

March 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007, from October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008, and from October 1, 2008 through February 28, 2009, in the Committee's discretion—

(1) to make expenditures from the contingent fund of the Senate;

(2) to employ personnel; and

(3) with the prior consent of the department or agency of the United States concerned and the Committee on Rules and Administration, to use on a reimbursable or nonreimbursable basis, the services of personnel of any such department or agency.

SEC. 2. AMOUNT OF EXPENDITURES.

(a) MARCH 1, 2007 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2007.—The expenses of the Select Committee on Intelligence for the period March 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007, under this resolution shall not exceed \$3,334,682.15, of which amount—

(1) not to exceed \$32,083.00 may be expended for the procurement of the services of individual consultants, or organizations thereof (as authorized by section 202(i) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(i)); and

(2) not to exceed \$5,834.00 may be expended for the training of the professional staff of such Committee (under procedures specified by section 202(j) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(j)).

(b) OCTOBER 1, 2007 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2008.—For the period October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008, expenses of the Select Committee on Intelligence under this resolution shall not exceed \$5,848,084.42, of which amount—

(1) not to exceed \$55,000.00 may be expended for the procurement of the services of individual consultants or organizations thereof (as authorized by section 202(i) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(i)); and

(2) not to exceed \$10,000.00 may be expended for the training of the professional staff of such Committee (under procedures specified by section 202(j) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(j)).

(c) OCTOBER 1, 2008 THROUGH FEBRUARY 28, 2009.—For the period October 1, 2008 through February 28, 2009, expenses of the Select Committee on Intelligence under this resolution shall not exceed \$2,483,179.75, of which amount—

(1) not to exceed \$22,917.00 may be expended for the procurement of the services of individual consultants, or organizations thereof (as authorized by section 202(i) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 194 (2 U.S.C. 72a(i)); and

(2) not to exceed \$4,166.00 may be expended for the training of the professional staff of such Committee (under procedures specified by section 202(j) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(j)).

SEC. 3. REPORT.

The Select Committee on Intelligence shall report the Committee's findings, together with such recommendations for legislation as the Committee deems advisable, to the Senate at the earliest practicable date, but not later than February 28, 2009.

SEC. 4. EXPENSES PAID FROM THE CONTINGENT FUND.

Expenses of the Select Committee on Intelligence authorized to be paid under this resolution shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the Committee, except that vouchers shall not be required—

(1) for the disbursement of salaries of employees paid at an annual rate;

(2) for the payment of telecommunications provided by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper, United States Senate;

(3) for the payment of stationery supplies purchased through the Keeper of the Stationery, United States Senate;

(4) for payments to the Postmaster, United States Senate;

(5) for the payment of metered charges on copying equipment provided by the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper, United States Senate;

(6) for the payment of Senate Recording and Photographic Services; or

(7) for payment of franked and mass mail costs by the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper, United States Senate.

SEC. 5. AUTHORITY FOR AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS.

There are authorized such sums as may be necessary for agency contributions related to the compensation of employees of the Select Committee on Intelligence, from March 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007, from October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008, and from October 1, 2008 through February 28, 2009, to be paid from the Appropriations account for "Expenses of Inquiries and Investigations".

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 222. Mr. REID submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide for an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 223. Mr. REID submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 224. Ms. LANDRIEU submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 219 submitted by Ms. LANDRIEU and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 100 proposed by Mr. REID (for Mr. BAUCUS) to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 225. Mr. KENNEDY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 118 proposed by Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. BURR) to the amendment SA 100 proposed by Mr. REID (for Mr. BAUCUS) to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 226. Mr. HATCH submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 227. Mr. REID submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 118 proposed by Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. BURR) to the amendment SA 100 proposed by Mr. REID (for Mr. BAUCUS) to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 228. Mr. SMITH submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 166 submitted by Mr. SMITH and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 2, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 222. Mr. REID submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide for an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of the amendment add the following:

This section shall take effect one day after date of enactment.

SA 223. Mr. REID submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by

him to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide for an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of the amendment add the following:

This section shall take effect one day after date of enactment.

SA 224. Ms. LANDRIEU submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 219 submitted by Ms. LANDRIEU and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 100 proposed by Mr. REID (for Mr. BAUCUS) to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 5 of the amendment, strike lines 3 through 6, and insert the following:

(e) APPLICABLE CALENDAR QUARTER.—For purposes of this section, the term "applicable calendar quarter" means any calendar quarter beginning after the date of the enactment of this Act and before January 1, 2008.

SA 225. Mr. KENNEDY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 118 proposed by Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. BURR) to the amendment SA 100 proposed by Mr. REID (for Mr. BAUCUS) to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

Strike all after the first word of the matter to be inserted and insert the following:

. WAGES FOR AGRICULTURAL WORKERS.

Section (6)(a)(5) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (29 U.S.C. 206(a)(5)) is amended to read as follows:

"(5) if such employee is employed in agriculture, not less than the greater of—

"(A) the minimum wage rate in effect under paragraph (1) after December 31, 1977; or

"(B) the prevailing wage established by the Occupational Employment Statistics program, or other wage survey, conducted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the county of intended employment, for workers who are employed in agriculture in the area of work to be performed."

SA 226. Mr. HATCH submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide an increase in the Federal minimum wage; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. . PROVISIONS TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE AVAILABILITY OF HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.

(a) PROVISIONS RELATING TO ELIGIBILITY TO CONTRIBUTE TO HSAS.—

(1) INDIVIDUALS ELIGIBLE FOR REIMBURSEMENT UNDER SPOUSE'S FLEXIBLE SPENDING ARRANGEMENT.—Section 223(c)(1) (defining eligible individual) is amended by adding at the end the following new subparagraph:

"(C) SPECIAL RULE FOR CERTAIN FLEXIBLE SPENDING ARRANGEMENTS.—For purposes of subparagraph (A)(ii), an individual shall not