

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H. RES. 198
OFFERED BY MR. STEIL OF WISCONSIN

Strike all after the resolving clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUN-
2 DRED NINETEENTH CONGRESS.

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred
4 Nineteenth Congress, there shall be paid out of the appli-
5 cable accounts of the House of Representatives, in accord-
6 ance with this primary expense resolution, not more than
7 the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses
8 (including the expenses of all staff salaries) of each com-
9 mittee named in such subsection.

10 (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees
11 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee
12 on Agriculture, \$14,903,700; Committee on Armed Serv-
13 ices, \$25,977,070; Committee on the Budget,
14 \$11,990,000; Committee on Education and Workforce,
15 \$20,159,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce,
16 \$28,800,000; Committee on Ethics, \$9,276,290; Com-
17 mittee on Financial Services, \$21,250,000; Committee on
18 Foreign Affairs, \$22,700,000; Committee on Homeland

1 Security, \$19,750,000; Committee on House Administra-
2 tion, \$16,885,446; Permanent Select Committee on Intel-
3 ligence, \$18,610,000; Committee on the Judiciary,
4 \$30,250,000; Committee on Natural Resources,
5 \$18,600,000; Committee on Oversight and Government
6 Reform, \$30,651,000; Committee on Rules, \$8,544,396;
7 Committee on Science, Space, and Technology,
8 \$15,232,000; Committee on Small Business, \$8,100,000;
9 Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between
10 the United States and the Chinese Communist Party,
11 \$10,250,000; Committee on Transportation and Infra-
12 structure, \$22,854,319; Committee on Veterans' Affairs,
13 \$11,916,000; and Committee on Ways and Means,
14 \$26,600,000.

15 **SEC. 2. FIRST SESSION LIMITATIONS.**

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

22 (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees
23 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee
24 on Agriculture, \$7,231,375; Committee on Armed Serv-
25 ices, \$12,988,535; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000;

1 Committee on Education and Workforce, \$10,059,000;
2 Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$14,300,000; Com-
3 mittee on Ethics, \$4,530,566; Committee on Financial
4 Services, \$10,500,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs,
5 \$11,200,000; Committee on Homeland Security,
6 \$9,750,000; Committee on House Administration,
7 \$8,031,523; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,
8 \$9,305,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$15,000,000;
9 Committee on Natural Resources, \$9,175,000; Committee
10 on Oversight and Government Reform, \$15,151,000; Com-
11 mittee on Rules, \$4,272,198; Committee on Science,
12 Space, and Technology, \$7,466,000; Committee on Small
13 Business, \$4,000,000; Select Committee on the Strategic
14 Competition Between the United States and the Chinese
15 Communist Party, \$5,000,000; Committee on Transpor-
16 tation and Infrastructure, \$11,427,160; Committee on
17 Veterans' Affairs, \$5,870,000; and Committee on Ways
18 and Means, \$13,100,000.

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

20 (a) IN GENERAL.—Of the amount provided for in
21 section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not
22 more than the amount specified in such subsection shall
23 be available for expenses incurred during the period begin-
24 ning at noon on January 3, 2026, and ending immediately
25 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

1 the chair of such committee, and approved in the manner
2 directed by the Committee on House Administration.

3 **SEC. 5. REGULATIONS.**

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

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

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

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

13 (1) \$2,000,000 shall be available for unantici-
14 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning
15 at noon on January 3, 2025, and ending imme-
16 diately before noon on January 3, 2026; and

17 (2) \$2,000,000 shall be available for unantici-
18 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning
19 at noon on January 3, 2026, and ending imme-
20 diately before noon on January 3, 2027.

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

1 **SEC. 7. ADJUSTMENT AUTHORITY.**

2 The Committee on House Administration shall have
3 authority to make adjustments in amounts under section
4 1, if necessary to comply with an order of the President
5 issued under section 251A or 254 of the Balanced Budget
6 and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or to conform
7 to any change in appropriations for the purposes of such
8 section 1.

