AMENDMENTS TO THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS BILL
FY2023

Full Committee Markup
House Appropriations Committee
June 22, 2022
MANAGER’S AMENDMENT TO LEGISLATIVE
BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2023
OFFERED BY MR. RYAN OF OHIO

AMENDMENTS TO THE BILL

Page 11, line 21, strike colon after “shall” and insert dash.

Page 13, line 6, insert “Branch” after “Legislative”.

Page 13, line 8 through page 14, line 16, move text of the material 2 ems to the left.

Page 21, line 2, strike “redesignated” and insert “redesignated”.

AMENDMENT TO THE REPORT

On page 35 of the report, within the table that summarizes the allocation of funds by appropriation account, strike “$585,376,0000” and insert “$585,376,000”.

On page 38 of the report, within the paragraph headed “Preservation of the Collection”, strike “$500,000” and insert “$1,000,000”.

On page 40 of the report, strike the paragraph headed “BARD Modernization”, and insert:
"BARD Modernization: The Committee continues to support the modernization of Braille and Audio Reading Download (BARD) Infrastructure and provides the request for the program, which distributes audio and electronic braille materials. The program has transitioned these services to a cloud-based environment."

On page 41 of the report, after "libraries nationwide", insert the following new paragraph:

"Access to Documents: GPO, in coordination with the Committee, is directed to ensure the govinfo website contains information that allows the public to better understand the Legislative Branch agencies."

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REPURPOSING HOUSE RESOURCES


The Committee directs the United States Capitol Police in coordination with the House Sergeant at Arms to repurpose the magnetometers used to screen Members of Congress prior to entering the House Floor so that they may be better utilized at the external doors of the House Office Buildings to alleviate the long lines of visitors and staff trying to gain access to their Member’s offices and to help facilitate the further reopening of the House to the public.
AMENDMENT TO LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

APPROPRIATIONS BILL

OFFERED BY Ms. Herrera Beutler.

Page 14, insert after line 19 the following new section:

1 PROHIBITING USE OF FUNDS FOR NEW STUDIES AND
2 REPORTS UNTIL THE CAPITOL COMPLEX IS REOPENED
3 SEC. 115. None of the funds made available by this
4 Act may be used by any office of the House of Representa-
5 tives to carry out any study or submit any report which
6 is required under the report of the Committee on Approp-
7riations of the House of Representatives accompanying
8 the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2023, unless
9 the United States Capitol Complex, including the House
10 Office Buildings, is open to visitors to the same extent
11 as the Complex was open to visitors prior to the COVID-
12 19 Pandemic.
AMENDMENT TO LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
APPROPRIATIONS BILL
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1 Page 21, line 9 strike "$8,000,000" and insert "$7,500,000".