

***In the Senate of the United States,***

*August 1, 2018.*

*Resolved*, That the bill from the House of Representatives (H.R. 6147) entitled “An Act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes.”, do pass with the following

**AMENDMENT:**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 ***SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.***

2 *This Act may be cited as “Interior, Environment, Fi-*  
3 *nancial Services and General Government, Agriculture,*  
4 *Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and*  
5 *Transportation, Housing and Urban Development Appro-*  
6 *priations Act, 2019”.*

7 ***SEC. 2. REFERENCES TO ACT.***

8 *Except as expressly provided otherwise, any reference*  
9 *to “this Act” contained in any division of this Act shall*

1 *be treated as referring only to the provisions of that divi-*  
2 *sion.*

3 **SEC. 3. REFERENCES TO REPORT.**

4 (a) *Any reference to a “report accompanying this Act”*  
5 *contained in division A shall be treated as a reference to*  
6 *Senate Report 115–276. The effect of such Report shall be*  
7 *limited to division A and shall apply for purposes of deter-*  
8 *mining the allocation of funds provided by, and the imple-*  
9 *mentation of, division A.*

10 (b) *Any reference to a “report accompanying this Act”*  
11 *contained in division B shall be treated as a reference to*  
12 *Senate Report 115–281. The effect of such Report shall be*  
13 *limited to division B and shall apply for purposes of deter-*  
14 *mining the allocation of funds provided by, and the imple-*  
15 *mentation of, division B.*

16 (c) *Any reference to a “report accompanying this Act”*  
17 *contained in division C shall be treated as a reference to*  
18 *Senate Report 115–259. The effect of such Report shall be*  
19 *limited to division C and shall apply for purposes of deter-*  
20 *mining the allocation of funds provided by, and the imple-*  
21 *mentation of, division C.*

22 (d) *Any reference to a “report accompanying this Act”*  
23 *contained in division D shall be treated as a reference to*  
24 *Senate Report 115–268. The effect of such Report shall be*  
25 *limited to division D and shall apply for purposes of deter-*

1 *mining the allocation of funds provided by, and the imple-*  
2 *mentation of, division D.*

3 ***DIVISION A—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTE-***  
4 ***RIOR, ENVIRONMENT, AND RELATED***  
5 ***AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2019***

6 *That the following sums are appropriated, out of any*  
7 *money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the*  
8 *Department of the Interior, environment, and related agen-*  
9 *cies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for*  
10 *other purposes, namely:*

11 ***TITLE I***

12 ***DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR***

13 ***BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT***

14 ***MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES***

15 *For necessary expenses for protection, use, improve-*  
16 *ment, development, disposal, cadastral surveying, classifica-*  
17 *tion, acquisition of easements and other interests in lands,*  
18 *and performance of other functions, including maintenance*  
19 *of facilities, as authorized by law, in the management of*  
20 *lands and their resources under the jurisdiction of the Bu-*  
21 *reau of Land Management, including the general adminis-*  
22 *tration of the Bureau, and assessment of mineral potential*  
23 *of public lands pursuant to section 1010(a) of Public Law*  
24 *96–487 (16 U.S.C. 3150(a)), \$1,196,143,000, to remain*  
25 *available until expended, including all such amounts as are*

1 collected from permit processing fees, as authorized but  
2 made subject to future appropriation by section  
3 35(d)(3)(A)(i) of the Mineral Leasing Act (30 U.S.C. 191),  
4 except that amounts from permit processing fees may be  
5 used for any bureau-related expenses associated with the  
6 processing of oil and gas applications for permits to drill  
7 and related use of authorizations: Provided, That of the  
8 amounts made available under this heading, \$2,000,000  
9 shall be made available to carry out the Colorado River  
10 Basin salinity control program.

11 In addition, \$39,696,000 is for Mining Law Adminis-  
12 tration program operations, including the cost of admin-  
13 istering the mining claim fee program, to remain available  
14 until expended, to be reduced by amounts collected by the  
15 Bureau and credited to this appropriation from mining  
16 claim maintenance fees and location fees that are hereby  
17 authorized for fiscal year 2019, so as to result in a final  
18 appropriation estimated at not more than \$1,196,143,000,  
19 and \$2,000,000, to remain available until expended, from  
20 communication site rental fees established by the Bureau  
21 for the cost of administering communication site activities.

22 *LAND ACQUISITION*

23 For expenses necessary to carry out sections 205, 206,  
24 and 318(d) of Public Law 94-579, including administra-  
25 tive expenses and acquisition of lands or waters, or interests

1 *therein, \$26,016,000, to be derived from the Land and*  
2 *Water Conservation Fund and to remain available until*  
3 *expended.*

4 *OREGON AND CALIFORNIA GRANT LANDS*

5 *For expenses necessary for management, protection,*  
6 *and development of resources and for construction, oper-*  
7 *ation, and maintenance of access roads, reforestation, and*  
8 *other improvements on the revested Oregon and California*  
9 *Railroad grant lands, on other Federal lands in the Oregon*  
10 *and California land-grant counties of Oregon, and on adja-*  
11 *cent rights-of-way; and acquisition of lands or interests*  
12 *therein, including existing connecting roads on or adjacent*  
13 *to such grant lands; \$106,543,000, to remain available until*  
14 *expended: Provided, That 25 percent of the aggregate of all*  
15 *receipts during the current fiscal year from the revested Or-*  
16 *egon and California Railroad grant lands is hereby made*  
17 *a charge against the Oregon and California land-grant*  
18 *fund and shall be transferred to the General Fund in the*  
19 *Treasury in accordance with the second paragraph of sub-*  
20 *section (b) of title II of the Act of August 28, 1937 (43*  
21 *U.S.C. 2605).*

22 *RANGE IMPROVEMENTS*

23 *For rehabilitation, protection, and acquisition of lands*  
24 *and interests therein, and improvement of Federal range-*  
25 *lands pursuant to section 401 of the Federal Land Policy*

1 *and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1751), notwith-*  
2 *standing any other Act, sums equal to 50 percent of all*  
3 *moneys received during the prior fiscal year under sections*  
4 *3 and 15 of the Taylor Grazing Act (43 U.S.C. 315b, 315m)*  
5 *and the amount designated for range improvements from*  
6 *grazing fees and mineral leasing receipts from Bankhead-*  
7 *Jones lands transferred to the Department of the Interior*  
8 *pursuant to law, but not less than \$10,000,000, to remain*  
9 *available until expended: Provided, That not to exceed*  
10 *\$600,000 shall be available for administrative expenses.*

11 *SERVICE CHARGES, DEPOSITS, AND FORFEITURES*

12 *For administrative expenses and other costs related to*  
13 *processing application documents and other authorizations*  
14 *for use and disposal of public lands and resources, for costs*  
15 *of providing copies of official public land documents, for*  
16 *monitoring construction, operation, and termination of fa-*  
17 *cilities in conjunction with use authorizations, and for re-*  
18 *habilitation of damaged property, such amounts as may be*  
19 *collected under Public Law 94–579 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.),*  
20 *and under section 28 of the Mineral Leasing Act (30 U.S.C.*  
21 *185), to remain available until expended: Provided, That*  
22 *notwithstanding any provision to the contrary of section*  
23 *305(a) of Public Law 94–579 (43 U.S.C. 1735(a)), any*  
24 *moneys that have been or will be received pursuant to that*  
25 *section, whether as a result of forfeiture, compromise, or set-*

1 tlement, if not appropriate for refund pursuant to section  
2 305(c) of that Act (43 U.S.C. 1735(c)), shall be available  
3 and may be expended under the authority of this Act by  
4 the Secretary to improve, protect, or rehabilitate any public  
5 lands administered through the Bureau of Land Manage-  
6 ment which have been damaged by the action of a resource  
7 developer, purchaser, permittee, or any unauthorized per-  
8 son, without regard to whether all moneys collected from  
9 each such action are used on the exact lands damaged which  
10 led to the action: Provided further, That any such moneys  
11 that are in excess of amounts needed to repair damage to  
12 the exact land for which funds were collected may be used  
13 to repair other damaged public lands.

14 MISCELLANEOUS TRUST FUNDS

15 In addition to amounts authorized to be expended  
16 under existing laws, there is hereby appropriated such  
17 amounts as may be contributed under section 307 of Public  
18 Law 94-579 (43 U.S.C. 1737), and such amounts as may  
19 be advanced for administrative costs, surveys, appraisals,  
20 and costs of making conveyances of omitted lands under sec-  
21 tion 211(b) of that Act (43 U.S.C. 1721(b)), to remain  
22 available until expended.

23 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

24 The Bureau of Land Management may carry out the  
25 operations funded under this Act by direct expenditure, con-

1 *tracts, grants, cooperative agreements and reimbursable*  
2 *agreements with public and private entities, including with*  
3 *States. Appropriations for the Bureau shall be available for*  
4 *purchase, erection, and dismantlement of temporary struc-*  
5 *tures, and alteration and maintenance of necessary build-*  
6 *ings and appurtenant facilities to which the United States*  
7 *has title; up to \$100,000 for payments, at the discretion*  
8 *of the Secretary, for information or evidence concerning vio-*  
9 *lations of laws administered by the Bureau; miscellaneous*  
10 *and emergency expenses of enforcement activities authorized*  
11 *or approved by the Secretary and to be accounted for solely*  
12 *on the Secretary's certificate, not to exceed \$10,000: Pro-*  
13 *vided, That notwithstanding Public Law 90-620 (44 U.S.C.*  
14 *501), the Bureau may, under cooperative cost-sharing and*  
15 *partnership arrangements authorized by law, procure*  
16 *printing services from cooperators in connection with joint-*  
17 *ly produced publications for which the cooperators share the*  
18 *cost of printing either in cash or in services, and the Bureau*  
19 *determines the cooperator is capable of meeting accepted*  
20 *quality standards: Provided further, That projects to be*  
21 *funded pursuant to a written commitment by a State gov-*  
22 *ernment to provide an identified amount of money in sup-*  
23 *port of the project may be carried out by the Bureau on*  
24 *a reimbursable basis. Appropriations herein made shall not*  
25 *be available for the destruction of healthy, unadopted, wild*



1 *horses and burros in the care of the Bureau or its contrac-*  
2 *tors or for the sale of wild horses and burros that results*  
3 *in their destruction for processing into commercial prod-*  
4 *ucts.*

5 *UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE*

6 *RESOURCE MANAGEMENT*

7 *For necessary expenses of the United States Fish and*  
8 *Wildlife Service, as authorized by law, and for scientific*  
9 *and economic studies, general administration, and for the*  
10 *performance of other authorized functions related to such*  
11 *resources, \$1,292,067,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
12 *tember 30, 2020: Provided, That not to exceed \$17,818,000*  
13 *shall be used for implementing subsections (a), (b), (c), and*  
14 *(e) of section 4 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16*  
15 *U.S.C. 1533) (except for processing petitions, developing*  
16 *and issuing proposed and final regulations, and taking any*  
17 *other steps to implement actions described in subsection*  
18 *(c)(2)(A), (c)(2)(B)(i), or (c)(2)(B)(ii)).*

19 *CONSTRUCTION*

20 *For construction, improvement, acquisition, or re-*  
21 *moval of buildings and other facilities required in the con-*  
22 *servation, management, investigation, protection, and utili-*  
23 *zation of fish and wildlife resources, and the acquisition*  
24 *of lands and interests therein; \$50,413,000, to remain avail-*  
25 *able until expended.*

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*LAND ACQUISITION*

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*For expenses necessary to carry out chapter 2003 of title 54, United States Code, including administrative expenses, and for acquisition of land or waters, or interest therein, in accordance with statutory authority applicable to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, \$45,189,000, to be derived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund and to remain available until expended: Provided, That none of the funds appropriated for specific land acquisition projects may be used to pay for any administrative overhead, planning or other management costs.*

12

*COOPERATIVE ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSERVATION FUND*

13

*For expenses necessary to carry out section 6 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1535), \$49,495,000, to remain available until expended, of which \$18,695,000 is to be derived from the Cooperative Endangered Species Conservation Fund; and of which \$30,800,000 is to be derived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund.*

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*NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE FUND*

21

*For expenses necessary to implement the Act of October 17, 1978 (16 U.S.C. 715s), \$13,228,000.*

23

*NORTH AMERICAN WETLANDS CONSERVATION FUND*

24

*For expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of the North American Wetlands Conservation Act (16 U.S.C.*

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1 4401 et seq.), \$43,000,000, to remain available until ex-  
2 pended.

3 *NEOTROPICAL MIGRATORY BIRD CONSERVATION*

4 *For expenses necessary to carry out the Neotropical*  
5 *Migratory Bird Conservation Act (16 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.),*  
6 *\$3,910,000, to remain available until expended.*

7 *MULTINATIONAL SPECIES CONSERVATION FUND*

8 *For expenses necessary to carry out the African Ele-*  
9 *phant Conservation Act (16 U.S.C. 4201 et seq.), the Asian*  
10 *Elephant Conservation Act of 1997 (16 U.S.C. 4261 et seq.),*  
11 *the Rhinoceros and Tiger Conservation Act of 1994 (16*  
12 *U.S.C. 5301 et seq.), the Great Ape Conservation Act of*  
13 *2000 (16 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.), and the Marine Turtle Con-*  
14 *servaion Act of 2004 (16 U.S.C. 6601 et seq.), \$12,061,000,*  
15 *to remain available until expended.*

16 *STATE AND TRIBAL WILDLIFE GRANTS*

17 *For wildlife conservation grants to States and to the*  
18 *District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, the United States*  
19 *Virgin Islands, the Northern Mariana Islands, American*  
20 *Samoa, and Indian tribes under the provisions of the Fish*  
21 *and Wildlife Act of 1956 and the Fish and Wildlife Coordi-*  
22 *nation Act, for the development and implementation of pro-*  
23 *grams for the benefit of wildlife and their habitat, including*  
24 *species that are not hunted or fished, \$65,571,000, to re-*  
25 *main available until expended: Provided, That of the*

1 amount provided herein, \$4,209,000 is for a competitive  
2 grant program for Indian tribes not subject to the remain-  
3 ing provisions of this appropriation: Provided further, That  
4 \$6,362,000 is for a competitive grant program to implement  
5 approved plans for States, territories, and other jurisdic-  
6 tions and at the discretion of affected States, the regional  
7 Associations of fish and wildlife agencies, not subject to the  
8 remaining provisions of this appropriation: Provided fur-  
9 ther, That the Secretary shall, after deducting \$10,571,000  
10 and administrative expenses, apportion the amount pro-  
11 vided herein in the following manner: (1) to the District  
12 of Columbia and to the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, each  
13 a sum equal to not more than one-half of 1 percent thereof;  
14 and (2) to Guam, American Samoa, the United States Vir-  
15 gin Islands, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mar-  
16 iana Islands, each a sum equal to not more than one-fourth  
17 of 1 percent thereof: Provided further, That the Secretary  
18 shall apportion the remaining amount in the following  
19 manner: (1) one-third of which is based on the ratio to  
20 which the land area of such State bears to the total land  
21 area of all such States; and (2) two-thirds of which is based  
22 on the ratio to which the population of such State bears  
23 to the total population of all such States: Provided further,  
24 That the amounts apportioned under this paragraph shall  
25 be adjusted equitably so that no State shall be apportioned

1 *a sum which is less than 1 percent of the amount available*  
2 *for apportionment under this paragraph for any fiscal year*  
3 *or more than 5 percent of such amount: Provided further,*  
4 *That the Federal share of planning grants shall not exceed*  
5 *75 percent of the total costs of such projects and the Federal*  
6 *share of implementation grants shall not exceed 65 percent*  
7 *of the total costs of such projects: Provided further, That*  
8 *the non-Federal share of such projects may not be derived*  
9 *from Federal grant programs: Provided further, That any*  
10 *amount apportioned in 2019 to any State, territory, or*  
11 *other jurisdiction that remains unobligated as of September*  
12 *30, 2020, shall be reapportioned, together with funds appro-*  
13 *riated in 2021, in the manner provided herein.*

14 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*

15 *The United States Fish and Wildlife Service may*  
16 *carry out the operations of Service programs by direct ex-*  
17 *penditure, contracts, grants, cooperative agreements and re-*  
18 *imbursable agreements with public and private entities. Ap-*  
19 *propriations and funds available to the United States Fish*  
20 *and Wildlife Service shall be available for repair of damage*  
21 *to public roads within and adjacent to reservation areas*  
22 *caused by operations of the Service; options for the purchase*  
23 *of land at not to exceed \$1 for each option; facilities inci-*  
24 *dent to such public recreational uses on conservation areas*  
25 *as are consistent with their primary purpose; and the*

1 *maintenance and improvement of aquaria, buildings, and*  
2 *other facilities under the jurisdiction of the Service and to*  
3 *which the United States has title, and which are used pur-*  
4 *suant to law in connection with management, and inves-*  
5 *tigation of fish and wildlife resources: Provided, That not-*  
6 *withstanding 44 U.S.C. 501, the Service may, under cooper-*  
7 *ative cost sharing and partnership arrangements author-*  
8 *ized by law, procure printing services from cooperators in*  
9 *connection with jointly produced publications for which the*  
10 *cooperators share at least one-half the cost of printing either*  
11 *in cash or services and the Service determines the coop-*  
12 *erator is capable of meeting accepted quality standards:*  
13 *Provided further, That the Service may accept donated air-*  
14 *craft as replacements for existing aircraft: Provided further,*  
15 *That notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302, all fees collected for*  
16 *non-toxic shot review and approval shall be deposited under*  
17 *the heading “United States Fish and Wildlife Service—Re-*  
18 *source Management” and shall be available to the Sec-*  
19 *retary, without further appropriation, to be used for ex-*  
20 *penses of processing of such non-toxic shot type or coating*  
21 *applications and revising regulations as necessary, and*  
22 *shall remain available until expended.*

1                                    *NATIONAL PARK SERVICE*2                                    *OPERATION OF THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM*

3            *For expenses necessary for the management, operation,*  
4 *and maintenance of areas and facilities administered by*  
5 *the National Park Service and for the general administra-*  
6 *tion of the National Park Service, \$2,500,369,000, of which*  
7 *\$10,032,000 for planning and interagency coordination in*  
8 *support of Everglades restoration and \$141,961,000 for*  
9 *maintenance, repair, or rehabilitation projects for con-*  
10 *structed assets and \$149,075,000 for cyclic maintenance*  
11 *projects for constructed assets shall remain available until*  
12 *September 30, 2020: Provided, That funds appropriated*  
13 *under this heading in this Act are available for the purposes*  
14 *of section 5 of Public Law 95–348: Provided further, That*  
15 *notwithstanding section 9(a) of the United States*  
16 *Semiquincentennial Commission Act of 2016 (Public Law*  
17 *114–196; 130 Stat. 691), \$500,000 of the funds made avail-*  
18 *able under this heading shall be provided to the organiza-*  
19 *tion selected under section 9(b) of that Act for expenditure*  
20 *by the United States Semiquincentennial Commission in*  
21 *accordance with that Act.*

22                                    *NATIONAL RECREATION AND PRESERVATION*

23            *For expenses necessary to carry out recreation pro-*  
24 *grams, natural programs, cultural programs, heritage part-*  
25 *nership programs, environmental compliance and review,*

1 *international park affairs, and grant administration, not*  
2 *otherwise provided for, \$64,138,000.*

3 *HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND*

4 *For expenses necessary in carrying out the National*  
5 *Historic Preservation Act (division A of subtitle III of title*  
6 *54, United States Code), \$91,910,000, to be derived from*  
7 *the Historic Preservation Fund and to remain available*  
8 *until September 30, 2020: Provided, That of the funds pro-*  
9 *vided for the Historic Preservation Fund, \$500,000 is for*  
10 *competitive grants for the survey and nomination of prop-*  
11 *erties to the National Register of Historic Places and as*  
12 *National Historic Landmarks associated with communities*  
13 *currently under-represented, as determined by the Sec-*  
14 *retary, \$13,000,000 is for competitive grants to preserve the*  
15 *sites and stories of the Civil Rights movement, \$8,000,000*  
16 *is for grants to Historically Black Colleges and Univer-*  
17 *sities, and \$5,000,000 is for competitive grants for the res-*  
18 *toration of historic properties of national, State and local*  
19 *significance listed on or eligible for inclusion on the Na-*  
20 *tional Register of Historic Places, to be made without im-*  
21 *posing the usage or direct grant restrictions of section*  
22 *101(e)(3) (54 U.S.C. 302904) of the National Historical*  
23 *Preservation Act: Provided further, That such competitive*  
24 *grants shall be made without imposing the matching re-*  
25 *quirements in section 302902(b)(3) of title 54, United*



1 *States Code, to States and Indian tribes as defined in chap-*  
2 *ter 3003 of such title, Native Hawaiian organizations, local*  
3 *governments, including Certified Local Governments, and*  
4 *non-profit organizations.*

5 *CONSTRUCTION*

6 *For construction, improvements, repair, or replace-*  
7 *ment of physical facilities, and compliance and planning*  
8 *for programs and areas administered by the National Park*  
9 *Service, \$364,704,000, to remain available until expended:*  
10 *Provided, That notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
11 *for any project initially funded in fiscal year 2019 with*  
12 *a future phase indicated in the National Park Service 5-*  
13 *Year Line Item Construction Plan, a single procurement*  
14 *may be issued which includes the full scope of the project:*  
15 *Provided further, That the solicitation and contract shall*  
16 *contain the clause availability of funds found at 48 CFR*  
17 *52.232–18: Provided further, That National Park Service*  
18 *Donations, Park Concessions Franchise Fees, and Recre-*  
19 *ation Fees may be made available for the cost of adjust-*  
20 *ments and changes within the original scope of effort for*  
21 *projects funded by the National Park Service Construction*  
22 *appropriation: Provided further, That the Secretary of the*  
23 *Interior shall consult with the Committees on Appropria-*  
24 *tions, in accordance with current reprogramming thresh-*

1 olds, prior to making any charges authorized by this sec-  
2 tion.

3 *LAND ACQUISITION AND STATE ASSISTANCE*

4 *For expenses necessary to carry out chapter 2003 of*  
5 *title 54, United States Code, including administrative ex-*  
6 *penses, and for acquisition of lands or waters, or interest*  
7 *therein, in accordance with the statutory authority applica-*  
8 *ble to the National Park Service, \$174,444,000, to be de-*  
9 *rived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund and*  
10 *to remain available until expended, of which \$124,006,000*  
11 *is for the State assistance program and of which*  
12 *\$15,000,000 shall be for the American Battlefield Protection*  
13 *Program grants as authorized by chapter 3081 of title 54,*  
14 *United States Code.*

15 *CENTENNIAL CHALLENGE*

16 *For expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of*  
17 *section 101701 of title 54, United States Code, relating to*  
18 *challenge cost share agreements, \$23,000,000, to remain*  
19 *available until expended, for Centennial Challenge projects*  
20 *and programs: Provided, That not less than 50 percent of*  
21 *the total cost of each project or program shall be derived*  
22 *from non-Federal sources in the form of donated cash, as-*  
23 *sets, or a pledge of donation guaranteed by an irrevocable*  
24 *letter of credit.*

1                                    *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*  
2                                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

3            *In addition to other uses set forth in section*  
4 *101917(c)(2) of title 54, United States Code, franchise fees*  
5 *credited to a sub-account shall be available for expenditure*  
6 *by the Secretary, without further appropriation, for use at*  
7 *any unit within the National Park System to extinguish*  
8 *or reduce liability for Possessory Interest or leasehold sur-*  
9 *render interest. Such funds may only be used for this pur-*  
10 *pose to the extent that the benefitting unit anticipated fran-*  
11 *chise fee receipts over the term of the contract at that unit*  
12 *exceed the amount of funds used to extinguish or reduce li-*  
13 *ability. Franchise fees at the benefitting unit shall be cred-*  
14 *ited to the sub-account of the originating unit over a period*  
15 *not to exceed the term of a single contract at the benefitting*  
16 *unit, in the amount of funds so expended to extinguish or*  
17 *reduce liability.*

18            *For the costs of administration of the Land and Water*  
19 *Conservation Fund grants authorized by section*  
20 *105(a)(2)(B) of the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of*  
21 *2006 (Public Law 109-432), the National Park Service*  
22 *may retain up to 3 percent of the amounts which are au-*  
23 *thorized to be disbursed under such section, such retained*  
24 *amounts to remain available until expended.*

1        *National Park Service funds may be transferred to the*  
2 *Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Department of*  
3 *Transportation, for purposes authorized under 23 U.S.C.*  
4 *204. Transfers may include a reasonable amount for*  
5 *FHWA administrative support costs.*

6                    *UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY*

7                    *SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND RESEARCH*

8        *For expenses necessary for the United States Geological*  
9 *Survey to perform surveys, investigations, and research cov-*  
10 *ering topography, geology, hydrology, biology, and the min-*  
11 *eral and water resources of the United States, its territories*  
12 *and possessions, and other areas as authorized by 43 U.S.C.*  
13 *31, 1332, and 1340; classify lands as to their mineral and*  
14 *water resources; give engineering supervision to power per-*  
15 *mittees and Federal Energy Regulatory Commission licens-*  
16 *ees; administer the minerals exploration program (30*  
17 *U.S.C. 641); conduct inquiries into the economic conditions*  
18 *affecting mining and materials processing industries (30*  
19 *U.S.C. 3, 21a, and 1603; 50 U.S.C. 98g(1)) and related*  
20 *purposes as authorized by law; and to publish and dissemi-*  
21 *nate data relative to the foregoing activities;*  
22 *\$1,148,457,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
23 *2020; of which \$100,000 shall be made available to the*  
24 *United States Geological Survey Mineral Resources Pro-*  
25 *gram for the development of a map depicting pyrrhotite oc-*

1 *currences throughout the United States; of which*  
2 *\$84,337,000 shall remain available until expended for sat-*  
3 *ellite operations; and of which \$15,164,000 shall be avail-*  
4 *able until expended for deferred maintenance and capital*  
5 *improvement projects that exceed \$100,000 in cost: Pro-*  
6 *vided, That none of the funds provided for the ecosystem*  
7 *research activity shall be used to conduct new surveys on*  
8 *private property, unless specifically authorized in writing*  
9 *by the property owner: Provided further, That no part of*  
10 *this appropriation shall be used to pay more than one-half*  
11 *the cost of topographic mapping or water resources data*  
12 *collection and investigations carried on in cooperation with*  
13 *States and municipalities: Provided further, That of the*  
14 *amounts made available under this heading, not less than*  
15 *\$200,000 shall be used for activities to better understand*  
16 *mechanisms that result in toxins being present in harmful*  
17 *algal blooms.*

18 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*

19 *From within the amount appropriated for activities*  
20 *of the United States Geological Survey such sums as are*  
21 *necessary shall be available for contracting for the fur-*  
22 *nishing of topographic maps and for the making of geo-*  
23 *physical or other specialized surveys when it is administra-*  
24 *tively determined that such procedures are in the public in-*  
25 *terest; construction and maintenance of necessary buildings*

1 *and appurtenant facilities; acquisition of lands for gauging*  
2 *stations, observation wells, and seismic equipment; expenses*  
3 *of the United States National Committee for Geological*  
4 *Sciences; and payment of compensation and expenses of*  
5 *persons employed by the Survey duly appointed to represent*  
6 *the United States in the negotiation and administration*  
7 *of interstate compacts: Provided, That activities funded by*  
8 *appropriations herein made may be accomplished through*  
9 *the use of contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements as*  
10 *defined in section 6302 of title 31, United States Code: Pro-*  
11 *vided further, That the United States Geological Survey*  
12 *may enter into contracts or cooperative agreements directly*  
13 *with individuals or indirectly with institutions or non-*  
14 *profit organizations, without regard to 41 U.S.C. 6101, for*  
15 *the temporary or intermittent services of students or recent*  
16 *graduates, who shall be considered employees for the pur-*  
17 *pose of chapters 57 and 81 of title 5, United States Code,*  
18 *relating to compensation for travel and work injuries, and*  
19 *chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, relating to tort*  
20 *claims, but shall not be considered to be Federal employees*  
21 *for any other purposes.*

22 *BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT*

23 *OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT*

24 *For expenses necessary for granting and administering*  
25 *leases, easements, rights-of-way and agreements for use for*

1 oil and gas, other minerals, energy, and marine-related  
2 purposes on the Outer Continental Shelf and approving op-  
3 erations related thereto, as authorized by law; for environ-  
4 mental studies, as authorized by law; for implementing  
5 other laws and to the extent provided by Presidential or  
6 Secretarial delegation; and for matching grants or coopera-  
7 tive agreements, \$179,266,000, of which \$129,450,000 is to  
8 remain available until September 30, 2020, and of which  
9 \$49,816,000 is to remain available until expended: Pro-  
10 vided, That this total appropriation shall be reduced by  
11 amounts collected by the Secretary and credited to this ap-  
12 propriation from additions to receipts resulting from in-  
13 creases to lease rental rates in effect on August 5, 1993,  
14 and from cost recovery fees from activities conducted by the  
15 Bureau of Ocean Energy Management pursuant to the  
16 Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, including studies, as-  
17 sessments, analysis, and miscellaneous administrative ac-  
18 tivities: Provided further, That the sum herein appropriated  
19 shall be reduced as such collections are received during the  
20 fiscal year, so as to result in a final fiscal year 2019 appro-  
21 priation estimated at not more than \$129,450,000: Pro-  
22 vided further, That not to exceed \$3,000 shall be available  
23 for reasonable expenses related to promoting volunteer beach  
24 and marine cleanup activities.

1 *BUREAU OF SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT*

2 *OFFSHORE SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT*

3 *For expenses necessary for the regulation of operations*  
4 *related to leases, easements, rights-of-way and agreements*  
5 *for use for oil and gas, other minerals, energy, and marine-*  
6 *related purposes on the Outer Continental Shelf, as author-*  
7 *ized by law; for enforcing and implementing laws and regu-*  
8 *lations as authorized by law and to the extent provided by*  
9 *Presidential or Secretarial delegation; and for matching*  
10 *grants or cooperative agreements, \$145,475,000, of which*  
11 *\$121,351,000 is to remain available until September 30,*  
12 *2020, and of which \$24,124,000 is to remain available until*  
13 *expended: Provided, That this total appropriation shall be*  
14 *reduced by amounts collected by the Secretary and credited*  
15 *to this appropriation from additions to receipts resulting*  
16 *from increases to lease rental rates in effect on August 5,*  
17 *1993, and from cost recovery fees from activities conducted*  
18 *by the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement*  
19 *pursuant to the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, includ-*  
20 *ing studies, assessments, analysis, and miscellaneous ad-*  
21 *ministrative activities: Provided further, That the sum*  
22 *herein appropriated shall be reduced as such collections are*  
23 *received during the fiscal year, so as to result in a final*  
24 *fiscal year 2019 appropriation estimated at not more than*  
25 *\$121,351,000.*







1 *Law 95–87, \$22,952,000, to be derived from receipts of the*  
2 *Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund and to remain avail-*  
3 *able until expended: Provided, That pursuant to Public*  
4 *Law 97–365, the Department of the Interior is authorized*  
5 *to use up to 20 percent from the recovery of the delinquent*  
6 *debt owed to the United States Government to pay for con-*  
7 *tracts to collect these debts: Provided further, That funds*  
8 *made available under title IV of Public Law 95–87 may*  
9 *be used for any required non-Federal share of the cost of*  
10 *projects funded by the Federal Government for the purpose*  
11 *of environmental restoration related to treatment or abate-*  
12 *ment of acid mine drainage from abandoned mines: Pro-*  
13 *vided further, That such projects must be consistent with*  
14 *the purposes and priorities of the Surface Mining Control*  
15 *and Reclamation Act: Provided further, That amounts pro-*  
16 *vided under this heading may be used for the travel and*  
17 *per diem expenses of State and tribal personnel attending*  
18 *Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement*  
19 *sponsored training.*

20 *In addition, \$115,000,000, to remain available until*  
21 *expended, for grants to States and federally recognized In-*  
22 *dian Tribes for reclamation of abandoned mine lands and*  
23 *other related activities in accordance with the terms and*  
24 *conditions in the report accompanying this Act: Provided,*  
25 *That such additional amount shall be used for economic*

1 *and community development in conjunction with the prior-*  
2 *ities in section 403(a) of the Surface Mining Control and*  
3 *Reclamation Act of 1977 (30 U.S.C. 1233(a)): Provided fur-*  
4 *ther, That of such additional amount, \$75,000,000 shall be*  
5 *distributed in equal amounts to the 3 Appalachian States*  
6 *with the greatest amount of unfunded needs to meet the pri-*  
7 *orities described in paragraphs (1) and (2) of such section,*  
8 *\$30,000,000 shall be distributed in equal amounts to the*  
9 *3 Appalachian States with the subsequent greatest amount*  
10 *of unfunded needs to meet such priorities, and \$10,000,000*  
11 *shall be for grants to federally recognized Indian Tribes*  
12 *without regard to their status as certified or uncertified*  
13 *under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of*  
14 *1977 (30 U.S.C. 1233(a)), for reclamation of abandoned*  
15 *mine lands and other related activities in accordance with*  
16 *the terms and conditions in the report accompanying this*  
17 *Act and shall be used for economic and community develop-*  
18 *ment in conjunction with the priorities in section 403(a)*  
19 *of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of*  
20 *1977: Provided further, That such additional amount shall*  
21 *be allocated to States and Indian Tribes within 60 days*  
22 *after the date of enactment of this Act.*

1     *BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AND BUREAU OF INDIAN*  
2                                     *EDUCATION*

3                             *OPERATION OF INDIAN PROGRAMS*  
4                             *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

5         *For expenses necessary for the operation of Indian pro-*  
6 *grams, as authorized by law, including the Snyder Act of*  
7 *November 2, 1921 (25 U.S.C. 13), the Indian Self-Deter-*  
8 *mination and Education Assistance Act of 1975 (25 U.S.C.*  
9 *5301 et seq.), the Education Amendments of 1978 (25*  
10 *U.S.C. 2001–2019), and the Tribally Controlled Schools Act*  
11 *of 1988 (25 U.S.C. 2501 et seq.), \$2,403,890,000, to remain*  
12 *available until September 30, 2020, except as otherwise pro-*  
13 *vided herein; of which not to exceed \$8,500 may be for offi-*  
14 *cial reception and representation expenses; of which not to*  
15 *exceed \$76,000,000 shall be for welfare assistance payments:*  
16 *Provided, That in cases of designated Federal disasters, the*  
17 *Secretary may exceed such cap, from the amounts provided*  
18 *herein, to provide for disaster relief to Indian communities*  
19 *affected by the disaster: Provided further, That federally rec-*  
20 *ognized Indian tribes and tribal organizations of federally*  
21 *recognized Indian tribes may use their tribal priority allo-*  
22 *cations for unmet welfare assistance costs: Provided further,*  
23 *That not to exceed \$680,673,000 for school operations costs*  
24 *of Bureau-funded schools and other education programs*  
25 *shall become available on July 1, 2019, and shall remain*

1 *available until September 30, 2020: Provided further, That*  
2 *not to exceed \$54,174,000 shall remain available until ex-*  
3 *pended for housing improvement, road maintenance, attor-*  
4 *ney fees, litigation support, land records improvement, and*  
5 *the Navajo-Hopi Settlement Program: Provided further,*  
6 *That notwithstanding any other provision of law, including*  
7 *but not limited to the Indian Self-Determination Act of*  
8 *1975 (25 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.) and section 1128 of the Edu-*  
9 *cation Amendments of 1978 (25 U.S.C. 2008), not to exceed*  
10 *\$81,036,000 within and only from such amounts made*  
11 *available for school operations shall be available for admin-*  
12 *istrative cost grants associated with grants approved prior*  
13 *to July 1, 2019: Provided further, That any forestry funds*  
14 *allocated to a federally recognized tribe which remain unob-*  
15 *ligated as of September 30, 2020, may be transferred during*  
16 *fiscal year 2021 to an Indian forest land assistance account*  
17 *established for the benefit of the holder of the funds within*  
18 *the holder's trust fund account: Provided further, That any*  
19 *such unobligated balances not so transferred shall expire on*  
20 *September 30, 2021: Provided further, That in order to en-*  
21 *hance the safety of Bureau field employees, the Bureau may*  
22 *use funds to purchase uniforms or other identifying articles*  
23 *of clothing for personnel.*



1 *the road program management costs of the Bureau: Pro-*  
2 *vided further, That any funds provided for the Safety of*  
3 *Dams program pursuant to the Act of November 2, 1921*  
4 *(25 U.S.C. 13), shall be made available on a nonreimburs-*  
5 *able basis: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2019, in*  
6 *implementing new construction, replacement facilities con-*  
7 *struction, or facilities improvement and repair project*  
8 *grants in excess of \$100,000 that are provided to grant*  
9 *schools under Public Law 100–297, the Secretary of the In-*  
10 *terior shall use the Administrative and Audit Requirements*  
11 *and Cost Principles for Assistance Programs contained in*  
12 *part 12 of title 43, Code of Federal Regulations, as the regu-*  
13 *latory requirements: Provided further, That such grants*  
14 *shall not be subject to section 12.61 of title 43, Code of Fed-*  
15 *eral Regulations; the Secretary and the grantee shall nego-*  
16 *tiate and determine a schedule of payments for the work*  
17 *to be performed: Provided further, That in considering*  
18 *grant applications, the Secretary shall consider whether*  
19 *such grantee would be deficient in assuring that the con-*  
20 *struction projects conform to applicable building standards*  
21 *and codes and Federal, tribal, or State health and safety*  
22 *standards as required by section 1125(b) of title XI of Pub-*  
23 *lic Law 95–561 (25 U.S.C. 2005(b)), with respect to organi-*  
24 *zational and financial management capabilities: Provided*  
25 *further, That if the Secretary declines a grant application,*



1 *the Secretary shall follow the requirements contained in sec-*  
2 *tion 5206(f) of Public Law 100–297 (25 U.S.C. 2504(f)):*  
3 *Provided further, That any disputes between the Secretary*  
4 *and any grantee concerning a grant shall be subject to the*  
5 *disputes provision in section 5208(e) of Public Law 107–*  
6 *110 (25 U.S.C. 2507(e)): Provided further, That in order*  
7 *to ensure timely completion of construction projects, the*  
8 *Secretary may assume control of a project and all funds*  
9 *related to the project, if, within 18 months of the date of*  
10 *enactment of this Act, any grantee receiving funds appro-*  
11 *priated in this Act or in any prior Act, has not completed*  
12 *the planning and design phase of the project and com-*  
13 *menced construction: Provided further, That this appro-*  
14 *priation may be reimbursed from the Office of the Special*  
15 *Trustee for American Indians appropriation for the appro-*  
16 *priate share of construction costs for space expansion need-*  
17 *ed in agency offices to meet trust reform implementation:*  
18 *Provided further, That of the funds made available under*  
19 *this heading, \$10,000,000 shall be derived from the Indian*  
20 *Irrigation Fund established by section 3211 of the WIIN*  
21 *Act (Public Law 114–322; 130 Stat. 1749).*

22 *INDIAN LAND AND WATER CLAIM SETTLEMENTS AND*

23 *MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS TO INDIANS*

24 *For payments and necessary administrative expenses*  
25 *for implementation of Indian land and water claim settle-*

1 *ments pursuant to Public Laws 99–264, 100–580, 101–618,*  
2 *111–11, 111–291, and 114–322, and for implementation of*  
3 *other land and water rights settlements, \$55,457,000, to re-*  
4 *main available until expended: Provided, That the Sec-*  
5 *retary shall make payments in such amounts as necessary*  
6 *to satisfy the total authorized amount for the Navajo Nation*  
7 *Water Rights Trust Fund.*

8 *INDIAN GUARANTEED LOAN PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

9 *For the cost of guaranteed loans and insured loans,*  
10 *\$9,279,000, of which \$1,252,000 is for administrative ex-*  
11 *penses, as authorized by the Indian Financing Act of 1974:*  
12 *Provided, That such costs, including the cost of modifying*  
13 *such loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congres-*  
14 *sional Budget Act of 1974: Provided further, That these*  
15 *funds are available to subsidize total loan principal, any*  
16 *part of which is to be guaranteed or insured, not to exceed*  
17 *\$123,565,389.*

18 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*

19 *The Bureau of Indian Affairs may carry out the oper-*  
20 *ation of Indian programs by direct expenditure, contracts,*  
21 *cooperative agreements, compacts, and grants, either di-*  
22 *rectly or in cooperation with States and other organiza-*  
23 *tions.*

