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Name of Traveler: Marisa Morin

Employing Office/Committee: Senate Finance Committee

Travel Expenses Paid by (List all sources): Casey Family Programs

Travel Date(s): February 18 - 19, 2019

Description/Title of Attached Forms: Invitation from Casey Family Programs

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

3/10/20
(Date)

Marisa R. Morin
(Signature of Traveler)

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January 15, 2020

Marisa Morin
Senior Adviser, Children and Families
U.S. Senate Committee on Finance
219 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Marisa,

I would like to invite you to a one day educational site visit on Tuesday, February 18, 2020 to New Orleans, Louisiana to meet with judicial, state and local officials in New Orleans to learn about efforts to prevent unnecessary placement in foster care and strengthen families. The visit will include a look at the different roles of the state, courts, and community in supporting families, and how each works together in this effort. Casey Family Programs is the nation's largest private operating foundation focused exclusively on safely reducing the needs for foster care in this country and building communities of hope. We believe there is nothing more urgent than working together to ensure every child in this country has a safe, permanent family in which they can thrive.

I am attaching to this letter the draft itinerary for the trip, including the presentations and issues that will be addressed during this visit. Also enclosed is a completed Congressional Travel Certification Form.

New Orleans has seen a significant decrease in the number of children in foster care. This visit will highlight efforts of the court and state to reduce unnecessary entry into foster care and the trauma it can impose and increase permanency for children, and offer opportunities to discuss different approaches to keeping children safe and families together.

The trip will begin with a morning flight from Washington National Airport (DCA) on February 18 (boarding at 8:00 am) and will end with a flight back to DCA on February 19, 2020 (arriving to DCA at 11:00 am). Casey Family Programs will, in accordance with respective U.S. House and Senate Ethics Committees[1], arrange for and directly pay for the costs for the flight to and from New Orleans and other travel-related costs, including transportation, lodging and meals while in New Orleans. Incidental expenses cannot be reimbursed.

[1] As a private foundation, Casey Family Programs is also required to only pay federal per diem rates for Congressional Members or staff in accordance with Treas. Reg. 26. CFR § 53.4941(d)(3).

If you have any questions about this trip, please be in touch with me at 202-728-2001 or ccalpin@casey.org. Space is limited, so I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Christine Calpin
Managing Director-Public Policy
Casey Family Programs