

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE**  
**TO H. RES. 197**  
**OFFERED BY M .**

Strike all after the resolving clause and insert the following:

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

(a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred Eighteenth 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, \$14,194,000; Committee on Armed Services, \$24,740,000; Committee on the Budget, \$11,990,000; Committee on Education and the Workforce, \$18,674,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$27,411,000; Committee on Ethics, \$9,276,000; Committee on Financial Services, \$20,370,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$21,654,000; Committee on Homeland

1 Security, \$18,778,000; Committee on House Administra-  
2 tion, \$15,307,000; Permanent Select Committee on Intel-  
3 ligence, \$17,195,000; Committee on the Judiciary,  
4 \$22,714,000; Committee on Natural Resources,  
5 \$17,546,000; Committee on Oversight and Accountability,  
6 \$29,923,000; Committee on Rules, \$8,336,000; Com-  
7 mittee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$14,111,000;  
8 Committee on Small Business, \$7,370,000; Select Com-  
9 mittee on the Strategic Competition Between the United  
10 States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$8,892,000;  
11 Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,  
12 \$21,766,000; Committee on Veterans' Affairs,  
13 \$10,753,000; and Committee on Ways and Means,  
14 \$24,232,000.

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, 2023, and ending immediately  
21 before noon on January 3, 2024.

22 (b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees  
23 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee  
24 on Agriculture, \$7,097,000; Committee on Armed Serv-  
25 ices, \$11,716,000; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000;

1 Committee on Education and the Workforce, \$9,065,000;  
2 Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$13,611,000; Com-  
3 mittee on Ethics, \$4,517,000; Committee on Financial  
4 Services, \$10,185,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs,  
5 \$10,827,000; Committee on Homeland Security,  
6 \$9,389,000; Committee on House Administration,  
7 \$7,405,000; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,  
8 \$8,197,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$11,357,000;  
9 Committee on Natural Resources, \$8,773,000; Committee  
10 on Oversight and Accountability, \$14,772,000; Committee  
11 on Rules, \$4,168,000; Committee on Science, Space, and  
12 Technology, \$6,845,000; Committee on Small Business,  
13 \$3,621,000; Select Committee on the Strategic Competi-  
14 tion Between the United States and the Chinese Com-  
15 munist Party, \$4,471,000; Committee on Transportation  
16 and Infrastructure, \$10,883,000; Committee on Veterans'  
17 Affairs, \$5,271,000; and Committee on Ways and Means,  
18 \$11,540,000.

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, 2024, and ending immediately  
25 before noon on January 3, 2025.

(b) COMMITTEES AND AMOUNTS.—The committees and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee on Agriculture, \$7,097,000; Committee on Armed Services, \$13,024,000; Committee on the Budget, \$5,995,000; Committee on Education and the Workforce, \$9,609,000; Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$13,800,000; Committee on Ethics, \$4,759,000; Committee on Financial Services, \$10,185,000; Committee on Foreign Affairs, \$10,827,000; Committee on Homeland Security, \$9,389,000; Committee on House Administration, \$7,902,000; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, \$8,998,000; Committee on the Judiciary, \$11,357,000; Committee on Natural Resources, \$8,773,000; Committee on Oversight and Accountability, \$15,151,000; Committee on Rules, \$4,168,000; Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, \$7,266,000; Committee on Small Business, \$3,749,000; Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party, \$4,421,000; Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, \$10,883,000; Committee on Veterans' Affairs, \$5,482,000; and Committee on Ways and Means, \$12,692,000.

**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 Eighteenth Congress.

11 (b) AMOUNT.—The reserve fund under this section  
12 shall have a balance of \$18,000,000, of which—

13 (1) \$9,000,000 shall be available for unantici-  
14 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning  
15 at noon on January 3, 2023, and ending imme-  
16 diately before noon on January 3, 2024; and

17 (2) \$9,000,000 shall be available for unantici-  
18 pated expenses incurred during the period beginning  
19 at noon on January 3, 2024, and ending imme-  
20 diately before noon on January 3, 2025.

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.