24 *Notwithstanding Public Law 87–279 (25 U.S.C. 15),*  
25 *the Bureau of Indian Affairs may contract for services in*

1 *support of the management, operation, and maintenance of*  
2 *the Power Division of the San Carlos Irrigation Project.*

3 *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no funds*  
4 *available to the Bureau of Indian Affairs for central office*  
5 *oversight and Executive Direction and Administrative*  
6 *Services (except executive direction and administrative*  
7 *services funding for Tribal Priority Allocations, regional of-*  
8 *fices, and facilities operations and maintenance) shall be*  
9 *available for contracts, grants, compacts, or cooperative*  
10 *agreements with the Bureau of Indian Affairs under the*  
11 *provisions of the Indian Self-Determination Act or the*  
12 *Tribal Self-Governance Act of 1994 (Public Law 103–413).*

13 *In the event any tribe returns appropriations made*  
14 *available by this Act to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, this*  
15 *action shall not diminish the Federal Government’s trust*  
16 *responsibility to that tribe, or the government-to-govern-*  
17 *ment relationship between the United States and that tribe,*  
18 *or that tribe’s ability to access future appropriations.*

19 *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no funds*  
20 *available to the Bureau of Indian Education, other than*  
21 *the amounts provided herein for assistance to public schools*  
22 *under 25 U.S.C. 452 et seq., shall be available to support*  
23 *the operation of any elementary or secondary school in the*  
24 *State of Alaska.*

1        *No funds available to the Bureau of Indian Education*  
2 *shall be used to support expanded grades for any school or*  
3 *dormitory beyond the grade structure in place or approved*  
4 *by the Secretary of the Interior at each school in the Bureau*  
5 *of Indian Education school system as of October 1, 1995,*  
6 *except that the Secretary of the Interior may waive this*  
7 *prohibition to support expansion of up to one additional*  
8 *grade when the Secretary determines such waiver is needed*  
9 *to support accomplishment of the mission of the Bureau of*  
10 *Indian Education, or more than one grade to expand the*  
11 *elementary grade structure for Bureau-funded schools with*  
12 *a K–2 grade structure on October 1, 1996. Appropriations*  
13 *made available in this or any prior Act for schools funded*  
14 *by the Bureau shall be available, in accordance with the*  
15 *Bureau’s funding formula, only to the schools in the Bureau*  
16 *school system as of September 1, 1996, and to any school*  
17 *or school program that was reinstated in fiscal year 2012.*  
18 *Funds made available under this Act may not be used to*  
19 *establish a charter school at a Bureau-funded school (as that*  
20 *term is defined in section 1141 of the Education Amend-*  
21 *ments of 1978 (25 U.S.C. 2021)), except that a charter*  
22 *school that is in existence on the date of the enactment of*  
23 *this Act and that has operated at a Bureau-funded school*  
24 *before September 1, 1999, may continue to operate during*  
25 *that period, but only if the charter school pays to the Bu-*

1 reau a pro rata share of funds to reimburse the Bureau  
2 for the use of the real and personal property (including  
3 buses and vans), the funds of the charter school are kept  
4 separate and apart from Bureau funds, and the Bureau  
5 does not assume any obligation for charter school programs  
6 of the State in which the school is located if the charter  
7 school loses such funding. Employees of Bureau-funded  
8 schools sharing a campus with a charter school and per-  
9 forming functions related to the charter school's operation  
10 and employees of a charter school shall not be treated as  
11 Federal employees for purposes of chapter 171 of title 28,  
12 United States Code.

13       Notwithstanding any other provision of law, including  
14 section 113 of title I of appendix C of Public Law 106-  
15 113, if in fiscal year 2003 or 2004 a grantee received indi-  
16 rect and administrative costs pursuant to a distribution  
17 formula based on section 5(f) of Public Law 101-301, the  
18 Secretary shall continue to distribute indirect and adminis-  
19 trative cost funds to such grantee using the section 5(f) dis-  
20 tribution formula.

21       Funds available under this Act may not be used to  
22 establish satellite locations of schools in the Bureau school  
23 system as of September 1, 1996, except that the Secretary  
24 may waive this prohibition in order for an Indian tribe  
25 to provide language and cultural immersion educational

1 *programs for non-public schools located within the jurisdic-*  
2 *tional area of the tribal government which exclusively serve*  
3 *tribal members, do not include grades beyond those cur-*  
4 *rently served at the existing Bureau-funded school, provide*  
5 *an educational environment with educator presence and*  
6 *academic facilities comparable to the Bureau-funded school,*  
7 *comply with all applicable Tribal, Federal, or State health*  
8 *and safety standards, and the Americans with Disabilities*  
9 *Act, and demonstrate the benefits of establishing operations*  
10 *at a satellite location in lieu of incurring extraordinary*  
11 *costs, such as for transportation or other impacts to stu-*  
12 *dents such as those caused by busing students extended dis-*  
13 *tances: Provided, That no funds available under this Act*  
14 *may be used to fund operations, maintenance, rehabilita-*  
15 *tion, construction or other facilities-related costs for such*  
16 *assets that are not owned by the Bureau: Provided further,*  
17 *That the term “satellite school” means a school location*  
18 *physically separated from the existing Bureau school by*  
19 *more than 50 miles but that forms part of the existing*  
20 *school in all other respects.*

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*DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES*  
*OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY*  
*DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS*  
*(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

*For necessary expenses for management of the Department of the Interior and for grants and cooperative agreements, as authorized by law, \$131,673,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020; of which not to exceed \$15,000 may be for official reception and representation expenses; and of which up to \$1,000,000 shall be available for workers compensation payments and unemployment compensation payments associated with the orderly closure of the United States Bureau of Mines; and of which \$9,000,000 for the Office of Valuation Services is to be derived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund and shall remain available until expended; and of which \$9,704,000 for Indian land, mineral, and resource valuation activities shall remain available until expended: Provided, That funds for Indian land, mineral, and resource valuation activities may, as needed, be transferred to and merged with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Bureau of Indian Education “Operation of Indian Programs” account and the Office of the Special Trustee for American Indians “Federal Trust Programs” account: Provided further, That funds made available through contracts or grants*

1 *obligated during fiscal year 2019, as authorized by the In-*  
2 *dian Self-Determination Act of 1975 (25 U.S.C. 5301 et*  
3 *seq.), shall remain available until expended by the con-*  
4 *tractor or grantee: Provided further, That within available*  
5 *amounts provided under this heading, the Secretary of the*  
6 *Interior shall designate the rest area bound by Alexandria*  
7 *Avenue, West Boulevard Drive, and the George Washington*  
8 *Memorial Parkway on the Mount Vernon Trail within the*  
9 *George Washington Memorial Parkway as the “Peter B.*  
10 *Webster III Memorial Area” and any reference in a law,*  
11 *map regulation, document, paper, or other record of the*  
12 *United States to the rest area shall be deemed to be a ref-*  
13 *erence to the “Peter B. Webster III Memorial Area”; Pro-*  
14 *vided further, That the Secretary of the Interior shall accept*  
15 *and expend private contributions for the design, procure-*  
16 *ment, preparation, and installation of a plaque honoring*  
17 *Peter B. Webster III on the condition that the Director of*  
18 *the National Park Service shall approve the design and*  
19 *placement of the plaque: Provided further, That of the*  
20 *amounts made available under this heading, \$400,000 shall*  
21 *be made available to the commission established by section*  
22 *3(a) of the Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commis-*  
23 *sion on Native Children Act (Public Law 114–244; 130*  
24 *Stat. 981).*





1 *Law 108–188, \$100,688,000, of which: (1) \$91,240,000 shall*  
2 *remain available until expended for territorial assistance,*  
3 *including general technical assistance, maintenance assist-*  
4 *ance, disaster assistance, coral reef initiative activities, and*  
5 *brown tree snake control and research; grants to the judici-*  
6 *ary in American Samoa for compensation and expenses,*  
7 *as authorized by law (48 U.S.C. 1661(c)); grants to the*  
8 *Government of American Samoa, in addition to current*  
9 *local revenues, for construction and support of govern-*  
10 *mental functions; grants to the Government of the Virgin*  
11 *Islands, as authorized by law; grants to the Government*  
12 *of Guam, as authorized by law; and grants to the Govern-*  
13 *ment of the Northern Mariana Islands , as authorized by*  
14 *law (Public Law 94–241; 90 Stat. 272); and (2) \$9,448,000*  
15 *shall be available until September 30, 2020, for salaries and*  
16 *expenses of the Office of Insular Affairs: Provided, That all*  
17 *financial transactions of the territorial and local govern-*  
18 *ments herein provided for, including such transactions of*  
19 *all agencies or instrumentalities established or used by such*  
20 *governments, may be audited by the Government Account-*  
21 *ability Office, at its discretion, in accordance with chapter*  
22 *35 of title 31, United States Code: Provided further, That*  
23 *Northern Mariana Islands Covenant grant funding shall be*  
24 *provided according to those terms of the Agreement of the*  
25 *Special Representatives on Future United States Financial*

1 *Assistance for the Northern Mariana Islands approved by*  
2 *Public Law 104–134: Provided further, That the funds for*  
3 *the program of operations and maintenance improvement*  
4 *are appropriated to institutionalize routine operations and*  
5 *maintenance improvement of capital infrastructure with*  
6 *territorial participation and cost sharing to be determined*  
7 *by the Secretary based on the grantee’s commitment to time-*  
8 *ly maintenance of its capital assets: Provided further, That*  
9 *any appropriation for disaster assistance under this head-*  
10 *ing in this Act or previous appropriations Acts may be used*  
11 *as non–Federal matching funds for the purpose of hazard*  
12 *mitigation grants provided pursuant to section 404 of the*  
13 *Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assist-*  
14 *ance Act (42 U.S.C. 5170c).*

15 *COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION*

16 *For grants and necessary expenses, \$3,563,000, to re-*  
17 *main available until expended, as provided for in sections*  
18 *221(a)(2) and 233 of the Compact of Free Association for*  
19 *the Republic of Palau; and section 221(a)(2) of the Com-*  
20 *pacts of Free Association for the Government of the Repub-*  
21 *lic of the Marshall Islands and the Federated States of Mi-*  
22 *ronesia, as authorized by Public Law 99–658 and Public*  
23 *Law 108–188.*

1                                    *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*  
2                                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

3            *At the request of the Governor of Guam, the Secretary*  
4 *may transfer discretionary funds or mandatory funds pro-*  
5 *vided under section 104(e) of Public Law 108–188 and Pub-*  
6 *lic Law 104–134, that are allocated for Guam, to the Sec-*  
7 *retary of Agriculture for the subsidy cost of direct or guar-*  
8 *anteed loans, plus not to exceed three percent of the amount*  
9 *of the subsidy transferred for the cost of loan administra-*  
10 *tion, for the purposes authorized by the Rural Electrifica-*  
11 *tion Act of 1936 and section 306(a)(1) of the Consolidated*  
12 *Farm and Rural Development Act for construction and re-*  
13 *pair projects in Guam, and such funds shall remain avail-*  
14 *able until expended: Provided, That such costs, including*  
15 *the cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined in sec-*  
16 *tion 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: Provided*  
17 *further, That such loans or loan guarantees may be made*  
18 *without regard to the population of the area, credit else-*  
19 *where requirements, and restrictions on the types of eligible*  
20 *entities under the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 and*  
21 *section 306(a)(1) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural De-*  
22 *velopment Act: Provided further, That any funds trans-*  
23 *ferred to the Secretary of Agriculture shall be in addition*  
24 *to funds otherwise made available to make or guarantee*  
25 *loans under such authorities.*

1                                    *OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR*2                                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3            *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Solicitor,*  
4 *\$65,674,000.*

5                                    *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*6                                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

7            *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
8 *eral, \$52,486,000.*

9                                    *OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN*10                                   *INDIANS*11                                   *FEDERAL TRUST PROGRAMS*12                                   *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

13            *For the operation of trust programs for Indians by di-*  
14 *rect expenditure, contracts, cooperative agreements, com-*  
15 *pacts, and grants, \$112,380,000, to remain available until*  
16 *expended, of which not to exceed \$19,016,000 from this or*  
17 *any other Act, may be available for historical accounting:*  
18 *Provided, That funds for trust management improvements*  
19 *and litigation support may, as needed, be transferred to or*  
20 *merged with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Bureau of*  
21 *Indian Education, "Operation of Indian Programs" ac-*  
22 *count; the Office of the Solicitor, "Salaries and Expenses"*  
23 *account; and the Office of the Secretary, "Departmental Op-*  
24 *erations" account: Provided further, That funds made*  
25 *available through contracts or grants obligated during fiscal*

1 year 2019, as authorized by the Indian Self-Determination  
2 Act of 1975 (25 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.), shall remain available  
3 until expended by the contractor or grantee: Provided fur-  
4 ther, That notwithstanding any other provision of law, the  
5 Secretary shall not be required to provide a quarterly state-  
6 ment of performance for any Indian trust account that has  
7 not had activity for at least 15 months and has a balance  
8 of \$15 or less: Provided further, That the Secretary shall  
9 issue an annual account statement and maintain a record  
10 of any such accounts and shall permit the balance in each  
11 such account to be withdrawn upon the express written re-  
12 quest of the account holder: Provided further, That not to  
13 exceed \$50,000 is available for the Secretary to make pay-  
14 ments to correct administrative errors of either disburse-  
15 ments from or deposits to Individual Indian Money or  
16 Tribal accounts after September 30, 2002: Provided further,  
17 That erroneous payments that are recovered shall be cred-  
18 ited to and remain available in this account for this pur-  
19 pose: Provided further, That the Secretary shall not be re-  
20 quired to reconcile Special Deposit Accounts with a balance  
21 of less than \$500 unless the Office of the Special Trustee  
22 receives proof of ownership from a Special Deposit Accounts  
23 claimant: Provided further, That notwithstanding section  
24 102 of the American Indian Trust Fund Management Re-  
25 form Act of 1994 (Public Law 103-412) or any other provi-

1 *sion of law, the Secretary may aggregate the trust accounts*  
2 *of individuals whose whereabouts are unknown for a contin-*  
3 *uous period of at least five years and shall not be required*  
4 *to generate periodic statements of performance for the indi-*  
5 *vidual accounts: Provided further, That with respect to the*  
6 *eighth proviso, the Secretary shall continue to maintain*  
7 *sufficient records to determine the balance of the individual*  
8 *accounts, including any accrued interest and income, and*  
9 *such funds shall remain available to the individual account*  
10 *holders.*

11 *DEPARTMENT-WIDE PROGRAMS*

12 *WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT*

13 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

14 *For necessary expenses for fire preparedness, fire sup-*  
15 *pression operations, fire science and research, emergency re-*  
16 *habilitation, fuels management activities, and rural fire as-*  
17 *sistance by the Department of the Interior, \$1,116,076,000,*  
18 *to remain available until expended, of which not to exceed*  
19 *\$18,427,000 shall be for the renovation or construction of*  
20 *fire facilities: Provided, That such funds are also available*  
21 *for repayment of advances to other appropriation accounts*  
22 *from which funds were previously transferred for such pur-*  
23 *poses: Provided further, That of the funds provided*  
24 *\$188,000,000 is for fuels management activities: Provided*  
25 *further, That of the funds provided \$20,470,000 is for*

1 *burned area rehabilitation: Provided further, That persons*  
2 *hired pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1469 may be furnished subsist-*  
3 *ence and lodging without cost from funds available from*  
4 *this appropriation: Provided further, That notwithstanding*  
5 *42 U.S.C. 1856d, sums received by a bureau or office of*  
6 *the Department of the Interior for fire protection rendered*  
7 *pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1856 et seq., protection of United*  
8 *States property, may be credited to the appropriation from*  
9 *which funds were expended to provide that protection, and*  
10 *are available without fiscal year limitation: Provided fur-*  
11 *ther, That using the amounts designated under this title*  
12 *of this Act, the Secretary of the Interior may enter into*  
13 *procurement contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements,*  
14 *for fuels management activities, and for training and moni-*  
15 *toring associated with such fuels management activities on*  
16 *Federal land, or on adjacent non-Federal land for activities*  
17 *that benefit resources on Federal land: Provided further,*  
18 *That the costs of implementing any cooperative agreement*  
19 *between the Federal Government and any non-Federal enti-*  
20 *ty may be shared, as mutually agreed on by the affected*  
21 *parties: Provided further, That notwithstanding require-*  
22 *ments of the Competition in Contracting Act, the Secretary,*  
23 *for purposes of fuels management activities, may obtain*  
24 *maximum practicable competition among: (1) local private,*  
25 *nonprofit, or cooperative entities; (2) Youth Conservation*



1 Corps crews, Public Lands Corps (Public Law 109–154),  
2 or related partnerships with State, local, or nonprofit youth  
3 groups; (3) small or micro-businesses; or (4) other entities  
4 that will hire or train locally a significant percentage, de-  
5 fined as 50 percent or more, of the project workforce to com-  
6 plete such contracts: Provided further, That in imple-  
7 menting this section, the Secretary shall develop written  
8 guidance to field units to ensure accountability and con-  
9 sistent application of the authorities provided herein: Pro-  
10 vided further, That funds appropriated under this heading  
11 may be used to reimburse the United States Fish and Wild-  
12 life Service and the National Marine Fisheries Service for  
13 the costs of carrying out their responsibilities under the En-  
14 dangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) to  
15 consult and conference, as required by section 7 of such Act,  
16 in connection with wildland fire management activities:  
17 Provided further, That the Secretary of the Interior may  
18 use wildland fire appropriations to enter into leases of real  
19 property with local governments, at or below fair market  
20 value, to construct capitalized improvements for fire facili-  
21 ties on such leased properties, including but not limited to  
22 fire guard stations, retardant stations, and other initial at-  
23 tack and fire support facilities, and to make advance pay-  
24 ments for any such lease or for construction activity associ-  
25 ated with the lease: Provided further, That the Secretary

1 *of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture may author-*  
2 *ize the transfer of funds appropriated for wildland fire*  
3 *management, in an aggregate amount not to exceed*  
4 *\$50,000,000, between the Departments when such transfers*  
5 *would facilitate and expedite wildland fire management*  
6 *programs and projects: Provided further, That funds pro-*  
7 *vided for wildfire suppression shall be available for support*  
8 *of Federal emergency response actions: Provided further,*  
9 *That funds appropriated under this heading shall be avail-*  
10 *able for assistance to or through the Department of State*  
11 *in connection with forest and rangeland research, technical*  
12 *information, and assistance in foreign countries, and, with*  
13 *the concurrence of the Secretary of State, shall be available*  
14 *to support forestry, wildland fire management, and related*  
15 *natural resource activities outside the United States and*  
16 *its territories and possessions, including technical assist-*  
17 *ance, education and training, and cooperation with United*  
18 *States and international organizations.*

19 *CENTRAL HAZARDOUS MATERIALS FUND*

20 *For necessary expenses of the Department of the Inte-*  
21 *rior and any of its component offices and bureaus for the*  
22 *response action, including associated activities, performed*  
23 *pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response,*  
24 *Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.),*  
25 *\$10,010,000, to remain available until expended.*

1      *NATURAL RESOURCE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT AND*  
 2                            *RESTORATION*

3      *NATURAL RESOURCE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FUND*

4      *To conduct natural resource damage assessment, res-*  
 5 *toration activities, and onshore oil spill preparedness by the*  
 6 *Department of the Interior necessary to carry out the provi-*  
 7 *sions of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Com-*  
 8 *pensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.), the*  
 9 *Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251 et*  
 10 *seq.), the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (33 U.S.C. 2701 et seq.),*  
 11 *and 54 U.S.C. 100721 et seq., \$7,767,000, to remain avail-*  
 12 *able until expended.*

13                            *WORKING CAPITAL FUND*

14      *For the operation and maintenance of a departmental*  
 15 *financial and business management system, information*  
 16 *technology improvements of general benefit to the Depart-*  
 17 *ment, cybersecurity, and the consolidation of facilities and*  
 18 *operations throughout the Department, \$56,735,000, to re-*  
 19 *main available until expended: Provided, That none of the*  
 20 *funds appropriated in this Act or any other Act may be*  
 21 *used to establish reserves in the Working Capital Fund ac-*  
 22 *count other than for accrued annual leave and depreciation*  
 23 *of equipment without prior approval of the Committees on*  
 24 *Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
 25 *Senate: Provided further, That the Secretary may assess*

