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Description/Title of Attached Forms: Revised form RE-1

Initial filing included incorrect information on form RE-1

Purpose of Amendment (describe the reason for amending original submission):

(Signature of Traveler)

EMPLOYEE PRE-TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION

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Pre-Travel Filing Instructions: Complete and submit this form at least 30 days prior to the travel departure date to the **Select Committee on Ethics in SH-220**. Incomplete and late travel submissions will **not** be considered or approved. This form **must** be typed and is available as a fillable PDF on the Committee's website at ethics.senate.gov. Retain a copy of your entire pre-travel submission for your required post-travel disclosure.

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Name of Traveler: Benjamin Voelkel

Employing Office/Committee: Senator Ron Johnson

Private Sponsor(s) (list all): Atlantic Council

Travel date(s): August 24-August 31, 2019

*Note: If you plan to extend the trip for any reason you **must** notify the Committee.*

Destination(s): Kyiv and Kharkiv, Ukraine (with a day trip to Kramatorsk, Ukraine)

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties:

I advise Senator Johnson on issues pertaining to Senator Johnson's Chairmanship of the Europe Subcommittee of the Foreign Relations Committee. My works involves advising Senator Johnson on how best to communicate his positions to better advance his policy priorities with respect to Ukraine. The meetings and briefings on this trip will focus on foreign policy issues with respect to Ukraine, and will therefore better equip me to advise Senator Johnson on Ukraine and other European relations matters.

Name of accompanying family member (if any): none

Relationship to Employee: ☐ Spouse ☐ Child

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge:

7/30/19
(Date)


(Signature of Employee)

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING SENATOR/OFFICER (President of the Senate, Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms, Secretary for the Majority, Secretary for the Minority, and Chaplain):

I, Senator Ron Johnson hereby authorize Benjamin Voelkel
(Print Senator's/Officer's Name) (Print Traveler's Name)

an employee under my direct supervision, to accept payment or reimbursement for necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses for travel to the event described above. I have determined that this travel is in connection with his or her duties as a Senate employee or an officeholder, and will not create the appearance that he or she is using public office for private gain.

I have also determined that the attendance of the employee's spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the Senate. (signify "yes" by checking box) ☐

7/29/19
(Date)


(Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer)