
23 appropriation from which costs involved are initially fi-
24 nanced.

1 cilities for the House of Representatives issued by the
2 Committee on House Administration and for the Senate
3 issued by the Committee on Rules and Administration.

4 FISCAL YEAR LIMITATION

5 SEC. 202. No part of the funds appropriated in this
6 Act shall remain available for obligation beyond fiscal year
7 2019 unless expressly so provided in this Act.

8 RATES OF COMPENSATION AND DESIGNATION

9 SEC. 203. Whenever in this Act any office or position
10 not specifically established by the Legislative Pay Act of
11 1929 (46 Stat. 32 et seq.) is appropriated for or the rate
12 of compensation or designation of any office or position
13 appropriated for is different from that specifically estab-
14 lished by such Act, the rate of compensation and the des-
15 ignation in this Act shall be the permanent law with re-
16 spect thereto: *Provided*, That the provisions in this Act
17 for the various items of official expenses of Members, offi-
18 cers, and committees of the Senate and House of Rep-
19 resentatives, and clerk hire for Senators and Members of
20 the House of Representatives shall be the permanent law
21 with respect thereto.

22 CONSULTING SERVICES

23 SEC. 204. The expenditure of any appropriation
24 under this Act for any consulting service through procure-
25 ment contract, under section 3109 of title 5, United States

1 Code, shall be limited to those contracts where such ex-
2 penditures are a matter of public record and available for
3 public inspection, except where otherwise provided under
4 existing law, or under existing Executive order issued
5 under existing law.

6 COSTS OF LBFMC

7 SEC. 205. Amounts available for administrative ex-
8 penses of any legislative branch entity which participates
9 in the Legislative Branch Financial Managers Council
10 (LBFMC) established by charter on March 26, 1996, shall
11 be available to finance an appropriate share of LBFMC
12 costs as determined by the LBFMC, except that the total
13 LBFMC costs to be shared among all participating legisla-
14 tive branch entities (in such allocations among the entities
15 as the entities may determine) may not exceed \$2,000.

16 LIMITATION ON TRANSFERS

17 SEC. 206. None of the funds made available in this
18 Act may be transferred to any department, agency, or in-
19 strumentality of the United States Government, except
20 pursuant to a transfer made by, or transfer authority pro-
21 vided in, this Act or any other appropriation Act.

22 GUIDED TOURS OF THE CAPITOL

23 SEC. 207. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b),
24 none of the funds made available to the Architect of the
25 Capitol in this Act may be used to eliminate or restrict

1 guided tours of the United States Capitol which are led
2 by employees and interns of offices of Members of Con-
3 gress and other offices of the House of Representatives
4 and Senate, unless through regulations as authorized by
5 section 402(b)(8) of the Capitol Visitor Center Act of
6 2008 (2 U.S.C. 2242(b)(8)).

7 (b) At the direction of the Capitol Police Board, or
8 at the direction of the Architect of the Capitol with the
9 approval of the Capitol Police Board, guided tours of the
10 United States Capitol which are led by employees and in-
11 terns described in subsection (a) may be suspended tempo-
12 rarily or otherwise subject to restriction for security or re-
13 lated reasons to the same extent as guided tours of the
14 United States Capitol which are led by the Architect of
15 the Capitol.

16 LIMITATION ON TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT

17 PROCUREMENT

18 SEC. 208. (a) None of the funds appropriated or oth-
19 erwise made available under this Act may be used to ac-
20 quire telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei
21 Technologies Company, ZTE Corporation or a high-im-
22 pact or moderate-impact information system, as defined
23 for security categorization in the National Institute of
24 Standards and Technology's (NIST) Federal Information
25 Processing Standard Publication 199, "Standards for Se-

1 security Categorization of Federal Information and Informa-
2 tion Systems” unless the agency, office, or other entity
3 acquiring the equipment or system has—

4 (1) reviewed the supply chain risk for the infor-
5 mation systems against criteria developed by NIST
6 to inform acquisition decisions for high-impact and
7 moderate-impact information systems within the
8 Federal Government;

9 (2) reviewed the supply chain risk from the pre-
10 sumptive awardee against available and relevant
11 threat information provided by the Federal Bureau
12 of Investigation and other appropriate agencies; and

13 (3) in consultation with the Federal Bureau of
14 Investigation or other appropriate Federal entity,
15 conducted an assessment of any risk of cyber-espio-
16 nage or sabotage associated with the acquisition of
17 such system, including any risk associated with such
18 system being produced, manufactured, or assembled
19 by one or more entities identified by the United
20 States Government as posing a cyber threat, includ-
21 ing but not limited to, those that may be owned, di-
22 rected, or subsidized by the People’s Republic of
23 China, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic
24 People’s Republic of Korea, or the Russian Federa-
25 tion.

1 (b) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
2 made available under this Act may be used to acquire a
3 high-impact or moderate impact information system re-
4 viewed and assessed under subsection (a) unless the head
5 of the assessing entity described in subsection (a) has—

6 (1) developed, in consultation with NIST and
7 supply chain risk management experts, a mitigation
8 strategy for any identified risks;

9 (2) determined, in consultation with NIST and
10 the Federal Bureau of Investigation, that the acqui-
11 sition of such system is in the vital national security
12 interest of the United States; and

13 (3) reported that determination to the Commit-
14 tees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-
15 tives and the Senate in a manner that identifies the
16 system intended for acquisition and a detailed de-
17 scription of the mitigation strategies identified in
18 (1), provided that such report may include a classi-
19 fied annex as necessary.

20 PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN OPERATIONAL EXPENSES

21 SEC. 209. (a) None of the funds made available in
22 this Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer
23 network unless such network blocks the viewing,
24 downloading, and exchanging of pornography.

1 (b) Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of
2 funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law
3 enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-
4 nal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities
5 or other official government activities.

6 This Act may be cited as the “Legislative Branch Ap-
7 propriations Act, 2019”.

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