1 *reasonable charges to State, local and tribal government em-*  
2 *ployees for training services provided by the National In-*  
3 *dian Program Training Center, other than training related*  
4 *to Public Law 93–638: Provided further, That the Secretary*  
5 *may lease or otherwise provide space and related facilities,*  
6 *equipment or professional services of the National Indian*  
7 *Program Training Center to State, local and tribal govern-*  
8 *ment employees or persons or organizations engaged in cul-*  
9 *tural, educational, or recreational activities (as defined in*  
10 *section 3306(a) of title 40, United States Code) at the pre-*  
11 *vailing rate for similar space, facilities, equipment, or serv-*  
12 *ices in the vicinity of the National Indian Program Train-*  
13 *ing Center: Provided further, That all funds received pursu-*  
14 *ant to the two preceding provisos shall be credited to this*  
15 *account, shall be available until expended, and shall be used*  
16 *by the Secretary for necessary expenses of the National In-*  
17 *dian Program Training Center: Provided further, That the*  
18 *Secretary may enter into grants and cooperative agree-*  
19 *ments to support the Office of Natural Resource Revenue’s*  
20 *collection and disbursement of royalties, fees, and other*  
21 *mineral revenue proceeds, as authorized by law.*

22 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISION*

23 *There is hereby authorized for acquisition from avail-*  
24 *able resources within the Working Capital Fund, aircraft*  
25 *which may be obtained by donation, purchase or through*

1 *available excess surplus property: Provided, That existing*  
2 *aircraft being replaced may be sold, with proceeds derived*  
3 *or trade-in value used to offset the purchase price for the*  
4 *replacement aircraft.*

5 *OFFICE OF NATURAL RESOURCES REVENUE*

6 *For necessary expenses for management of the collec-*  
7 *tion and disbursement of royalties, fees, and other mineral*  
8 *revenue proceeds, and for grants and cooperative agree-*  
9 *ments, as authorized by law, \$137,505,000, to remain avail-*  
10 *able until September 30, 2020; of which \$41,727,000 shall*  
11 *remain available until expended for the purpose of mineral*  
12 *revenue management activities: Provided, That notwith-*  
13 *standing any other provision of law, \$15,000 shall be avail-*  
14 *able for refunds of overpayments in connection with certain*  
15 *Indian leases in which the Secretary concurred with the*  
16 *claimed refund due, to pay amounts owed to Indian*  
17 *allottees or tribes, or to correct prior unrecoverable erro-*  
18 *neous payments.*

19 *GENERAL PROVISIONS, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR*

20 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

21 *EMERGENCY TRANSFER AUTHORITY—INTRA-BUREAU*

22 *SEC. 101. Appropriations made in this title shall be*  
23 *available for expenditure or transfer (within each bureau*  
24 *or office), with the approval of the Secretary, for the emer-*  
25 *gency reconstruction, replacement, or repair of aircraft,*

1 *buildings, utilities, or other facilities or equipment dam-*  
2 *aged or destroyed by fire, flood, storm, or other unavoidable*  
3 *causes: Provided, That no funds shall be made available*  
4 *under this authority until funds specifically made available*  
5 *to the Department of the Interior for emergencies shall have*  
6 *been exhausted: Provided further, That all funds used pur-*  
7 *suant to this section must be replenished by a supplemental*  
8 *appropriation, which must be requested as promptly as pos-*  
9 *sible.*

10 *EMERGENCY TRANSFER AUTHORITY—DEPARTMENT-WIDE*

11 *SEC. 102. The Secretary may authorize the expendi-*  
12 *ture or transfer of any no year appropriation in this title,*  
13 *in addition to the amounts included in the budget programs*  
14 *of the several agencies, for the suppression or emergency*  
15 *prevention of wildland fires on or threatening lands under*  
16 *the jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior; for the*  
17 *emergency rehabilitation of burned-over lands under its ju-*  
18 *risdiction; for emergency actions related to potential or ac-*  
19 *tual earthquakes, floods, volcanoes, storms, or other un-*  
20 *avoidable causes; for contingency planning subsequent to*  
21 *actual oil spills; for response and natural resource damage*  
22 *assessment activities related to actual oil spills or releases*  
23 *of hazardous substances into the environment; for the pre-*  
24 *vention, suppression, and control of actual or potential*  
25 *grasshopper and Mormon cricket outbreaks on lands under*

1 *the jurisdiction of the Secretary, pursuant to the authority*  
2 *in section 417(b) of Public Law 106–224 (7 U.S.C.*  
3 *7717(b)); for emergency reclamation projects under section*  
4 *410 of Public Law 95–87; and shall transfer, from any no*  
5 *year funds available to the Office of Surface Mining Rec-*  
6 *lamation and Enforcement, such funds as may be necessary*  
7 *to permit assumption of regulatory authority in the event*  
8 *a primacy State is not carrying out the regulatory provi-*  
9 *sions of the Surface Mining Act: Provided, That appropria-*  
10 *tions made in this title for wildland fire operations shall*  
11 *be available for the payment of obligations incurred during*  
12 *the preceding fiscal year, and for reimbursement to other*  
13 *Federal agencies for destruction of vehicles, aircraft, or*  
14 *other equipment in connection with their use for wildland*  
15 *fire operations, with such reimbursement to be credited to*  
16 *appropriations currently available at the time of receipt*  
17 *thereof: Provided further, That for wildland fire operations,*  
18 *no funds shall be made available under this authority until*  
19 *the Secretary determines that funds appropriated for*  
20 *“wildland fire suppression” shall be exhausted within 30*  
21 *days: Provided further, That all funds used pursuant to this*  
22 *section must be replenished by a supplemental appropria-*  
23 *tion, which must be requested as promptly as possible: Pro-*  
24 *vided further, That such replenishment funds shall be used*

1 to reimburse, on a pro rata basis, accounts from which  
2 emergency funds were transferred.

3 *AUTHORIZED USE OF FUNDS*

4 *SEC. 103. Appropriations made to the Department of*  
5 *the Interior in this title shall be available for services as*  
6 *authorized by section 3109 of title 5, United States Code,*  
7 *when authorized by the Secretary, in total amount not to*  
8 *exceed \$500,000; purchase and replacement of motor vehi-*  
9 *cles, including specially equipped law enforcement vehicles;*  
10 *hire, maintenance, and operation of aircraft; hire of pas-*  
11 *senger motor vehicles; purchase of reprints; payment for*  
12 *telephone service in private residences in the field, when au-*  
13 *thorized under regulations approved by the Secretary; and*  
14 *the payment of dues, when authorized by the Secretary, for*  
15 *library membership in societies or associations which issue*  
16 *publications to members only or at a price to members*  
17 *lower than to subscribers who are not members.*

18 *AUTHORIZED USE OF FUNDS, INDIAN TRUST MANAGEMENT*

19 *SEC. 104. Appropriations made in this Act under the*  
20 *headings Bureau of Indian Affairs and Bureau of Indian*  
21 *Education, and Office of the Special Trustee for American*  
22 *Indians and any unobligated balances from prior appro-*  
23 *priations Acts made under the same headings shall be avail-*  
24 *able for expenditure or transfer for Indian trust manage-*  
25 *ment and reform activities. Total funding for historical ac-*



1 *counting activities shall not exceed amounts specifically*  
2 *designated in this Act for such purpose.*

3 *REDISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS*

4 *SEC. 105. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
5 *the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to redistribute*  
6 *any Tribal Priority Allocation funds, including tribal base*  
7 *funds, to alleviate tribal funding inequities by transferring*  
8 *funds to address identified, unmet needs, dual enrollment,*  
9 *overlapping service areas or inaccurate distribution meth-*  
10 *odologies. No tribe shall receive a reduction in Tribal Pri-*  
11 *ority Allocation funds of more than 10 percent in fiscal*  
12 *year 2019. Under circumstances of dual enrollment, over-*  
13 *lapping service areas or inaccurate distribution methodolo-*  
14 *gies, the 10 percent limitation does not apply.*

15 *ELLIS, GOVERNORS, AND LIBERTY ISLANDS*

16 *SEC. 106. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
17 *the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to acquire lands,*  
18 *waters, or interests therein including the use of all or part*  
19 *of any pier, dock, or landing within the State of New York*  
20 *and the State of New Jersey, for the purpose of operating*  
21 *and maintaining facilities in the support of transportation*  
22 *and accommodation of visitors to Ellis, Governors, and Lib-*  
23 *erty Islands, and of other program and administrative ac-*  
24 *tivities, by donation or with appropriated funds, including*  
25 *franchise fees (and other monetary consideration), or by ex-*

1 *change; and the Secretary is authorized to negotiate and*  
2 *enter into leases, subleases, concession contracts or other*  
3 *agreements for the use of such facilities on such terms and*  
4 *conditions as the Secretary may determine reasonable.*

5 *OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF INSPECTION FEES*

6 *SEC. 107. (a) In fiscal year 2019, the Secretary shall*  
7 *collect a nonrefundable inspection fee, which shall be depos-*  
8 *ited in the “Offshore Safety and Environmental Enforce-*  
9 *ment” account, from the designated operator for facilities*  
10 *subject to inspection under 43 U.S.C. 1348(c).*

11 *(b) Annual fees shall be collected for facilities that are*  
12 *above the waterline, excluding drilling rigs, and are in*  
13 *place at the start of the fiscal year. Fees for fiscal year 2019*  
14 *shall be:*

15 *(1) \$10,500 for facilities with no wells, but with*  
16 *processing equipment or gathering lines;*

17 *(2) \$17,000 for facilities with 1 to 10 wells, with*  
18 *any combination of active or inactive wells; and*

19 *(3) \$31,500 for facilities with more than 10*  
20 *wells, with any combination of active or inactive*  
21 *wells.*

22 *(c) Fees for drilling rigs shall be assessed for all inspec-*  
23 *tions completed in fiscal year 2019. Fees for fiscal year*  
24 *2019 shall be:*

1           (1) \$30,500 per inspection for rigs operating in  
2           water depths of 500 feet or more; and

3           (2) \$16,700 per inspection for rigs operating in  
4           water depths of less than 500 feet.

5           (d) The Secretary shall bill designated operators under  
6           subsection (b) within 60 days, with payment required with-  
7           in 30 days of billing. The Secretary shall bill designated  
8           operators under subsection (c) within 30 days of the end  
9           of the month in which the inspection occurred, with pay-  
10          ment required within 30 days of billing.

11        *BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT, REGULATION*  
12                                *AND ENFORCEMENT REORGANIZATION*

13        *SEC. 108. The Secretary of the Interior, in order to*  
14        *implement a reorganization of the Bureau of Ocean Energy*  
15        *Management, Regulation and Enforcement, may transfer*  
16        *funds among and between the successor offices and bureaus*  
17        *affected by the reorganization only in conformance with the*  
18        *reprogramming guidelines described in the report accom-*  
19        *panying this Act.*

20        *CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS FOR WILD HORSE AND*  
21                                *BURRO HOLDING FACILITIES*

22        *SEC. 109. Notwithstanding any other provision of this*  
23        *Act, the Secretary of the Interior may enter into multiyear*  
24        *cooperative agreements with nonprofit organizations and*  
25        *other appropriate entities, and may enter into multiyear*

1 *contracts in accordance with the provisions of section 3903*  
2 *of title 41, United States Code (except that the 5-year term*  
3 *restriction in subsection (a) shall not apply), for the long-*  
4 *term care and maintenance of excess wild free roaming*  
5 *horses and burros by such organizations or entities on pri-*  
6 *vate land. Such cooperative agreements and contracts may*  
7 *not exceed 10 years, subject to renewal at the discretion of*  
8 *the Secretary.*

9 *MASS MARKING OF SALMONIDS*

10 *SEC. 110. The United States Fish and Wildlife Service*  
11 *shall, in carrying out its responsibilities to protect threat-*  
12 *ened and endangered species of salmon, implement a system*  
13 *of mass marking of salmonid stocks, intended for harvest,*  
14 *that are released from federally operated or federally fi-*  
15 *nanced hatcheries including but not limited to fish releases*  
16 *of coho, chinook, and steelhead species. Marked fish must*  
17 *have a visible mark that can be readily identified by com-*  
18 *mercial and recreational fishers.*

19 *CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS WITH INDIAN AFFAIRS*

20 *SEC. 111. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
21 *during fiscal year 2019, in carrying out work involving co-*  
22 *operation with State, local, and tribal governments or any*  
23 *political subdivision thereof, Indian Affairs may record ob-*  
24 *ligations against accounts receivable from any such entities,*  
25 *except that total obligations at the end of the fiscal year*

1 *shall not exceed total budgetary resources available at the*  
2 *end of the fiscal year.*

3 *HUMANE TRANSFER OF EXCESS ANIMALS*

4 *SEC. 112. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
5 *the Secretary of the Interior may transfer excess wild horses*  
6 *or burros that have been removed from the public lands to*  
7 *other Federal, State, and local government agencies for use*  
8 *as work animals: Provided, That the Secretary may make*  
9 *any such transfer immediately upon request of such Fed-*  
10 *eral, State, or local government agency: Provided further,*  
11 *That any excess animal transferred under this provision*  
12 *shall lose its status as a wild free-roaming horse or burro*  
13 *as defined in the Wild Free-Roaming Horses and Burros*  
14 *Act: Provided further, That any Federal, State, or local gov-*  
15 *ernment agency receiving excess wild horses or burros as*  
16 *authorized in this section shall not: destroy the horses or*  
17 *burros in a way that results in their destruction into com-*  
18 *mercial products; sell or otherwise transfer the horses or*  
19 *burros in a way that results in their destruction for proc-*  
20 *essing into commercial products; or euthanize the horses or*  
21 *burros except upon the recommendation of a licensed veteri-*  
22 *narian, in cases of severe injury, illness, or advanced age.*

1    *DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR EXPERIENCED SERVICES*  
2   *PROGRAM*

3           *SEC. 113. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of*  
4 *law relating to Federal grants and cooperative agreements,*  
5 *the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to make grants*  
6 *to, or enter into cooperative agreements with, private non-*  
7 *profit organizations designated by the Secretary of Labor*  
8 *under title V of the Older Americans Act of 1965 to utilize*  
9 *the talents of older Americans in programs authorized by*  
10 *other provisions of law administered by the Secretary and*  
11 *consistent with such provisions of law.*

12           *(b) Prior to awarding any grant or agreement under*  
13 *subsection (a), the Secretary shall ensure that the agreement*  
14 *would not—*

15                       *(1) result in the displacement of individuals cur-*  
16 *rently employed by the Department, including partial*  
17 *displacement through reduction of non-overtime*  
18 *hours, wages, or employment benefits;*

19                       *(2) result in the use of an individual under the*  
20 *Department of the Interior Experienced Services Pro-*  
21 *gram for a job or function in a case in which a Fed-*  
22 *eral employee is in a layoff status from the same or*  
23 *substantially equivalent job within the Department;*  
24 *or*

25                       *(3) affect existing contracts for services.*

1                    *PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES (PILT)*

2            *SEC. 114. Section 6906 of title 31, United States Code,*  
3 *is amended by striking “fiscal year 2018” and inserting*  
4 *“fiscal year 2019”.*

5                    *SAGE-GROUSE*

6            *SEC. 115. None of the funds made available by this*  
7 *or any other Act may be used by the Secretary of the Inte-*  
8 *rior to write or issue pursuant to section 4 of the Endan-*  
9 *gered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1533)—*

10            *(1) a proposed rule for greater sage-grouse*  
11 *(Centrocercus urophasianus);*

12            *(2) a proposed rule for the Columbia basin dis-*  
13 *tinct population segment of greater sage-grouse.*

14                    *TECHNICAL CORRECTION*

15            *SEC. 116. Division II of Public Law 104–333 (54*  
16 *U.S.C. 320101 note), as amended by section 116(b)(2) of*  
17 *Public Law 114–113, is amended in each of sections 208,*  
18 *310, and 607, by striking “2017” and inserting “2019”.*

19                    *DAMAGE TO DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR FACILITIES BY*20                    *VOLCANIC ERUPTION*

21            *SEC. 117. (a) Not later than 60 days after the date*  
22 *of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of the Interior shall*  
23 *submit to Congress a report on each facility and related*  
24 *infrastructure of the Department of the Interior damaged*  
25 *by a volcanic eruption covered by a major disaster declared*  
26 *by the President in calendar year 2018 in accordance with*

1 *section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and*  
2 *Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5170) (referred to in*  
3 *this section as a “covered facility”).*

4 (b) *The report submitted under subsection (a) shall in-*  
5 *clude—*

6 (1) *an inventory of all covered facilities;*

7 (2) *a description of—*

8 (A) *any closures of covered facilities; and*

9 (B) *the estimated impact on visitorship to*  
10 *covered facilities open to the public as a result*  
11 *of a volcanic eruption; and*

12 (3) *a plan—*

13 (A) *to restore or replace covered facilities;*

14 *and*

15 (B) *to restore visitorship levels to covered*  
16 *facilities open to the public to historic visitorship*  
17 *levels.*

18 (c) *In preparing the plan required under subsection*  
19 *(b)(3), the Secretary of the Interior shall—*

20 (1) *engage the community in which the covered*  
21 *facility is located, including the State and units of*  
22 *local government; and*

23 (2) *include the estimated costs of carrying out*  
24 *the activities described in the plan.*



1        *SEC. 118. (a) There are appropriated under the head-*  
 2 *ing “Operation of Indian Programs” under the heading*  
 3 *“Bureau of Indian Affairs and Bureau of Indian Edu-*  
 4 *cation”, in addition to any other amounts made available*  
 5 *under such heading and in order to provide additional*  
 6 *funding for hiring staff for tribal detention facilities, in-*  
 7 *cluding addressing the needs of newly funded tribal deten-*  
 8 *tion facilities, \$2,000,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
 9 *tember 30, 2020.*

10        *(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act,*  
 11 *the total amount appropriated under the heading “Working*  
 12 *Capital Fund” for the Department of the Interior is hereby*  
 13 *reduced by \$2,000,000.*

## 14    *TITLE II*

### 15                    *ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY*

#### 16                                    *SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY*

##### 17                                    *(INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)*

18        *For science and technology, including research and de-*  
 19 *velopment activities, which shall include research and devel-*  
 20 *opment activities under the Comprehensive Environmental*  
 21 *Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980; nec-*  
 22 *essary expenses for personnel and related costs and travel*  
 23 *expenses; procurement of laboratory equipment and sup-*  
 24 *plies; and other operating expenses in support of research*  
 25 *and development, \$717,723,000, to remain available until*

1 *September 30, 2020: Provided, That of the funds included*  
2 *under this heading, \$5,000,000 shall be for Research: Na-*  
3 *tional Priorities as specified in the report accompanying*  
4 *this Act: Provided further, That of unobligated balances*  
5 *from appropriations made available under this heading,*  
6 *\$11,250,000 are permanently rescinded: Provided further,*  
7 *That no amounts may be rescinded pursuant to the pre-*  
8 *ceding proviso from amounts made available in the first*  
9 *proviso for Research: National Priorities: Provided further,*  
10 *That of the amounts made available under this heading,*  
11 *not less than \$5,000,000 shall be used to investigate health*  
12 *impacts from exposure to harmful algal blooms and*  
13 *cyanobacteria toxins, and to develop innovative methods to*  
14 *monitor, characterize, and predict blooms for early action.*

15 *ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS AND MANAGEMENT*

16 *(INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)*

17 *For environmental programs and management, in-*  
18 *cluding necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, for*  
19 *personnel and related costs and travel expenses; hire of pas-*  
20 *senger motor vehicles; hire, maintenance, and operation of*  
21 *aircraft; purchase of reprints; library memberships in soci-*  
22 *eties or associations which issue publications to members*  
23 *only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers*  
24 *who are not members; administrative costs of the*  
25 *brownfields program under the Small Business Liability*

1 *Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002; imple-*  
2 *mentation of a coal combustion residual permit program*  
3 *under section 2301 of the Water and Waste Act of 2016;*  
4 *and not to exceed \$9,000 for official reception and represen-*  
5 *tation expenses, \$2,659,675,000, to remain available until*  
6 *September 30, 2020: Provided, That of the funds included*  
7 *under this heading, \$15,000,000 shall be for Environmental*  
8 *Protection: National Priorities as specified in the report ac-*  
9 *companying this Act: Provided further, That of the funds*  
10 *included under this heading, \$454,958,000 shall be for Geo-*  
11 *graphic Programs specified in the report accompanying*  
12 *this Act: Provided further, That of the unobligated balances*  
13 *from appropriations made available under this heading,*  
14 *\$61,676,000 are permanently rescinded: Provided further,*  
15 *That no amounts may be rescinded pursuant to the pre-*  
16 *ceding proviso from amounts made available in the first*  
17 *proviso for Environmental Protection: National Priorities,*  
18 *from amounts made available in the second proviso for Geo-*  
19 *graphic Programs, or from the National Estuary Program*  
20 *(33 U.S.C. 1330).*

