IN THE MATTER OF ALLEGATIONS RELATING TO REPRESENTATIVE LUIS V. GUTIÉRREZ

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

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ONE HUNDRED FIFTEENTH CONGRESS

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Hon. KAREN L. HAAS,
Clerk, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

Dear Ms. Haas: Pursuant to clauses 3(a)(2) and 3(b) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, we herewith transmit the attached report, “In the Matter of Allegations Relating to Representative Luis V. Gutiérrez.”

Sincerely,

SUSAN W. BROOKS,
Chairwoman.

THEODORE E. DEUTCH,
Ranking Member.

(III)
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Mrs. Brooks of Indiana, from the Committee on Ethics,
submitted the following

REPORT

In accordance with House rule XI, clauses 3(a)(2) and 3(b), the Committee on Ethics (Committee) hereby submits the following Report to the House of Representatives:

I. FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

On September 13, 2017, the Committee convened for the purpose of considering the August 15, 2017, arrest of Representative Luis V. Gutierrez, for Inciting or Unlawful Assembly, during a protest outside the White House in Washington, D.C. Representative Gutierrez paid a $50 fine and was released following his arrest. The legal proceedings related to Representative Gutierrez's arrest are now resolved.

The Committee voted against impaneling an investigative subcommittee in this matter. The Committee considered the scope and nature of the conduct described above and determined that review by an investigative subcommittee is not required in this matter.

The Committee has determined to take no further action in this matter, and upon publication of this Report, considers the matter closed.

II. STATEMENT UNDER HOUSE RULE XIII, CLAUSE 3(C)

The Committee made no special oversight findings in this Report. No budget statement is submitted. No funding is authorized by any measure in this Report.

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