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## HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE APPROVES GPO'S FY2019 FUNDING REQUEST

WASHINGTON – The U.S. House of Representatives' Subcommittee on Legislative Branch Appropriations approved the U.S. Government Publishing Office's (GPO) full funding request for the fiscal year 2019 Legislative Branch Appropriations bill. At \$117 million, GPO's request is \$68,000 less compared with funding approved for FY 2018. Since 2010, GPO's appropriations have declined by nearly 21%.

"We commend the GPO for their ability to do more with less," said Chairman Kevin Yoder during the Subcommittee's mark-up of the bill. "Their funding has slightly decreased which is a testament to their adoption of technology and extremely hard work."

"GPO deeply appreciates the House Subcommittee's support as we continue to modernize our operations for Congress, Federal agencies, and the public, "said GPO Acting Deputy Director Andrew M. Sherman.

The FY 2019 request will enable GPO to:

- meet projected requirements for congressional publishing;
- fund the operation of the public information programs of the Superintendent of Documents; and
- develop information technology, including cybersecurity, in systems that support the agency's congressional publishing and public information programs operations.

GPO's FY 2019 Appropriations Request:

https://www.gpo.gov/docs/default-source/congressional-relations-pdffiles/testimonies/sherman house prepared statement 4 2018.pdf

GPO's Appropriations Hearing:

https://appropriations.house.gov/calendar/eventsingle.aspx?EventID=395215

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