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COVER SHEET FOR AMENDMENT OF POST-TRAVEL SUBMISSION

Instructions: Use this form as a cover sheet for any paperwork you may need to submit to the **Office of Public Records** in order to make your Privately Sponsored Post-Travel Submission complete in accordance with Rule 35. **Only complete this form if you need to submit an amendment to a post-travel filing you have already submitted.**

SUBMIT DIRECTLY TO THE **OFFICE OF PUBLIC RECORDS IN 232 HART BUILDING**

Name of Traveler: Clare Slattery

Employing Office/Committee: Office of U.S. Senator Marco Rubio

Travel Expenses Paid by (List all sources): Partnership for a Secure America

Travel Date(s): 11/13/2021

Description/Title of Attached Forms: Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form and complete version of trip itinerary.

Purpose of Amendment (describe the reason for amending original submission): Accidentally omitted a few pages of these forms when I originally turned them. Resubmitting at the request of an Ethics staff member, Madeline Dang.

7/7/2022
(Date)

(Signature of Traveler)

(Revised 4/19/2010)

PRIVATE SPONSOR TRAVEL CERTIFICATION FORM

This form must be completed by any private entity offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to Senate Members, officers, or employees (Senate Rule 35, clause 2). Each sponsor of a fact-finding trip must sign the completed form. The trip sponsor(s) must provide a copy of the completed form to each invited Senate traveler, who will then forward it to the Ethics Committee with any other required materials. The trip sponsor(s) should **NOT** submit the form directly to the Ethics Committee. Please consult the accompanying instructions for more detailed definitions and other key information.

The Senate Member, officer, or employee **MUST** also provide a copy of this form, along with the appropriate travel authorization and reimbursement form, to the Office of Public Records (OPR), Room 232 of the Hart Building, within thirty (30) days after the travel is completed.

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1. Sponsor(s) of the trip (please list all sponsors): Partnership for a Secure America (PSA)

2. Description of the trip: Congressional staff weekend of foreign policy and national security lectures.

3. Dates of travel: November 13, 2021

4. Place of travel: Airlie Conference Center, 6809 Airlie Road, Warrenton, VA 20187

5. Name and title of Senate invitees: See attached list.

6. I *certify* that the trip fits one of the following categories:

☒ (A) The sponsor(s) are not registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal **and** do not retain or employ registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal **and** no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee *at any point* throughout the trip.

– OR –

☐ (B) The sponsor or sponsors are not registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal, but retain or employ one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal and the trip meets the requirements of Senate Rule 35.2(a)(2)(A)(i) or (ii) *(see question 9)*.

7. ☒ I *certify* that the trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.

– AND –

☒ I *certify* that the sponsor or sponsors will not accept funds or in-kind contributions earmarked directly or indirectly for the purpose of financing this specific trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal.

8. I *certify* that:

☒ The trip will not in any part be planned, organized, requested, or arranged by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal except for *de minimis* lobbyist involvement.

– AND –

☒ The traveler will not be accompanied on the trip by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal except as provided for by Committee regulations relating to lobbyist accompaniment (*see question 9*).

9. **USE ONLY IF YOU CHECKED QUESTION 6(B)**
I *certify* that if the sponsor or sponsors retain or employ one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal, one of the following scenarios applies:

☐ (A) The trip is for attendance or participation in a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **one** overnight stay) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee *on any segment* of the trip.

– OR –

☐ (B) The trip is for attendance or participation in a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **two** overnight stays) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee *on any segment* of the trip (*see questions 6 and 10)*.

– OR –

☐ (C) The trip is being sponsored only by an organization or organizations designated under § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee *at any point* throughout the trip.

10. **USE ONLY IF YOU CHECKED QUESTION 9(B)**
If the trip includes two overnight stays, please explain why the second night is practically required for Senate invitees to participate in the travel:

11. ☒ An itinerary for the trip is attached to this form. I *certify* that the attached itinerary is a detailed (hour-by-hour), complete, and final itinerary for the trip.

12. Briefly describe the role of each sponsor in organizing and conducting the trip:

PSA is solely responsible for planning and conducting this trip.

13. Briefly describe the stated mission of each sponsor and how the purpose of the trip relates to that mission:

PSA's mission is to promote bipartisanship in national security and foreign policy. This trip will bring together staff from both parties to build cross-party relationships and discuss diverse perspectives on pressing issues in the national security and foreign policy arena.

14. Briefly describe each sponsor's prior history of sponsoring congressional trips:

This will be the 12th year of this such program and trip.

15. Briefly describe the educational activities performed by each sponsor (other than sponsoring congressional trips):

In addition to this congressional staff program, PSA releases high-level bipartisan policy statements on a range of foreign policy topics. These statements are generally available to the public.

16. Total Expenses for Each Participant:

	Transportation Expenses	Lodging Expenses	Meal Expenses	Other Expenses
☒ Good Faith estimate ☐ Actual Amounts	$35		$59	$109 conference services. This includes cost of breakout room, A/V equipment, and incidental snacks/refreshments.

17. State whether a) the trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation **or** b) the trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *specifically with regard* to congressional participation:

This trip is organized specifically with regard to congressional staff participation.

18. Reason for selecting the location of the event or trip

It is close to Washington, DC, but also provides a remote setting that will encourage participants to step outside their daily roles as congressional staff.

19. Name and location of hotel or other lodging facility:

This is a day long event without the need for overnight accommodations.