21 *In addition, \$5,000,000 to remain available until ex-*  
22 *pendent, for necessary expenses of activities described in sec-*  
23 *tion 26(b)(1) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (15*  
24 *U.S.C. 2625(b)(1)): Provided, That fees collected pursuant*  
25 *to that section of that Act and deposited in the “TSCA Serv-*

1 *ice Fee Fund” as discretionary offsetting receipts in fiscal*  
2 *year 2019 shall be retained and used for necessary salaries*  
3 *and expenses in this appropriation and shall remain avail-*  
4 *able until expended: Provided further, That the sum herein*  
5 *appropriated in this paragraph from the general fund for*  
6 *fiscal year 2019 shall be reduced by the amount of discre-*  
7 *tionary offsetting receipts received during fiscal year 2019,*  
8 *so as to result in a final fiscal year 2019 appropriation*  
9 *from the general fund estimated at not more than \$0: Pro-*  
10 *vided further, That to the extent that amounts realized from*  
11 *such receipts exceed \$5,000,000, those amount in excess of*  
12 *\$5,000,000 shall be deposited in the “TSCA Service Fee*  
13 *Fund” as discretionary offsetting receipts in fiscal year*  
14 *2019, shall be retained and used for necessary salaries and*  
15 *expenses in this account, and shall remain available until*  
16 *expended: Provided further, That of the funds included in*  
17 *the first paragraph under this heading, the Chemical Risk*  
18 *Review and Reduction program project shall be allocated*  
19 *for this fiscal year, excluding the amount of any fees appro-*  
20 *priated, not less than the amount of appropriations for that*  
21 *program project for fiscal year 2014.*

22 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

23 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
24 *eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General*

1 *Act of 1978, \$41,489,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
2 *tember 30, 2020.*

3 *BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES*

4 *For construction, repair, improvement, extension, al-*  
5 *teration, and purchase of fixed equipment or facilities of,*  
6 *or for use by, the Environmental Protection Agency,*  
7 *\$34,467,000, to remain available until expended.*

8 *HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE SUPERFUND*

9 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

10 *For necessary expenses to carry out the Comprehensive*  
11 *Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act*  
12 *of 1980 (CERCLA), including sections 111(c)(3), (c)(5),*  
13 *(c)(6), and (e)(4) (42 U.S.C. 9611) \$1,091,947,000, to re-*  
14 *main available until expended, consisting of such sums as*  
15 *are available in the Trust Fund on September 30, 2018,*  
16 *as authorized by section 517(a) of the Superfund Amend-*  
17 *ments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) and up*  
18 *to \$1,091,947,000 as a payment from general revenues to*  
19 *the Hazardous Substance Superfund for purposes as au-*  
20 *thorized by section 517(b) of SARA: Provided, That funds*  
21 *appropriated under this heading may be allocated to other*  
22 *Federal agencies in accordance with section 111(a) of*  
23 *CERCLA: Provided further, That of the funds appropriated*  
24 *under this heading, \$8,718,000 shall be paid to the “Office*  
25 *of Inspector General” appropriation to remain available*

1 *until September 30, 2020, and \$17,398,000 shall be paid*  
2 *to the “Science and Technology” appropriation to remain*  
3 *available until September 30, 2020.*

4 *LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK TRUST FUND*  
5 *PROGRAM*

6 *For necessary expenses to carry out leaking under-*  
7 *ground storage tank cleanup activities authorized by sub-*  
8 *title I of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, \$91,941,000, to re-*  
9 *main available until expended, of which \$66,572,000 shall*  
10 *be for carrying out leaking underground storage tank clean-*  
11 *up activities authorized by section 9003(h) of the Solid*  
12 *Waste Disposal Act; \$25,369,000 shall be for carrying out*  
13 *the other provisions of the Solid Waste Disposal Act speci-*  
14 *fied in section 9508(c) of the Internal Revenue Code: Pro-*  
15 *vided, That the Administrator is authorized to use appro-*  
16 *priations made available under this heading to implement*  
17 *section 9013 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide fi-*  
18 *nancial assistance to federally recognized Indian tribes for*  
19 *the development and implementation of programs to man-*  
20 *age underground storage tanks.*

21 *INLAND OIL SPILL PROGRAMS*

22 *For expenses necessary to carry out the Environmental*  
23 *Protection Agency’s responsibilities under the Oil Pollution*  
24 *Act of 1990, \$18,209,000, to be derived from the Oil Spill*  
25 *Liability trust fund, to remain available until expended.*

1            *STATE AND TRIBAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS*

2            *For environmental programs and infrastructure as-*  
3 *sistance, including capitalization grants for State revolving*  
4 *funds and performance partnership grants, \$3,575,041,000,*  
5 *to remain available until expended, of which—*

6            (1) *\$1,394,000,000 shall be for making capital-*  
7 *ization grants for the Clean Water State Revolving*  
8 *Funds under title VI of the Federal Water Pollution*  
9 *Control Act; and of which \$864,000,000 shall be for*  
10 *making capitalization grants for the Drinking Water*  
11 *State Revolving Funds under section 1452 of the Safe*  
12 *Drinking Water Act: Provided, That for fiscal year*  
13 *2019, to the extent there are sufficient eligible project*  
14 *applications and projects are consistent with State*  
15 *Intended Use Plans, not less than 10 percent of the*  
16 *funds made available under this title to each State for*  
17 *Clean Water State Revolving Fund capitalization*  
18 *grants shall be used by the State for projects to ad-*  
19 *dress green infrastructure, water or energy efficiency*  
20 *improvements, or other environmentally innovative*  
21 *activities: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2019,*  
22 *funds made available under this title to each State for*  
23 *Drinking Water State Revolving Fund capitalization*  
24 *grants may, at the discretion of each State, be used*  
25 *for projects to address green infrastructure, water or*

1 *energy efficiency improvements, or other environ-*  
2 *mentally innovative activities: Provided further, That*  
3 *notwithstanding section 603(d)(7) of the Federal*  
4 *Water Pollution Control Act, the limitation on the*  
5 *amounts in a State water pollution control revolving*  
6 *fund that may be used by a State to administer the*  
7 *fund shall not apply to amounts included as prin-*  
8 *cipal in loans made by such fund in fiscal year 2019*  
9 *and prior years where such amounts represent costs*  
10 *of administering the fund to the extent that such*  
11 *amounts are or were deemed reasonable by the Ad-*  
12 *ministrator, accounted for separately from other as-*  
13 *sets in the fund, and used for eligible purposes of the*  
14 *fund, including administration: Provided further,*  
15 *That for fiscal year 2019, notwithstanding the provi-*  
16 *sions of subsections (g)(1), (h), and (l) of section 201*  
17 *of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, grants*  
18 *made under title II of such Act for American Samoa,*  
19 *Guam, the commonwealth of the Northern Marianas,*  
20 *the United States Virgin Islands, and the District of*  
21 *Columbia may also be made for the purpose of pro-*  
22 *viding assistance: (1) solely for facility plans, design*  
23 *activities, or plans, specifications, and estimates for*  
24 *any proposed project for the construction of treatment*  
25 *works; and (2) for the construction, repair, or replace-*



1 *ment of privately owned treatment works serving one*  
2 *or more principal residences or small commercial es-*  
3 *tablishments: Provided further, That for fiscal year*  
4 *2019, notwithstanding the provisions of such sub-*  
5 *sections (g)(1), (h), and (l) of section 201 and section*  
6 *518(c) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act,*  
7 *funds reserved by the Administrator for grants under*  
8 *section 518(c) of the Federal Water Pollution Control*  
9 *Act may also be used to provide assistance: (1) solely*  
10 *for facility plans, design activities, or plans, speci-*  
11 *fications, and estimates for any proposed project for*  
12 *the construction of treatment works; and (2) for the*  
13 *construction, repair, or replacement of privately*  
14 *owned treatment works serving one or more principal*  
15 *residences or small commercial establishments: Pro-*  
16 *vided further, That for fiscal year 2019, notwith-*  
17 *standing any provision of the Federal Water Pollu-*  
18 *tion Control Act and regulations issued pursuant*  
19 *thereof, up to a total of \$2,000,000 of the funds re-*  
20 *served by the Administrator for grants under section*  
21 *518(c) of such Act may also be used for grants for*  
22 *training, technical assistance, and educational pro-*  
23 *grams relating to the operation and management of*  
24 *the treatment works specified in section 518(c) of such*  
25 *Act: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2019, funds*

1 *reserved under section 518(c) of such Act shall be*  
2 *available for grants only to Indian tribes, as defined*  
3 *in section 518(h) of such Act and former Indian res-*  
4 *ervations in Oklahoma (as determined by the Sec-*  
5 *retary of the Interior) and Native Villages as defined*  
6 *in Public Law 92–203: Provided further, That for fis-*  
7 *cal year 2019, notwithstanding the limitation on*  
8 *amounts in section 518(c) of the Federal Water Pollu-*  
9 *tion Control Act, up to a total of 2 percent of the*  
10 *funds appropriated, or \$30,000,000, whichever is*  
11 *greater, and notwithstanding the limitation on*  
12 *amounts in section 1452(i) of the Safe Drinking*  
13 *Water Act, up to a total of 2 percent of the funds ap-*  
14 *propriated, or \$20,000,000, whichever is greater, for*  
15 *State Revolving Funds under such Acts may be re-*  
16 *served by the Administrator for grants under section*  
17 *518(c) and section 1452(i) of such Acts: Provided fur-*  
18 *ther, That for fiscal year 2019, notwithstanding the*  
19 *amounts specified in section 205(c) of the Federal*  
20 *Water Pollution Control Act, up to 1.5 percent of the*  
21 *aggregate funds appropriated for the Clean Water*  
22 *State Revolving Fund program under the Act less any*  
23 *sums reserved under section 518(c) of the Act, may be*  
24 *reserved by the Administrator for grants made under*  
25 *title II of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act for*

1 *American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of the*  
2 *Northern Marianas, and United States Virgin Is-*  
3 *lands: Provided further, That for fiscal year 2019,*  
4 *notwithstanding the limitations on amounts specified*  
5 *in section 1452(j) of the Safe Drinking Water Act, up*  
6 *to 1.5 percent of the funds appropriated for the*  
7 *Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs*  
8 *under the Safe Drinking Water Act may be reserved*  
9 *by the Administrator for grants made under section*  
10 *1452(j) of the Safe Drinking Water Act: Provided fur-*  
11 *ther, That 10 percent of the funds made available*  
12 *under this title to each State for Clean Water State*  
13 *Revolving Fund capitalization grants and 20 percent*  
14 *of the funds made available under this title to each*  
15 *State for Drinking Water State Revolving Fund cap-*  
16 *italization grants shall be used by the State to pro-*  
17 *vide additional subsidy to eligible recipients in the*  
18 *form of forgiveness of principal, negative interest*  
19 *loans, or grants (or any combination of these), and*  
20 *shall be so used by the State only where such funds*  
21 *are provided as initial financing for an eligible re-*  
22 *cipient or to buy, refinance, or restructure the debt*  
23 *obligations of eligible recipients only where such debt*  
24 *was incurred on or after the date of enactment of this*  
25 *Act, or where such debt was incurred prior to the date*

1 *of enactment of this Act if the State, with concurrence*  
2 *from the Administrator, determines that such funds*  
3 *could be used to help address a threat to public health*  
4 *from heightened exposure to lead in drinking water or*  
5 *if a Federal or State emergency declaration has been*  
6 *issued due to a threat to public health from height-*  
7 *ened exposure to lead in a municipal drinking water*  
8 *supply before the date of enactment of this Act: Pro-*  
9 *vided further, That in a State in which such an emer-*  
10 *gency declaration has been issued, the State may use*  
11 *more than 20 percent of the funds made available*  
12 *under this title to the State for Drinking Water State*  
13 *Revolving Fund capitalization grants to provide ad-*  
14 *ditional subsidy to eligible recipients;*

15 (2) *\$15,000,000 shall be for architectural, engi-*  
16 *neering, planning, design, construction and related*  
17 *activities in connection with the construction of high*  
18 *priority water and wastewater facilities in the area*  
19 *of the United States-Mexico Border, after consultation*  
20 *with the appropriate border commission: Provided,*  
21 *That no funds provided by this appropriations Act to*  
22 *address the water, wastewater and other critical in-*  
23 *frastructure needs of the colonias in the United States*  
24 *along the United States-Mexico border shall be made*  
25 *available to a county or municipal government unless*

1     *that government has established an enforceable local*  
2     *ordinance, or other zoning rule, which prevents in*  
3     *that jurisdiction the development or construction of*  
4     *any additional colonia areas, or the development*  
5     *within an existing colonia the construction of any*  
6     *new home, business, or other structure which lacks*  
7     *water, wastewater, or other necessary infrastructure;*

8             *(3) \$25,000,000 shall be for grants to the State*  
9     *of Alaska to address drinking water and wastewater*  
10    *infrastructure needs of rural and Alaska Native Vil-*  
11    *lages: Provided, That of these funds: (A) the State of*  
12    *Alaska shall provide a match of 25 percent; (B) no*  
13    *more than 5 percent of the funds may be used for ad-*  
14    *ministrative and overhead expenses; and (C) the State*  
15    *of Alaska shall make awards consistent with the*  
16    *Statewide priority list established in conjunction with*  
17    *the Agency and the U.S. Department of Agriculture*  
18    *for all water, sewer, waste disposal, and similar*  
19    *projects carried out by the State of Alaska that are*  
20    *funded under section 221 of the Federal Water Pollu-*  
21    *tion Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1301) or the Consolidated*  
22    *Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1921 et*  
23    *seq.) which shall allocate not less than 25 percent of*  
24    *the funds provided for projects in regional hub com-*  
25    *munities;*

1           (4) \$80,000,000 shall be to carry out section  
2           104(k) of the Comprehensive Environmental Re-  
3           sponse, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980  
4           (CERCLA), including grants, interagency agree-  
5           ments, and associated program support costs: Pro-  
6           vided, That not more than 25 percent of the amount  
7           appropriated to carry out section 104(k) of CERCLA  
8           shall be used for site characterization, assessment, and  
9           remediation of facilities described in section  
10          101(39)(D)(ii)(II) of CERCLA: Provided further,  
11          That at least 10 percent shall be allocated for assist-  
12          ance in persistent poverty counties: Provided further,  
13          That for purposes of this section, the term “persistent  
14          poverty counties” means any county that has had 20  
15          percent or more of its population living in poverty  
16          over the past 30 years, as measured by the 1990 and  
17          2000 decennial censuses and the most recent Small  
18          Area Income and Poverty Estimates;

19          (5) \$50,000,000 shall be for grants under title  
20          VII, subtitle G of the Energy Policy Act of 2005;

21          (6) \$50,000,000 shall be for targeted airshed  
22          grants in accordance with the terms and conditions  
23          in the report accompanying this Act;

24          (7) \$4,000,000 shall be to carry out the water  
25          quality program authorized in section 5004(d) of the

1 *Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation*  
2 *Act (Public Law 114–322); and*

3 (8) \$1,093,041,000 shall be for grants, including  
4 associated program support costs, to States, federally  
5 recognized tribes, interstate agencies, tribal consortia,  
6 and air pollution control agencies for multi-media or  
7 single media pollution prevention, control and abate-  
8 ment and related activities, including activities pur-  
9 suant to the provisions set forth under this heading  
10 in Public Law 104–134, and for making grants under  
11 section 103 of the Clean Air Act for particulate mat-  
12 ter monitoring and data collection activities subject to  
13 terms and conditions specified by the Administrator,  
14 of which: \$47,745,000 shall be for carrying out section  
15 128 of CERCLA; \$9,646,000 shall be for Environ-  
16 mental Information Exchange Network grants, in-  
17 cluding associated program support costs; \$1,498,000  
18 shall be for grants to States under section 2007(f)(2)  
19 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, which shall be in ad-  
20 dition to funds appropriated under the heading  
21 “Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund  
22 Program” to carry out the provisions of the Solid  
23 Waste Disposal Act specified in section 9508(c) of the  
24 Internal Revenue Code other than section 9003(h) of  
25 the Solid Waste Disposal Act; \$17,848,000 of the

1 *funds available for grants under section 106 of the*  
2 *Federal Water Pollution Control Act shall be for State*  
3 *participation in national- and State-level statistical*  
4 *surveys of water resources and enhancements to State*  
5 *monitoring programs; \$27,000,000 shall be for multi-*  
6 *purpose grants, including interagency agreements.*

7 *WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCE AND INNOVATION*

8 *PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

9 *For the cost of direct loans and for the cost of guaran-*  
10 *teed loans, as authorized by the Water Infrastructure Fi-*  
11 *nance and Innovation Act of 2014, \$5,000,000, to remain*  
12 *available until expended: Provided, That such costs, includ-*  
13 *ing the cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined*  
14 *in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: Pro-*  
15 *vided further, That these funds are available to subsidize*  
16 *gross obligations for the principal amount of direct loans,*  
17 *including capitalized interest, and total loan principal, in-*  
18 *cluding capitalized interest, any part of which is to be*  
19 *guaranteed, not to exceed \$610,000,000.*

20 *In addition, fees authorized to be collected pursuant*  
21 *to sections 5029 and 5030 of the Water Infrastructure Fi-*  
22 *nance and Innovation Act of 2014 shall be deposited in this*  
23 *account, to remain available until expended.*

24 *In addition, for administrative expenses to carry out*  
25 *the direct and guaranteed loan programs, notwithstanding*



1 *section 5033 of the Water Infrastructure Finance and Inno-*  
2 *vation Act of 2014, \$5,000,000, to remain available until*  
3 *September 30, 2020.*

4 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—ENVIRONMENTAL*  
5 *PROTECTION AGENCY*

6 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS AND RESCISSION OF FUNDS)*

7 *For fiscal year 2019, notwithstanding 31 U.S.C.*  
8 *6303(1) and 6305(1), the Administrator of the Environ-*  
9 *mental Protection Agency, in carrying out the Agency’s*  
10 *function to implement directly Federal environmental pro-*  
11 *grams required or authorized by law in the absence of an*  
12 *acceptable tribal program, may award cooperative agree-*  
13 *ments to federally recognized Indian tribes or Intertribal*  
14 *consortia, if authorized by their member tribes, to assist the*  
15 *Administrator in implementing Federal environmental*  
16 *programs for Indian tribes required or authorized by law,*  
17 *except that no such cooperative agreements may be awarded*  
18 *from funds designated for State financial assistance agree-*  
19 *ments.*

20 *The Administrator of the Environmental Protection*  
21 *Agency is authorized to collect and obligate pesticide reg-*  
22 *istration service fees in accordance with section 33 of the*  
23 *Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as*  
24 *amended by Public Law 112–177, the Pesticide Registra-*  
25 *tion Improvement Extension Act of 2012.*

1        *Notwithstanding section 33(d)(2) of the Federal Insec-*  
2 *ticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) (7 U.S.C.*  
3 *136w-8(d)(2)), the Administrator of the Environmental*  
4 *Protection Agency may assess fees under section 33 of*  
5 *FIFRA (7 U.S.C. 136w-8) for fiscal year 2019.*

6        *The Administrator is authorized to transfer up to*  
7 *\$300,000,000 of the funds appropriated for the Great Lakes*  
8 *Restoration Initiative under the heading “Environmental*  
9 *Programs and Management” to the head of any Federal de-*  
10 *partment or agency, with the concurrence of such head, to*  
11 *carry out activities that would support the Great Lakes*  
12 *Restoration Initiative and Great Lakes Water Quality*  
13 *Agreement programs, projects, or activities; to enter into*  
14 *an interagency agreement with the head of such Federal de-*  
15 *partment or agency to carry out these activities; and to*  
16 *make grants to governmental entities, nonprofit organiza-*  
17 *tions, institutions, and individuals for planning, research,*  
18 *monitoring, outreach, and implementation in furtherance*  
19 *of the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative and the Great*  
20 *Lakes Water Quality Agreement.*

