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May 23, 2022

The Honorable Cheryl L. Johnson Clerk, House of Representatives H-154, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ms. Johnson:

Pursuant to clauses 3(a)(2) and 3(b) of Rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, we herewith transmit the attached report, "In the Matter of Allegations Relating to Representative Madison Cawthorn."

Sincerely,

Theodore E. Deutch Chairman

Jackie Walorski Ranking Member

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In accordance with Rule 18(e)(2) of the Committee on Ethics (Committee), the Committee hereby submits the following Report to the House of Representatives:

#### I. FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

On May 11, 2022, the Committee convened for the purpose of considering misdemeanor charges filed against Representative Madison Cawthorn, for driving with a revoked license and speeding in North Carolina. Representative Cawthorn informed the Committee he has paid a fine to resolve one of the charges and intends to pay any fines associated with the remaining charges.

The Committee voted against impanelling an investigative subcommittee in this matter. The Committee considered the scope and nature of the conduct described above and determined that review by an investigative subcommittee is not required in this matter. The Committee believes that the handling of this matter by local authorities is sufficient given the facts of the matter.

The Committee has determined to take no further action in this matter, and upon publication of this Report, considers the matter closed.

#### II. STATEMENT UNDER HOUSE RULE XIII, CLAUSE 3(C)

The Committee made no special oversight findings in this Report. No budget statement is submitted. No funding is authorized by any measure in this Report.