20. Reason(s) for selecting hotel or other lodging facility:

21. Describe how the daily expenses for lodging, meals, and other expenses provided to trip participants compares to the maximum per diem rates for official Federal Government travel:

Meals are at the per diem rate.

22. Describe the type and class of transportation being provided. Indicate whether coach, business-class or first class transportation will be provided. If first-class fare is being provided, please explain why first-class travel is necessary:

Participants will be transported round trip by coach bus.

23. ☒ I represent that the travel expenses that will be paid for or reimbursed to Senate invitees do not include expenditures for recreational activities, alcohol, or entertainment (other than entertainment provided to all attendees as an integral part of the event, as permissible under Senate Rule 35).

24. List any entertainment that will be provided to, paid for, or reimbursed to Senate invitees and explain why the entertainment is an integral part of the event:

None.

25. I hereby *certify* that the information contained herein is true, complete and correct. (For trips involving more than one sponsor, you *must* include a completed signature page for each additional sponsor):

Signature of Travel Sponsor: Curtis M. Silvers

Name and Title: Curtis Silvers, Executive Director

Name of Organization: Partnership for a Secure America

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PARTNERSHIP FOR A SECURE AMERICA

Congressional Partnership Program

Itinerary

9:00 AM	**Departure from Union Station, Washington D.C.**	
10:30 AM	**Arrive at Airlie Conference Center & Check-in**	
11:00 AM – 11:15 AM	**Opening Remarks & Event Review** *(Meadow Room)* Attendees will review their substantive materials for the day. Andy Semmel, Chairman of Partnership for a Secure America (PSA), will outline retreat agenda, provide logistical information for the day (i.e. location of restrooms, where to store any bags, etc.).	
11:15 AM – 12:15 PM	**Bipartisan Speaker Panel** *(Meadow Room)* Featuring: Jordan Tama, Associate Professor, American University School of International Service (*confirmed*), and James Bryan, American University School of International Service (*confirmed)* Both speakers will talk about bipartisan collaboration in Congress. Building upon recent analysis, the speakers will discuss their findings on the rates of bipartisan collaboration on foreign policy related issues. This will illustrate to participants avenues for bipartisan collaboration and processes whereby they can better achieve their Members' legislative and policy goals. For approximately half the time, staff will have the opportunity to directly ask speakers question relevant to their duties.	
12:15 PM – 2:00 PM	**Lunch Break and Speaker Meeting & Greet** *(Airlie Dining Room)* Attendees will break for lunch in the Airlie Dining Room. Participants will have an opportunity to informally engage their colleagues, PSA staff, and speakers. Participants will converse with colleagues, PSA staff, and speakers on matters relevant to their duties and the scheduled event discussions.	
2:00 PM - 2:05 PM	Attendees will be split up into two groups for afternoon discussions.	
2:10 PM – 3:10 PM	**Group A -*The Future of US Foreign Policy*** *(Meadow Room)* Featuring: George Beebe, Vice President of the Center for the National Interest and a former intelligence officer (*confirmed)* Mr. Beebe will lead a discussion on the current and future dynamics of US foreign policy at home and abroad. He will review historical trends that have led up to the current day. Mr. Beebe will offer perspective on the perceived transitional period that the US and its	**Group B – *Environmental Security: From COVID to COP26*** *(Jefferson Room)* Featuring: Sherri Goodman, Senior Fellow, Wilson Center (*confirmed)* Ms. Goodman will discuss security and foreign policy considerations as it relates to climate change, and how the US may be a responsible leader on the issue. For approximately half the time, staff will have the opportunity to directly ask speakers question relevant to their duties.

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3:15 PM – 4:15 PM	**Group A – *Environmental Security: From COVID to COP26*** *(Jefferson Room)* Featuring: Sherri Goodman, Senior Fellow, Wilson Center (*confirmed)* Ms. Goodman will discuss security and foreign policy considerations as it relates to climate change, and how the US may be a responsible leader on the issue. For approximately half the time, staff will have the opportunity to directly ask speakers question relevant to their duties.	**Group B - *The Future of US Foreign Policy*** *(Meadow Room)* Featuring: George Beebe, Vice President of the Center for the National Interest and a former intelligence officer (*confirmed)* Mr. Beebe will lead a discussion on the current and future dynamics of US foreign policy at home and abroad. He will review historical trends that have led up to the current day. Mr. Beebe will offer perspective on the perceived transitional period that the US and its allies are facing. This discussion will examine how the US can understand the current foreign affair environment and define its goals for the future. For approximately half the time, staff will have the opportunity to directly ask speakers question relevant to their duties.
4:20 PM – 5:20 PM	**Predinner Reception** *(Federal Room)* Attendees will have an opportunity to informally engage their colleagues, PSA staff, and speakers. Participants will converse with colleagues, PSA staff, and speakers on matters relevant to their duties and the scheduled event discussions.	
5:20 PM - 7:20 PM	**Keynote Dinner** *(Federal Room)* Featuring: Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Charles Hooper, Member of PSA's Advisory Board (*confirmed)* Speaker will discuss his experiences as Director of the Defense Security Cooperation Agency, the U.S. Defense Attaché to China and the Senior U.S. military officer in Egypt. There will be an emphasis on how he interacted with Members of Congress and their staffer while holding each position. For approximately half the time, staff will have the opportunity to directly ask speakers question relevant to their duties.	
7:30 PM	**Event Ends** Departure from Airlie. Buses will return back to Union Station, Washington DC, for drop off.	