21        *The Science and Technology, Environmental Programs*  
22 *and Management, Office of Inspector General, Hazardous*  
23 *Substance Superfund, and Leaking Underground Storage*  
24 *Tank Trust Fund Program Accounts, are available for the*  
25 *construction, alteration, repair, rehabilitation, and renova-*

1 *tion of facilities, provided that the cost does not exceed*  
2 *\$150,000 per project.*

3 *For fiscal year 2019, and notwithstanding section*  
4 *518(f) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33*  
5 *U.S.C. 1377(f)), the Administrator is authorized to use the*  
6 *amounts appropriated for any fiscal year under section 319*  
7 *of the Act to make grants to Indian tribes pursuant to sec-*  
8 *tions 319(h) and 518(e) of that Act.*

9 *The Administrator is authorized to use the amounts*  
10 *appropriated under the heading “Environmental Programs*  
11 *and Management” for fiscal year 2019 to provide grants*  
12 *to implement the Southeastern New England Watershed*  
13 *Restoration Program.*

14 *The Administrator of the Environmental Protection*  
15 *Agency is authorized to collect and obligate fees in accord-*  
16 *ance with section 3024 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act (42*  
17 *U.S.C. 6939g) for fiscal year 2019.*

18 *Of the unobligated balances available for the “State*  
19 *and Tribal Assistance Grants” account, \$109,078,000 are*  
20 *hereby permanently rescinded: Provided, That no amounts*  
21 *may be rescinded from amounts that were designated by*  
22 *the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to the*  
23 *Concurrent Resolution on the Budget or the Balanced Budg-*  
24 *et and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or from*  
25 *amounts that were made available by subsection (a) of sec-*

1 *tion 196 of the Continuing Appropriations Act, 2017 (divi-*  
2 *sion C of Public Law 114–223), as amended by the Further*  
3 *Continuing and Security Assistance Appropriations Act,*  
4 *2017 (Public Law 114–254).*

5 *Using funds appropriated under this title, the Admin-*  
6 *istrator of the Environmental Protection Agency shall im-*  
7 *plement the recommendations described in the report of the*  
8 *Office of Inspector General of the Environmental Protection*  
9 *Agency entitled “Management Weakness Delayed Response*  
10 *to Flint Water Crisis”, numbered 18–P–0221, and dated*  
11 *July 19, 2018, to ensure clean and safe water compliance*  
12 *under the Safe Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C. 300f et seq.).*  
13 *If the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agen-*  
14 *cy does not implement 1 or more recommendations required*  
15 *by the preceding sentence, the Administrator shall submit*  
16 *to the Committees on Appropriations and Environment and*  
17 *Public Works of the Senate and the Committees on Appro-*  
18 *priations and Energy and Commerce of the House of Rep-*  
19 *resentatives a report explaining why the Administrator did*  
20 *not implement the recommendation and identifying specific*  
21 *actions the Administrator is implementing to address the*  
22 *concerns raised in the report.*

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*TITLE III*

*RELATED AGENCIES*

*DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE*

*OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR NATURAL  
RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT*

*For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Secretary for Natural Resources and Environment, \$875,000: Provided, That funds made available by this Act to any agency in the Natural Resources and Environment mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund up to one administrative support staff for the office.*

*FOREST SERVICE*

*FOREST AND RANGELAND RESEARCH*

*For necessary expenses of forest and rangeland research as authorized by law, \$300,000,000, to remain available through September 30, 2022, of which not less than \$500,000 shall be made available for wood utilization research to develop woody and agricultural biomass conversion of low-value woody biomass using microwave-assisted liquefaction: Provided, That of the funds provided, \$77,000,000 is for the forest inventory and analysis program: Provided further, That all authorities for the use of funds, including the use of contracts, grants, and cooperative agreements, available to execute the Forest and Range-*

1 *land Research appropriation, are also available in the utili-*  
2 *zation of these funds for Fire Science Research.*

3 *STATE AND PRIVATE FORESTRY*

4 *For necessary expenses of cooperating with and pro-*  
5 *viding technical and financial assistance to States, terri-*  
6 *ories, possessions, and others, and for forest health manage-*  
7 *ment, and conducting an international program as author-*  
8 *ized, \$333,990,000, to remain available through September*  
9 *30, 2022, as authorized by law; of which \$65,490,000 is to*  
10 *be derived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund*  
11 *to be used for the Forest Legacy Program, to remain avail-*  
12 *able until expended.*

13 *NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM*

14 *For necessary expenses of the Forest Service, not other-*  
15 *wise provided for, for management, protection, improve-*  
16 *ment, and utilization of the National Forest System, and*  
17 *for hazardous fuels management on or adjacent to such*  
18 *lands, \$1,937,653,000, to remain available through Sep-*  
19 *tember 30, 2022: Provided, That of the funds provided,*  
20 *\$40,000,000 shall be deposited in the Collaborative Forest*  
21 *Landscape Restoration Fund for ecological restoration*  
22 *treatments as authorized by 16 U.S.C. 7303(f): Provided*  
23 *further, That of the funds provided, \$368,000,000 shall be*  
24 *for forest products: Provided further, That of the funds pro-*  
25 *vided, \$435,000,000 shall be for hazardous fuels manage-*

1 *ment activities, of which not to exceed \$15,000,000 may be*  
2 *used to make grants, using any authorities available to the*  
3 *Forest Service under the “State and Private Forestry” ap-*  
4 *propriation, for the purpose of creating incentives for in-*  
5 *creased use of biomass from National Forest System lands:*  
6 *Provided further, That \$20,000,000 may be used by the Sec-*  
7 *retary of Agriculture to enter into procurement contracts*  
8 *or cooperative agreements or to issue grants for hazardous*  
9 *fuels management activities, and for training or moni-*  
10 *toring associated with such hazardous fuels management*  
11 *activities on Federal land, or on non-Federal land if the*  
12 *Secretary determines such activities benefit resources on*  
13 *Federal land: Provided further, That funds made available*  
14 *to implement the Community Forestry Restoration Act,*  
15 *Public Law 106–393, title VI, shall be available for use on*  
16 *non-Federal lands in accordance with authorities made*  
17 *available to the Forest Service under the “State and Private*  
18 *Forestry” appropriations: Provided further, That notwith-*  
19 *standing section 33 of the Bankhead Jones Farm Tenant*  
20 *Act (7 U.S.C. 1012), the Secretary of Agriculture, in calcu-*  
21 *lating a fee for grazing on a National Grassland, may pro-*  
22 *vide a credit of up to 50 percent of the calculated fee to*  
23 *a Grazing Association or direct permittee for a conservation*  
24 *practice approved by the Secretary in advance of the fiscal*  
25 *year in which the cost of the conservation practice is in-*

1 *curred. And, that the amount credited shall remain avail-*  
2 *able to the Grazing Association or the direct permittee, as*  
3 *appropriate, in the fiscal year in which the credit is made*  
4 *and each fiscal year thereafter for use on the project for*  
5 *conservation practices approved by the Secretary.*

6 *CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND MAINTENANCE*

7 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

8 *For necessary expenses of the Forest Service, not other-*  
9 *wise provided for, \$449,000,000, to remain available*  
10 *through September 30, 2022, for construction, capital im-*  
11 *provement, maintenance and acquisition of buildings and*  
12 *other facilities and infrastructure; and for construction, re-*  
13 *construction, decommissioning of roads that are no longer*  
14 *needed, including unauthorized roads that are not part of*  
15 *the transportation system, and maintenance of forest roads*  
16 *and trails by the Forest Service as authorized by 16 U.S.C.*  
17 *532–538 and 23 U.S.C. 101 and 205: Provided, That funds*  
18 *becoming available in fiscal year 2019 under the Act of*  
19 *March 4, 1913 (16 U.S.C. 501) shall be transferred to the*  
20 *General Fund of the Treasury and shall not be available*  
21 *for transfer or obligation for any other purpose unless the*  
22 *funds are appropriated.*



1                                    *LAND ACQUISITION*  
2                                    *(INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)*

3            *For expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of*  
4 *chapter 2003 of title 54, United States Code, including ad-*  
5 *ministrative expenses, and for acquisition of land or waters,*  
6 *or interest therein, in accordance with statutory authority*  
7 *applicable to the Forest Service, \$74,099,000, to be derived*  
8 *from the Land and Water Conservation Fund and to re-*  
9 *main available until expended.*

10           *Of the unobligated balances from amounts made avail-*  
11 *able for Land Acquisition and derived from the Land and*  
12 *Water Conservation Fund, \$16,028,000 is hereby perma-*  
13 *nently rescinded from projects with cost savings or failed*  
14 *or partially failed projects that had funds returned: Pro-*  
15 *vided, That no amounts may be rescinded from amounts*  
16 *that were designated by the Congress as an emergency re-*  
17 *quirement pursuant to the Concurrent Resolution on the*  
18 *Budget or the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit*  
19 *Control Act of 1985.*

20    *ACQUISITION OF LANDS FOR NATIONAL FORESTS SPECIAL*  
21                                    *ACTS*

22           *For acquisition of lands within the exterior boundaries*  
23 *of the Cache, Uinta, and Wasatch National Forests, Utah;*  
24 *the Toiyabe National Forest, Nevada; and the Angeles, San*  
25 *Bernardino, Sequoia, and Cleveland National Forests, Cali-*

1 *for*nia; and the Ozark-St. Francis and Ouachita National  
2 Forests, Arkansas; as authorized by law, \$700,000, to be  
3 derived from forest receipts.

4 ACQUISITION OF LANDS TO COMPLETE LAND EXCHANGES

5 *For acquisition of lands, such sums, to be derived from*  
6 *funds deposited by State, county, or municipal govern-*  
7 *ments, public school districts, or other public school authori-*  
8 *ties, and for authorized expenditures from funds deposited*  
9 *by non-Federal parties pursuant to Land Sale and Ex-*  
10 *change Acts, pursuant to the Act of December 4, 1967 (16*  
11 *U.S.C. 484a), to remain available through September 30,*  
12 *2021, (16 U.S.C. 516–617a, 555a; Public Law 96–586; Pub-*  
13 *lic Law 76–589, 76–591; and Public Law 78–310).*

14 RANGE BETTERMENT FUND

15 *For necessary expenses of range rehabilitation, protec-*  
16 *tion, and improvement, 50 percent of all moneys received*  
17 *during the prior fiscal year, as fees for grazing domestic*  
18 *livestock on lands in National Forests in the 16 Western*  
19 *States, pursuant to section 401(b)(1) of Public Law 94–*  
20 *579, to remain available through September 30, 2022, of*  
21 *which not to exceed 6 percent shall be available for adminis-*  
22 *trative expenses associated with on-the-ground range reha-*  
23 *bilitation, protection, and improvements.*

1 *GIFTS, DONATIONS AND REQUESTS FOR FOREST AND*

2 *RANGELAND RESEARCH*

3 *For expenses authorized by 16 U.S.C. 1643(b),*  
4 *\$45,000, to remain available through September 30, 2022,*  
5 *to be derived from the fund established pursuant to the*  
6 *above Act.*

7 *MANAGEMENT OF NATIONAL FOREST LANDS FOR*

8 *SUBSISTENCE USES*

9 *For necessary expenses of the Forest Service to manage*  
10 *Federal lands in Alaska for subsistence uses under title VIII*  
11 *of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (16*  
12 *U.S.C. 3111 et seq.), \$2,500,000, to remain available*  
13 *through September 30, 2022.*

14 *WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT*

15 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

16 *For necessary expenses for forest fire presuppression*  
17 *activities on National Forest System lands, for emergency*  
18 *wildland fire suppression on or adjacent to such lands or*  
19 *other lands under fire protection agreement, and for emer-*  
20 *gency rehabilitation of burned-over National Forest System*  
21 *lands and water, \$3,229,620,000, to remain available*  
22 *through September 30, 2022: Provided, That such funds in-*  
23 *cluding unobligated balances under this heading, are avail-*  
24 *able for repayment of advances from other appropriations*  
25 *accounts previously transferred for such purposes: Provided*

1 *further, That any unobligated funds appropriated in a pre-*  
2 *vious fiscal year for hazardous fuels management may be*  
3 *transferred to the “National Forest System” account: Pro-*  
4 *vided further, That such funds shall be available to reim-*  
5 *burse State and other cooperating entities for services pro-*  
6 *vided in response to wildfire and other emergencies or disas-*  
7 *ters to the extent such reimbursements by the Forest Service*  
8 *for non-fire emergencies are fully repaid by the responsible*  
9 *emergency management agency: Provided further, That*  
10 *funds provided shall be available for support to Federal*  
11 *emergency response: Provided further, That the costs of im-*  
12 *plementing any cooperative agreement between the Federal*  
13 *Government and any non-Federal entity may be shared, as*  
14 *mutually agreed on by the affected parties: Provided fur-*  
15 *ther, That funds designated for wildfire suppression, shall*  
16 *be assessed for cost pools on the same basis as such assess-*  
17 *ments are calculated against other agency programs.*

18 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FOREST SERVICE*

19 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

20 *Appropriations to the Forest Service for the current*  
21 *fiscal year shall be available for: (1) purchase of passenger*  
22 *motor vehicles; acquisition of passenger motor vehicles from*  
23 *excess sources, and hire of such vehicles; purchase, lease, op-*  
24 *eration, maintenance, and acquisition of aircraft to main-*  
25 *tain the operable fleet for use in Forest Service wildland*

1 *fire programs and other Forest Service programs; notwith-*  
2 *standing other provisions of law, existing aircraft being re-*  
3 *placed may be sold, with proceeds derived or trade-in value*  
4 *used to offset the purchase price for the replacement air-*  
5 *craft; (2) services pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2225, and not to*  
6 *exceed \$100,000 for employment under 5 U.S.C. 3109; (3)*  
7 *purchase, erection, and alteration of buildings and other*  
8 *public improvements (7 U.S.C. 2250); (4) acquisition of*  
9 *land, waters, and interests therein pursuant to 7 U.S.C.*  
10 *428a; (5) for expenses pursuant to the Volunteers in the Na-*  
11 *tional Forest Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. 558a, 558d, and 558a*  
12 *note); (6) the cost of uniforms as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
13 *5901–5902; and (7) for debt collection contracts in accord-*  
14 *ance with 31 U.S.C. 3718(c).*

15 *Any appropriations or funds available to the Forest*  
16 *Service may be transferred to the Wildland Fire Manage-*  
17 *ment appropriation for forest firefighting, emergency reha-*  
18 *bilitation of burned-over or damaged lands or waters under*  
19 *its jurisdiction, and fire preparedness due to severe burning*  
20 *conditions upon the Secretary’s notification of the House*  
21 *and Senate Committees on Appropriations that all fire sup-*  
22 *pression funds appropriated under the heading “Wildland*  
23 *Fire Management” will be obligated within 30 days: Pro-*  
24 *vided, That all funds used pursuant to this paragraph must*

1 *be replenished by a supplemental appropriation which must*  
2 *be requested as promptly as possible.*

3 *Not more than \$50,000,000 of funds appropriated to*  
4 *the Forest Service shall be available for expenditure or*  
5 *transfer to the Department of the Interior for wildland fire*  
6 *management, hazardous fuels management, and State fire*  
7 *assistance when such transfers would facilitate and expedite*  
8 *wildland fire management programs and projects.*

9 *Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the*  
10 *Forest Service may transfer unobligated balances of discre-*  
11 *tionary funds appropriated to the Forest Service by this*  
12 *Act to or within the National Forest System Account, or*  
13 *reprogram funds to be used for the purposes of hazardous*  
14 *fuels management and urgent rehabilitation of burned-over*  
15 *National Forest System lands and water, such transferred*  
16 *funds shall remain available through September 30, 2022:*  
17 *Provided, That none of the funds transferred pursuant to*  
18 *this section shall be available for obligation without written*  
19 *notification to and the prior approval of the Committees*  
20 *on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress: Provided*  
21 *further, That this section does not apply to funds appro-*  
22 *priated to the FLAME Wildfire Suppression Reserve Fund*  
23 *or funds derived from the Land and Water Conservation*  
24 *Fund.*

1        *Funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be*  
2 *available for assistance to or through the Agency for Inter-*  
3 *national Development in connection with forest and range-*  
4 *land research, technical information, and assistance in for-*  
5 *ign countries, and shall be available to support forestry*  
6 *and related natural resource activities outside the United*  
7 *States and its territories and possessions, including tech-*  
8 *nical assistance, education and training, and cooperation*  
9 *with U.S., private, and international organizations. The*  
10 *Forest Service, acting for the International Program, may*  
11 *sign direct funding agreements with foreign governments*  
12 *and institutions as well as other domestic agencies (includ-*  
13 *ing the U.S. Agency for International Development, the De-*  
14 *partment of State, and the Millennium Challenge Corpora-*  
15 *tion), U.S. private sector firms, institutions and organiza-*  
16 *tions to provide technical assistance and training programs*  
17 *overseas on forestry and rangeland management.*

18        *Funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be*  
19 *available for expenditure or transfer to the Department of*  
20 *the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, for removal,*  
21 *preparation, and adoption of excess wild horses and burros*  
22 *from National Forest System lands, and for the perform-*  
23 *ance of cadastral surveys to designate the boundaries of such*  
24 *lands.*

1        *None of the funds made available to the Forest Service*  
2 *in this Act or any other Act with respect to any fiscal year*  
3 *shall be subject to transfer under the provisions of section*  
4 *702(b) of the Department of Agriculture Organic Act of*  
5 *1944 (7 U.S.C. 2257), section 442 of Public Law 106–224*  
6 *(7 U.S.C. 7772), or section 10417(b) of Public Law 107–*  
7 *171 (7 U.S.C. 8316(b)).*

8        *None of the funds available to the Forest Service may*  
9 *be reprogrammed without the advance approval of the*  
10 *House and Senate Committees on Appropriations in ac-*  
11 *cordance with the reprogramming procedures contained in*  
12 *the report accompanying this Act.*

13        *Not more than \$82,000,000 of funds available to the*  
14 *Forest Service shall be transferred to the Working Capital*  
15 *Fund of the Department of Agriculture and not more than*  
16 *\$14,500,000 of funds available to the Forest Service shall*  
17 *be transferred to the Department of Agriculture for Depart-*  
18 *ment Reimbursable Programs, commonly referred to as*  
19 *Greenbook charges. Nothing in this paragraph shall pro-*  
20 *hibit or limit the use of reimbursable agreements requested*  
21 *by the Forest Service in order to obtain services from the*  
22 *Department of Agriculture’s National Information Tech-*  
23 *nology Center and the Department of Agriculture’s Inter-*  
24 *national Technology Service.*



1        *Of the funds available to the Forest Service, up to*  
2 *\$5,000,000 shall be available for priority projects within*  
3 *the scope of the approved budget, which shall be carried out*  
4 *by the Youth Conservation Corps and shall be carried out*  
5 *under the authority of the Public Lands Corps Act of 1993*  
6 *(16 U.S.C. 1721 et seq.).*

7        *Of the funds available to the Forest Service, \$4,000 is*  
8 *available to the Chief of the Forest Service for official recep-*  
9 *tion and representation expenses.*

10       *Pursuant to sections 405(b) and 410(b) of Public Law*  
11 *101–593, of the funds available to the Forest Service, up*  
12 *to \$3,000,000 may be advanced in a lump sum to the Na-*  
13 *tional Forest Foundation to aid conservation partnership*  
14 *projects in support of the Forest Service mission, without*  
15 *regard to when the Foundation incurs expenses, for projects*  
16 *on or benefitting National Forest System lands or related*  
17 *to Forest Service programs: Provided, That of the Federal*  
18 *funds made available to the Foundation, no more than*  
19 *\$300,000 shall be available for administrative expenses:*  
20 *Provided further, That the Foundation shall obtain, by the*  
21 *end of the period of Federal financial assistance, private*  
22 *contributions to match funds made available by the Forest*  
23 *Service on at least a one-for-one basis: Provided further,*  
24 *That the Foundation may transfer Federal funds to a Fed-*  
25 *eral or a non-Federal recipient for a project at the same*

1 *rate that the recipient has obtained the non-Federal match-*  
2 *ing funds.*

3 *Pursuant to section 2(b)(2) of Public Law 98–244, up*  
4 *to \$3,000,000 of the funds available to the Forest Service*  
5 *may be advanced to the National Fish and Wildlife Foun-*  
6 *dation in a lump sum to aid cost-share conservation*  
7 *projects, without regard to when expenses are incurred, on*  
8 *or benefitting National Forest System lands or related to*  
9 *Forest Service programs: Provided, That such funds shall*  
10 *be matched on at least a one-for-one basis by the Founda-*  
11 *tion or its sub-recipients: Provided further, That the Foun-*  
12 *dation may transfer Federal funds to a Federal or non-*  
13 *Federal recipient for a project at the same rate that the*  
14 *recipient has obtained the non-Federal matching funds.*

15 *Funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be*  
16 *available for interactions with and providing technical as-*  
17 *sistance to rural communities and natural resource-based*  
18 *businesses for sustainable rural development purposes.*

19 *Funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be*  
20 *available for payments to counties within the Columbia*  
21 *River Gorge National Scenic Area, pursuant to section*  
22 *14(c)(1) and (2), and section 16(a)(2) of Public Law 99–*  
23 *663.*

24 *Any funds appropriated to the Forest Service may be*  
25 *used to meet the non-Federal share requirement in section*

1 502(c) of the Older Americans Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C.  
2 3056(c)(2)).

3       *The Forest Service shall not assess funds for the pur-*  
4 *pose of performing fire, administrative, and other facilities*  
5 *maintenance and decommissioning.*

6       *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, of any*  
7 *appropriations or funds available to the Forest Service, not*  
8 *to exceed \$500,000 may be used to reimburse the Office of*  
9 *the General Counsel (OGC), Department of Agriculture, for*  
10 *travel and related expenses incurred as a result of OGC as-*  
11 *sistance or participation requested by the Forest Service at*  
12 *meetings, training sessions, management reviews, land pur-*  
13 *chase negotiations and similar matters unrelated to civil*  
14 *litigation. Future budget justifications for both the Forest*  
15 *Service and the Department of Agriculture should clearly*  
16 *display the sums previously transferred and the sums re-*  
17 *quested for transfer.*

18       *An eligible individual who is employed in any project*  
19 *funded under title V of the Older Americans Act of 1965*  
20 *(42 U.S.C. 3056 et seq.) and administered by the Forest*  
21 *Service shall be considered to be a Federal employee for pur-*  
22 *poses of chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code.*

23       *Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act,*  
24 *through the Office of Budget and Program Analysis, the*  
25 *Forest Service shall report no later than 30 business days*

1 *following the close of each fiscal quarter all current and*  
2 *prior year unobligated balances, by fiscal year, budget line*  
3 *item and account, to the House and Senate Committees on*  
4 *Appropriations.*

5 *DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN*

6 *SERVICES*

7 *INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE*

8 *INDIAN HEALTH SERVICES*

9 *For expenses necessary to carry out the Act of August*  
10 *5, 1954 (68 Stat. 674), the Indian Self-Determination and*  
11 *Education Assistance Act, the Indian Health Care Improve-*  
12 *ment Act, and titles II and III of the Public Health Service*  
13 *Act with respect to the Indian Health Service,*  
14 *\$4,072,385,000, together with payments received during the*  
15 *fiscal year pursuant to sections 231(b) and 233 of the Pub-*  
16 *lic Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 238(b), 238b), for services*  
17 *furnished by the Indian Health Service: Provided, That*  
18 *funds made available to tribes and tribal organizations*  
19 *through contracts, grant agreements, or any other agree-*  
20 *ments or compacts authorized by the Indian Self-Deter-*  
21 *mination and Education Assistance Act of 1975 (25 U.S.C.*  
22 *450), shall be deemed to be obligated at the time of the grant*  
23 *or contract award and thereafter shall remain available to*  
24 *the tribe or tribal organization without fiscal year limita-*  
25 *tion: Provided further, That \$2,000,000 shall be available*

1 *for grants or contracts with public or private institutions*  
2 *to provide alcohol or drug treatment services to Indians,*  
3 *including alcohol detoxification services: Provided further,*  
4 *That \$964,819,000 for Purchased/Referred Care, including*  
5 *\$53,000,000 for the Indian Catastrophic Health Emergency*  
6 *Fund, shall remain available until expended: Provided fur-*  
7 *ther, That of the funds provided, up to \$36,000,000 shall*  
8 *remain available until expended for implementation of the*  
9 *loan repayment program under section 108 of the Indian*  
10 *Health Care Improvement Act: Provided further, That of*  
11 *the funds provided, \$15,000,000 shall remain available*  
12 *until expended to supplement funds available for oper-*  
13 *ational costs at tribal clinics operated under an Indian*  
14 *Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act compact*  
15 *or contract where health care is delivered in space acquired*  
16 *through a full service lease, which is not eligible for mainte-*  
17 *nance and improvement and equipment funds from the In-*  
18 *dian Health Service, and \$58,000,000 shall be for costs re-*  
19 *lated to or resulting from accreditation emergencies, of*  
20 *which up to \$4,000,000 may be used to supplement amounts*  
21 *otherwise available for Purchased/Referred Care: Provided*  
22 *further, That the amounts collected by the Federal Govern-*  
23 *ment as authorized by sections 104 and 108 of the Indian*  
24 *Health Care Improvement Act (25 U.S.C. 1613a and*  
25 *1616a) during the preceding fiscal year for breach of con-*

1 tracts shall be deposited to the Fund authorized by section  
2 108A of that Act (25 U.S.C. 1616a-1) and shall remain  
3 available until expended and, notwithstanding section  
4 108A(c) of that Act (25 U.S.C. 1616a-1(c)), funds shall be  
5 available to make new awards under the loan repayment  
6 and scholarship programs under sections 104 and 108 of  
7 that Act (25 U.S.C. 1613a and 1616a): Provided further,  
8 That the amounts made available within this account for  
9 the Substance Abuse and Suicide Prevention Program, for  
10 opioid Prevention, Treatment and Recovery Services, for  
11 the Domestic Violence Prevention Program, for the Zero  
12 Suicide Initiative, for the housing subsidy authority for ci-  
13 vilian employees, for aftercare pilot programs at Youth Re-  
14 gional Treatment Centers, to improve collections from pub-  
15 lic and private insurance at Indian Health Service and  
16 tribally operated facilities, and for accreditation emer-  
17 gencies shall be allocated at the discretion of the Director  
18 of the Indian Health Service and shall remain available  
19 until expended: Provided further, That funds provided in  
20 this Act may be used for annual contracts and grants for  
21 which the performance period falls within 2 fiscal years,  
22 provided the total obligation is recorded in the year the  
23 funds are appropriated: Provided further, That the amounts  
24 collected by the Secretary of Health and Human Services  
25 under the authority of title IV of the Indian Health Care

1 *Improvement Act shall remain available until expended for*  
2 *the purpose of achieving compliance with the applicable*  
3 *conditions and requirements of titles XVIII and XIX of the*  
4 *Social Security Act, except for those related to the planning,*  
5 *design, or construction of new facilities: Provided further,*  
6 *That funding contained herein for scholarship programs*  
7 *under the Indian Health Care Improvement Act shall re-*  
8 *main available until expended: Provided further, That*  
9 *amounts received by tribes and tribal organizations under*  
10 *title IV of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act shall*  
11 *be reported and accounted for and available to the receiving*  
12 *tribes and tribal organizations until expended: Provided*  
13 *further, That the Bureau of Indian Affairs may collect from*  
14 *the Indian Health Service, and from tribes and tribal orga-*  
15 *nizations operating health facilities pursuant to Public*  
16 *Law 93–638, such individually identifiable health informa-*  
17 *tion relating to disabled children as may be necessary for*  
18 *the purpose of carrying out its functions under the Individ-*  
19 *uals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et*  
20 *seq.): Provided further, That the accreditation emergency*  
21 *funds may be used, as needed, to carry out activities typi-*  
22 *cally funded under the Indian Health Facilities account.*

23 *CONTRACT SUPPORT COSTS*

24 *For payments to tribes and tribal organizations for*  
25 *contract support costs associated with Indian Self-Deter-*

1 *mination and Education Assistance Act agreements with*  
2 *the Indian Health Service for fiscal year 2019, such sums*  
3 *as may be necessary: Provided, That notwithstanding any*  
4 *other provision of law, no amounts made available under*  
5 *this heading shall be available for transfer to another budget*  
6 *account.*

7 *INDIAN HEALTH FACILITIES*

8 *For construction, repair, maintenance, improvement,*  
9 *and equipment of health and related auxiliary facilities, in-*  
10 *cluding quarters for personnel; preparation of plans, speci-*  
11 *fications, and drawings; acquisition of sites, purchase and*  
12 *erection of modular buildings, and purchases of trailers;*  
13 *and for provision of domestic and community sanitation*  
14 *facilities for Indians, as authorized by section 7 of the Act*  
15 *of August 5, 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2004a), the Indian Self-Deter-*  
16 *mination Act, and the Indian Health Care Improvement*  
17 *Act, and for expenses necessary to carry out such Acts and*  
18 *titles II and III of the Public Health Service Act with re-*  
19 *spect to environmental health and facilities support activi-*  
20 *ties of the Indian Health Service, \$877,504,000, to remain*  
21 *available until expended: Provided, That notwithstanding*  
22 *any other provision of law, funds appropriated for the plan-*  
23 *ning, design, construction, renovation or expansion of*  
24 *health facilities for the benefit of an Indian tribe or tribes*  
25 *may be used to purchase land on which such facilities will*



1 *be located: Provided further, That not to exceed \$500,000*  
2 *may be used by the Indian Health Service to purchase*  
3 *TRANSAM equipment from the Department of Defense for*  
4 *distribution to the Indian Health Service and tribal facili-*  
5 *ties: Provided further, That none of the funds appropriated*  
6 *to the Indian Health Service may be used for sanitation*  
7 *facilities construction for new homes funded with grants by*  
8 *the housing programs of the United States Department of*  
9 *Housing and Urban Development: Provided further, That*  
10 *not to exceed \$2,700,000 from this account and the “Indian*  
11 *Health Services” account may be used by the Indian Health*  
12 *Service to obtain ambulances for the Indian Health Service*  
13 *and tribal facilities in conjunction with an existing inter-*  
14 *agency agreement between the Indian Health Service and*  
15 *the General Services Administration: Provided further,*  
16 *That not to exceed \$500,000 may be placed in a Demolition*  
17 *Fund, to remain available until expended, and be used by*  
18 *the Indian Health Service for the demolition of Federal*  
19 *buildings.*

20 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE*

21 *Appropriations provided in this Act to the Indian*  
22 *Health Service shall be available for services as authorized*  
23 *by 5 U.S.C. 3109 at rates not to exceed the per diem rate*  
24 *equivalent to the maximum rate payable for senior-level po-*  
25 *sitions under 5 U.S.C. 5376; hire of passenger motor vehi-*

1 *cles and aircraft; purchase of medical equipment; purchase*  
2 *of reprints; purchase, renovation and erection of modular*  
3 *buildings and renovation of existing facilities; payments for*  
4 *telephone service in private residences in the field, when au-*  
5 *thorized under regulations approved by the Secretary of*  
6 *Health and Human Services; uniforms or allowances there-*  
7 *for as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902; and for expenses*  
8 *of attendance at meetings that relate to the functions or ac-*  
9 *tivities of the Indian Health Service: Provided, That in ac-*  
10 *cordance with the provisions of the Indian Health Care Im-*  
11 *provement Act, non-Indian patients may be extended health*  
12 *care at all tribally administered or Indian Health Service*  
13 *facilities, subject to charges, and the proceeds along with*  
14 *funds recovered under the Federal Medical Care Recovery*  
15 *Act (42 U.S.C. 2651–2653) shall be credited to the account*  
16 *of the facility providing the service and shall be available*  
17 *without fiscal year limitation: Provided further, That not-*  
18 *withstanding any other law or regulation, funds transferred*  
19 *from the Department of Housing and Urban Development*  
20 *to the Indian Health Service shall be administered under*  
21 *Public Law 86–121, the Indian Sanitation Facilities Act*  
22 *and Public Law 93–638: Provided further, That funds ap-*  
23 *propriated to the Indian Health Service in this Act, except*  
24 *those used for administrative and program direction pur-*  
25 *poses, shall not be subject to limitations directed at cur-*

1 *tailing Federal travel and transportation: Provided further,*  
2 *That none of the funds made available to the Indian Health*  
3 *Service in this Act shall be used for any assessments or*  
4 *charges by the Department of Health and Human Services*  
5 *unless identified in the budget justification and provided*  
6 *in this Act, or approved by the House and Senate Commit-*  
7 *tees on Appropriations through the reprogramming process:*  
8 *Provided further, That notwithstanding any other provision*  
9 *of law, funds previously or herein made available to a tribe*  
10 *or tribal organization through a contract, grant, or agree-*  
11 *ment authorized by title I or title V of the Indian Self-*  
12 *Determination and Education Assistance Act of 1975 (25*  
13 *U.S.C. 5321 et seq. (title I), 5381 et seq. (title V)), may*  
14 *be deobligated and reobligated to a self-determination con-*  
15 *tract under title I, or a self-governance agreement under*  
16 *title V of such Act and thereafter shall remain available*  
17 *to the tribe or tribal organization without fiscal year limi-*  
18 *tation: Provided further, That none of the funds made avail-*  
19 *able to the Indian Health Service in this Act shall be used*  
20 *to implement the final rule published in the Federal Reg-*  
21 *ister on September 16, 1987, by the Department of Health*  
22 *and Human Services, relating to the eligibility for the*  
23 *health care services of the Indian Health Service until the*  
24 *Indian Health Service has submitted a budget request re-*  
25 *flecting the increased costs associated with the proposed*

1 *final rule, and such request has been included in an appro-*  
2 *priations Act and enacted into law: Provided further, That*  
3 *with respect to functions transferred by the Indian Health*  
4 *Service to tribes or tribal organizations, the Indian Health*  
5 *Service is authorized to provide goods and services to those*  
6 *entities on a reimbursable basis, including payments in ad-*  
7 *vance with subsequent adjustment, and the reimbursements*  
8 *received therefrom, along with the funds received from those*  
9 *entities pursuant to the Indian Self-Determination Act,*  
10 *may be credited to the same or subsequent appropriation*  
11 *account from which the funds were originally derived, with*  
12 *such amounts to remain available until expended: Provided*  
13 *further, That reimbursements for training, technical assist-*  
14 *ance, or services provided by the Indian Health Service will*  
15 *contain total costs, including direct, administrative, and*  
16 *overhead costs associated with the provision of goods, serv-*  
17 *ices, or technical assistance: Provided further, That the In-*  
18 *dian Health Service may provide to civilian medical per-*  
19 *sonnel serving in hospitals operated by the Indian Health*  
20 *Service housing allowances equivalent to those that would*  
21 *be provided to members of the Commissioned Corps of the*  
22 *United States Public Health Service serving in similar po-*  
23 *sitions at such hospitals: Provided further, That the appro-*  
24 *priation structure for the Indian Health Service may not*

1 *be altered without advance notification to the House and*  
2 *Senate Committees on Appropriations.*

3 *NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH*

4 *NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH*

5 *SCIENCES*

6 *For necessary expenses for the National Institute of*  
7 *Environmental Health Sciences in carrying out activities*  
8 *set forth in section 311(a) of the Comprehensive Environ-*  
9 *mental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980*  
10 *(42 U.S.C. 9660(a)) and section 126(g) of the Superfund*  
11 *Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986,*  
12 *\$78,349,000.*

13 *AGENCY FOR TOXIC SUBSTANCES AND DISEASE REGISTRY*

14 *TOXIC SUBSTANCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH*

15 *For necessary expenses for the Agency for Toxic Sub-*  
16 *stances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) in carrying out ac-*  
17 *tivities set forth in sections 104(i) and 111(c)(4) of the*  
18 *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation,*  
19 *and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA) and section 3019 of*  
20 *the Solid Waste Disposal Act, \$74,691,000: Provided, That*  
21 *notwithstanding any other provision of law, in lieu of per-*  
22 *forming a health assessment under section 104(i)(6) of*  
23 *CERCLA, the Administrator of ATSDR may conduct other*  
24 *appropriate health studies, evaluations, or activities, in-*  
25 *cluding, without limitation, biomedical testing, clinical*

1 *evaluations, medical monitoring, and referral to accredited*  
2 *healthcare providers: Provided further, That in performing*  
3 *any such health assessment or health study, evaluation, or*  
4 *activity, the Administrator of ATSDR shall not be bound*  
5 *by the deadlines in section 104(i)(6)(A) of CERCLA: Pro-*  
6 *vided further, That none of the funds appropriated under*  
7 *this heading shall be available for ATSDR to issue in excess*  
8 *of 40 toxicological profiles pursuant to section 104(i) of*  
9 *CERCLA during fiscal year 2019, and existing profiles*  
10 *may be updated as necessary.*

11 *OTHER RELATED AGENCIES*

12 *EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT*

13 *COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND OFFICE OF*

14 *ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY*

15 *For necessary expenses to continue functions assigned*  
16 *to the Council on Environmental Quality and Office of En-*  
17 *vironmental Quality pursuant to the National Environ-*  
18 *mental Policy Act of 1969, the Environmental Quality Im-*  
19 *provement Act of 1970, and Reorganization Plan No. 1 of*  
20 *1977, and not to exceed \$750 for official reception and rep-*  
21 *resentation expenses, \$3,005,000: Provided, That notwith-*  
22 *standing section 202 of the National Environmental Policy*  
23 *Act of 1970, the Council shall consist of one member, ap-*  
24 *pointed by the President, by and with the advice and con-*

1 *sent of the Senate, serving as chairman and exercising all*  
2 *powers, functions, and duties of the Council.*

3 *CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD*  
4 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

5 *For necessary expenses in carrying out activities pur-*  
6 *suant to section 112(r)(6) of the Clean Air Act, including*  
7 *hire of passenger vehicles, uniforms or allowances therefor,*  
8 *as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902, and for services au-*  
9 *thorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109 but at rates for individuals not*  
10 *to exceed the per diem equivalent to the maximum rate pay-*  
11 *able for senior level positions under 5 U.S.C. 5376,*  
12 *\$11,000,000: Provided, That the Chemical Safety and Haz-*  
13 *ard Investigation Board (Board) shall have not more than*  
14 *three career Senior Executive Service positions: Provided*  
15 *further, That notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
16 *the individual appointed to the position of Inspector Gen-*  
17 *eral of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) shall,*  
18 *by virtue of such appointment, also hold the position of In-*  
19 *spector General of the Board: Provided further, That not-*  
20 *withstanding any other provision of law, the Inspector Gen-*  
21 *eral of the Board shall utilize personnel of the Office of In-*  
22 *spector General of EPA in performing the duties of the In-*  
23 *spector General of the Board, and shall not appoint any*  
24 *individuals to positions within the Board.*

1        *OFFICE OF NAVAJO AND HOPI INDIAN RELOCATION*2                                *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3        *For necessary expenses of the Office of Navajo and*  
4 *Hopi Indian Relocation as authorized by Public Law 93–*  
5 *531, \$7,400,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
6 *vided, That funds provided in this or any other appropria-*  
7 *tions Act are to be used to relocate eligible individuals and*  
8 *groups including evictees from District 6, Hopi-partitioned*  
9 *lands residents, those in significantly substandard housing,*  
10 *and all others certified as eligible and not included in the*  
11 *preceding categories: Provided further, That none of the*  
12 *funds contained in this or any other Act may be used by*  
13 *the Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation to evict*  
14 *any single Navajo or Navajo family who, as of November*  
15 *30, 1985, was physically domiciled on the lands partitioned*  
16 *to the Hopi Tribe unless a new or replacement home is pro-*  
17 *vided for such household: Provided further, That no*  
18 *relocatee will be provided with more than one new or re-*  
19 *placement home: Provided further, That the Office shall re-*  
20 *locate any certified eligible relocatees who have selected and*  
21 *received an approved homesite on the Navajo reservation*  
22 *or selected a replacement residence off the Navajo reserva-*  
23 *tion or on the land acquired pursuant to section 11 of Pub-*  
24 *lic Law 93–531 (88 Stat. 1716).*



1     *INSTITUTE OF AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE*  
2                     *CULTURE AND ARTS DEVELOPMENT*  
3                     *PAYMENT TO THE INSTITUTE*

4             *For payment to the Institute of American Indian and*  
5 *Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development, as authorized*  
6 *by part A of title XV of Public Law 99–498 (20 U.S.C.*  
7 *4411 et seq.), \$9,960,000, which shall become available on*  
8 *July 1, 2019, and shall remain available until September*  
9 *30, 2020.*

10                     *SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION*  
11                     *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

12             *For necessary expenses of the Smithsonian Institution,*  
13 *as authorized by law, including research in the fields of art,*  
14 *science, and history; development, preservation, and docu-*  
15 *mentation of the National Collections; presentation of pub-*  
16 *lic exhibits and performances; collection, preparation, dis-*  
17 *semination, and exchange of information and publications;*  
18 *conduct of education, training, and museum assistance pro-*  
19 *grams; maintenance, alteration, operation, lease agreements*  
20 *of no more than 30 years, and protection of buildings, fa-*  
21 *cilities, and approaches; not to exceed \$100,000 for services*  
22 *as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; and purchase, rental, re-*  
23 *pair, and cleaning of uniforms for employees, \$739,894,000,*  
24 *to remain available until September 30, 2020, except as oth-*  
25 *erwise provided herein; of which not to exceed \$6,917,000*

1 *for the instrumentation program, collections acquisition,*  
2 *exhibition reinstallation, and the repatriation of skeletal re-*  
3 *mains program shall remain available until expended; and*  
4 *including such funds as may be necessary to support Amer-*  
5 *ican overseas research centers: Provided, That funds appro-*  
6 *priated herein are available for advance payments to inde-*  
7 *pendent contractors performing research services or partici-*  
8 *pating in official Smithsonian presentations.*

9 *FACILITIES CAPITAL*

10 *For necessary expenses of repair, revitalization, and*  
11 *alteration of facilities owned or occupied by the Smithso-*  
12 *nian Institution, by contract or otherwise, as authorized by*  
13 *section 2 of the Act of August 22, 1949 (63 Stat. 623), and*  
14 *for construction, including necessary personnel,*  
15 *\$303,503,000, to remain available until expended, of which*  
16 *not to exceed \$10,000 shall be for services as authorized by*  
17 *5 U.S.C. 3109.*

18 *NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART*

19 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

20 *For the upkeep and operations of the National Gallery*  
21 *of Art, the protection and care of the works of art therein,*  
22 *and administrative expenses incident thereto, as authorized*  
23 *by the Act of March 24, 1937 (50 Stat. 51), as amended*  
24 *by the public resolution of April 13, 1939 (Public Resolu-*  
25 *tion 9, Seventy-sixth Congress), including services as au-*

1 *thorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; payment in advance when au-*  
2 *thorized by the treasurer of the Gallery for membership in*  
3 *library, museum, and art associations or societies whose*  
4 *publications or services are available to members only, or*  
5 *to members at a price lower than to the general public; pur-*  
6 *chase, repair, and cleaning of uniforms for guards, and uni-*  
7 *forms, or allowances therefor, for other employees as author-*  
8 *ized by law (5 U.S.C. 5901–5902); purchase or rental of*  
9 *devices and services for protecting buildings and contents*  
10 *thereof, and maintenance, alteration, improvement, and re-*  
11 *pair of buildings, approaches, and grounds; and purchase*  
12 *of services for restoration and repair of works of art for*  
13 *the National Gallery of Art by contracts made, without ad-*  
14 *vertising, with individuals, firms, or organizations at such*  
15 *rates or prices and under such terms and conditions as the*  
16 *Gallery may deem proper, \$144,202,000, to remain avail-*  
17 *able until September 30, 2020, of which not to exceed*  
18 *\$3,620,000 for the special exhibition program shall remain*  
19 *available until expended.*

20 *REPAIR, RESTORATION AND RENOVATION OF BUILDINGS*

21 *For necessary expenses of repair, restoration and ren-*  
22 *ovation of buildings, grounds and facilities owned or occu-*  
23 *ped by the National Gallery of Art, by contract or other-*  
24 *wise, for operating lease agreements of no more than 10*  
25 *years, with no extensions or renewals beyond the 10 years,*

1 *that address space needs created by the ongoing renovations*  
2 *in the Master Facilities Plan, as authorized, \$23,000,000,*  
3 *to remain available until expended: Provided, That con-*  
4 *tracts awarded for environmental systems, protection sys-*  
5 *tems, and exterior repair or renovation of buildings of the*  
6 *National Gallery of Art may be negotiated with selected*  
7 *contractors and awarded on the basis of contractor quali-*  
8 *fications as well as price.*

9 *JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS*  
10 *OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE*

11 *For necessary expenses for the operation, maintenance*  
12 *and security of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Per-*  
13 *forming Arts, \$24,490,000.*

14 *CAPITAL REPAIR AND RESTORATION*

15 *For necessary expenses for capital repair and restora-*  
16 *tion of the existing features of the building and site of the*  
17 *John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts,*  
18 *\$16,800,000, to remain available until expended.*

19 *WOODROW WILSON INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR*  
20 *SCHOLARS*

21 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

22 *For expenses necessary in carrying out the provisions*  
23 *of the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Act of 1968 (82 Stat.*  
24 *1356) including hire of passenger vehicles and services as*

1 *authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, \$12,000,000, to remain avail-*  
 2 *able until September 30, 2020.*

3 *NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE*  
 4 *HUMANITIES*

5 *NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS*  
 6 *GRANTS AND ADMINISTRATION*

7 *For necessary expenses to carry out the National Foun-*  
 8 *dation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965,*  
 9 *\$155,000,000 shall be available to the National Endowment*  
 10 *for the Arts for the support of projects and productions in*  
 11 *the arts, including arts education and public outreach ac-*  
 12 *tivities, through assistance to organizations and individuals*  
 13 *pursuant to section 5 of the Act, for program support, and*  
 14 *for administering the functions of the Act, to remain avail-*  
 15 *able until expended.*

16 *NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES*  
 17 *GRANTS AND ADMINISTRATION*

18 *For necessary expenses to carry out the National Foun-*  
 19 *dation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965,*  
 20 *\$155,000,000 to remain available until expended, of which*  
 21 *\$143,700,000 shall be available for support of activities in*  
 22 *the humanities, pursuant to section 7(c) of the Act and for*  
 23 *administering the functions of the Act; and \$11,300,000*  
 24 *shall be available to carry out the matching grants program*  
 25 *pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Act, including*

1 \$9,100,000 for the purposes of section 7(h): Provided, That  
2 appropriations for carrying out section 10(a)(2) shall be  
3 available for obligation only in such amounts as may be  
4 equal to the total amounts of gifts, bequests, devises of  
5 money, and other property accepted by the chairman or by  
6 grantees of the National Endowment for the Humanities  
7 under the provisions of sections 11(a)(2)(B) and  
8 11(a)(3)(B) during the current and preceding fiscal years  
9 for which equal amounts have not previously been appro-  
10 priated.

11 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS*

12 *None of the funds appropriated to the National Foun-*  
13 *ation on the Arts and the Humanities may be used to*  
14 *process any grant or contract documents which do not in-*  
15 *clude the text of 18 U.S.C. 1913: Provided, That none of*  
16 *the funds appropriated to the National Foundation on the*  
17 *Arts and the Humanities may be used for official reception*  
18 *and representation expenses: Provided further, That funds*  
19 *from nonappropriated sources may be used as necessary for*  
20 *official reception and representation expenses: Provided fur-*  
21 *ther, That the Chairperson of the National Endowment for*  
22 *the Arts may approve grants of up to \$10,000, if in the*  
23 *aggregate the amount of such grants does not exceed 5 per-*  
24 *cent of the sums appropriated for grantmaking purposes per*  
25 *year: Provided further, That such small grant actions are*

1 *taken pursuant to the terms of an expressed and direct dele-*  
2 *gation of authority from the National Council on the Arts*  
3 *to the Chairperson.*

4 *COMMISSION OF FINE ARTS*

5 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

6 *For expenses of the Commission of Fine Arts under*  
7 *chapter 91 of title 40, United States Code, \$2,771,000: Pro-*  
8 *vided, That the Commission is authorized to charge fees to*  
9 *cover the full costs of its publications, and such fees shall*  
10 *be credited to this account as an offsetting collection, to re-*  
11 *main available until expended without further appropria-*  
12 *tion: Provided further, That the Commission is authorized*  
13 *to accept gifts, including objects, papers, artwork, drawings*  
14 *and artifacts, that pertain to the history and design of the*  
15 *Nation's Capital or the history and activities of the Com-*  
16 *mission of Fine Arts, for the purpose of artistic display,*  
17 *study, or education: Provided further, That one-tenth of one*  
18 *percent of the funds provided under this heading may be*  
19 *used for official reception and representation expenses.*

20 *NATIONAL CAPITAL ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS*

21 *For necessary expenses as authorized by Public Law*  
22 *99–190 (20 U.S.C. 956a), \$2,750,000.*

1        *ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION*2                                *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3        *For necessary expenses of the Advisory Council on His-*  
4 *toric Preservation (Public Law 89–665), \$6,440,000.*

5                                *NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION*6                                *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

7        *For necessary expenses of the National Capital Plan-*  
8 *ning Commission under chapter 87 of title 40, United*  
9 *States Code, including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
10 *3109, \$7,948,000: Provided, That one-quarter of 1 percent*  
11 *of the funds provided under this heading may be used for*  
12 *official reception and representational expenses associated*  
13 *with hosting international visitors engaged in the planning*  
14 *and physical development of world capitals.*

15        *UNITED STATES HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL MUSEUM*16                                *HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL MUSEUM*

17        *For expenses of the Holocaust Memorial Museum, as*  
18 *authorized by Public Law 106–292 (36 U.S.C. 2301–2310),*  
19 *\$59,500,000, of which \$1,715,000 shall remain available*  
20 *until September 30, 2021, for the Museum’s equipment re-*  
21 *placement program; and of which \$4,000,000 for the Muse-*  
22 *um’s repair and rehabilitation program and \$1,500,000 for*  
23 *the Museum’s outreach initiatives program shall remain*  
24 *available until expended.*



1 *DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER MEMORIAL COMMISSION*2 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3 *For necessary expenses of the Dwight D. Eisenhower*  
4 *Memorial Commission, \$1,800,000, to remain available*  
5 *until expended.*

6 *WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE CENTENNIAL COMMISSION*

7 *For necessary expenses for the Women's Suffrage Cen-*  
8 *tennial Commission, as authorized by the Women's Suffrage*  
9 *Centennial Commission Act (section 431(a)(3) of division*  
10 *G of Public Law 115-31), \$1,000,000, to remain available*  
11 *until expended.*

12 *WORLD WAR I CENTENNIAL COMMISSION*13 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14 *Notwithstanding section 9 of the World War I Centen-*  
15 *nial Commission Act, as authorized by the World War I*  
16 *Centennial Commission Act (Public Law 112-272) and the*  
17 *Carl Levin and Howard P. "Buck" McKeon National De-*  
18 *fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015 (Public Law*  
19 *113-291), for necessary expenses of the World War I Cen-*  
20 *tennial Commission, \$7,000,000, to remain available until*  
21 *expended: Provided, That in addition to the authority pro-*  
22 *vided by section 6(g) of such Act, the World War I Commis-*  
23 *sion may accept money, in-kind personnel services, contrac-*  
24 *tual support, or any appropriate support from any execu-*  
25 *tive branch agency for activities of the Commission.*

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*TITLE IV*

*GENERAL PROVISIONS*

*(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

*RESTRICTION ON USE OF FUNDS*

*SEC. 401. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be available for any activity or the publication or distribution of literature that in any way tends to promote public support or opposition to any legislative proposal on which Congressional action is not complete other than to communicate to Members of Congress as described in 18 U.S.C. 1913.*

*OBLIGATION OF APPROPRIATIONS*

*SEC. 402. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the current fiscal year unless expressly so provided herein.*

*DISCLOSURE OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES*

*SEC. 403. The amount and basis of estimated overhead charges, deductions, reserves or holdbacks, including working capital fund and cost pool charges, from programs, projects, activities and subactivities to support government-wide, departmental, agency, or bureau administrative functions or headquarters, regional, or central operations shall be presented in annual budget justifications and subject to approval by the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate. Changes to such esti-*

1 *mates shall be presented to the Committees on Appropria-*  
2 *tions for approval.*

3 *MINING APPLICATIONS*

4 *SEC. 404. (a) LIMITATION OF FUNDS.—None of the*  
5 *funds appropriated or otherwise made available pursuant*  
6 *to this Act shall be obligated or expended to accept or proc-*  
7 *ess applications for a patent for any mining or mill site*  
8 *claim located under the general mining laws.*

9 *(b) EXCEPTIONS.—Subsection (a) shall not apply if*  
10 *the Secretary of the Interior determines that, for the claim*  
11 *concerned (1) a patent application was filed with the Sec-*  
12 *retary on or before September 30, 1994; and (2) all require-*  
13 *ments established under sections 2325 and 2326 of the Re-*  
14 *vised Statutes (30 U.S.C. 29 and 30) for vein or lode*  
15 *claims, sections 2329, 2330, 2331, and 2333 of the Revised*  
16 *Statutes (30 U.S.C. 35, 36, and 37) for placer claims, and*  
17 *section 2337 of the Revised Statutes (30 U.S.C. 42) for mill*  
18 *site claims, as the case may be, were fully complied with*  
19 *by the applicant by that date.*

20 *(c) REPORT.—On September 30, 2020, the Secretary*  
21 *of the Interior shall file with the House and Senate Com-*  
22 *mittees on Appropriations and the Committee on Natural*  
23 *Resources of the House and the Committee on Energy and*  
24 *Natural Resources of the Senate a report on actions taken*  
25 *by the Department under the plan submitted pursuant to*

1 *section 314(c) of the Department of the Interior and Related*  
2 *Agencies Appropriations Act, 1997 (Public Law 104–208).*

3       (d) *MINERAL EXAMINATIONS.—In order to process*  
4 *patent applications in a timely and responsible manner,*  
5 *upon the request of a patent applicant, the Secretary of the*  
6 *Interior shall allow the applicant to fund a qualified third-*  
7 *party contractor to be selected by the Director of the Bureau*  
8 *of Land Management to conduct a mineral examination of*  
9 *the mining claims or mill sites contained in a patent appli-*  
10 *cation as set forth in subsection (b). The Bureau of Land*  
11 *Management shall have the sole responsibility to choose and*  
12 *pay the third-party contractor in accordance with the*  
13 *standard procedures employed by the Bureau of Land Man-*  
14 *agement in the retention of third-party contractors.*

15       *CONTRACT SUPPORT COSTS, PRIOR YEAR LIMITATION*

16       *SEC. 405. Sections 405 and 406 of division F of the*  
17 *Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act,*  
18 *2015 (Public Law 113–235) shall continue in effect in fiscal*  
19 *year 2019.*

20       *CONTRACT SUPPORT COSTS, FISCAL YEAR 2019 LIMITATION*

21       *SEC. 406. Amounts provided by this Act for fiscal year*  
22 *2019 under the headings “Department of Health and*  
23 *Human Services, Indian Health Service, Contract Support*  
24 *Costs” and “Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian*  
25 *Affairs and Bureau of Indian Education, Contract Support*

1 *Costs” are the only amounts available for contract support*  
2 *costs arising out of self-determination or self-governance*  
3 *contracts, grants, compacts, or annual funding agreements*  
4 *for fiscal year 2019 with the Bureau of Indian Affairs or*  
5 *the Indian Health Service: Provided, That such amounts*  
6 *provided by this Act are not available for payment of claims*  
7 *for contract support costs for prior years, or for repayments*  
8 *of payments for settlements or judgments awarding contract*  
9 *support costs for prior years.*

10 *FOREST MANAGEMENT PLANS*

11 *SEC. 407. The Secretary of Agriculture shall not be*  
12 *considered to be in violation of subparagraph 6(f)(5)(A) of*  
13 *the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning*  
14 *Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. 1604(f)(5)(A)) solely because more*  
15 *than 15 years have passed without revision of the plan for*  
16 *a unit of the National Forest System. Nothing in this sec-*  
17 *tion exempts the Secretary from any other requirement of*  
18 *the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning*  
19 *Act (16 U.S.C. 1600 et seq.) or any other law: Provided,*  
20 *That if the Secretary is not acting expeditiously and in*  
21 *good faith, within the funding available, to revise a plan*  
22 *for a unit of the National Forest System, this section shall*  
23 *be void with respect to such plan and a court of proper*  
24 *jurisdiction may order completion of the plan on an acceler-*  
25 *ated basis.*

1            *PROHIBITION WITHIN NATIONAL MONUMENTS*

2            *SEC. 408. No funds provided in this Act may be ex-*  
3 *pended to conduct preleasing, leasing and related activities*  
4 *under either the Mineral Leasing Act (30 U.S.C. 181 et seq.)*  
5 *or the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act (43 U.S.C. 1331*  
6 *et seq.) within the boundaries of a National Monument es-*  
7 *tablished pursuant to the Act of June 8, 1906 (16 U.S.C.*  
8 *431 et seq.) as such boundary existed on January 20, 2001,*  
9 *except where such activities are allowed under the Presi-*  
10 *dential proclamation establishing such monument.*

11            *LIMITATION ON TAKINGS*

12            *SEC. 409. Unless otherwise provided herein, no funds*  
13 *appropriated in this Act for the acquisition of lands or in-*  
14 *terests in lands may be expended for the filing of declara-*  
15 *tions of taking or complaints in condemnation without the*  
16 *approval of the House and Senate Committees on Appro-*  
17 *priations: Provided, That this provision shall not apply to*  
18 *funds appropriated to implement the Everglades National*  
19 *Park Protection and Expansion Act of 1989, or to funds*  
20 *appropriated for Federal assistance to the State of Florida*  
21 *to acquire lands for Everglades restoration purposes.*

22            *TIMBER SALE REQUIREMENTS*

23            *SEC. 410. No timber sale in Alaska's Region 10 shall*  
24 *be advertised if the indicated rate is deficit (defined as the*  
25 *value of the timber is not sufficient to cover all logging and*

1 *stumpage costs and provide a normal profit and risk allow-*  
2 *ance under the Forest Service's appraisal process) when ap-*  
3 *praised using a residual value appraisal. The western red*  
4 *cedar timber from those sales which is surplus to the needs*  
5 *of the domestic processors in Alaska, shall be made available*  
6 *to domestic processors in the contiguous 48 United States*  
7 *at prevailing domestic prices. All additional western red*  
8 *cedar volume not sold to Alaska or contiguous 48 United*  
9 *States domestic processors may be exported to foreign mar-*  
10 *kets at the election of the timber sale holder. All Alaska yel-*  
11 *low cedar may be sold at prevailing export prices at the*  
12 *election of the timber sale holder.*

13 *PROHIBITION ON NO-BID CONTRACTS*

14 *SEC. 411. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
15 *made available by this Act to executive branch agencies may*  
16 *be used to enter into any Federal contract unless such con-*  
17 *tract is entered into in accordance with the requirements*  
18 *of Chapter 33 of title 41, United States Code, or Chapter*  
19 *137 of title 10, United States Code, and the Federal Acqui-*  
20 *sition Regulation, unless—*

21 *(1) Federal law specifically authorizes a contract*  
22 *to be entered into without regard for these require-*  
23 *ments, including formula grants for States, or feder-*  
24 *ally recognized Indian tribes; or*

1           (2) *such contract is authorized by the Indian*  
2           *Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act*  
3           *(Public Law 93–638, 25 U.S.C. 450 et seq.) or by any*  
4           *other Federal laws that specifically authorize a con-*  
5           *tract within an Indian tribe as defined in section*  
6           *4(e) of that Act (25 U.S.C. 450b(e)); or*

7           (3) *such contract was awarded prior to the date*  
8           *of enactment of this Act.*

9                                       POSTING OF REPORTS

10          SEC. 412. (a) *Any agency receiving funds made avail-*  
11          *able in this Act, shall, subject to subsections (b) and (c),*  
12          *post on the public website of that agency any report re-*  
13          *quired to be submitted by the Congress in this or any other*  
14          *Act, upon the determination by the head of the agency that*  
15          *it shall serve the national interest.*

16          (b) *Subsection (a) shall not apply to a report if—*

17                 (1) *the public posting of the report compromises*  
18                 *national security; or*

19                 (2) *the report contains proprietary information.*

20          (c) *The head of the agency posting such report shall*  
21          *do so only after such report has been made available to the*  
22          *requesting Committee or Committees of Congress for no less*  
23          *than 45 days.*



## 1 NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS GRANT GUIDELINES

2 SEC. 413. *Of the funds provided to the National En-*  
3 *dowment for the Arts—*

4 (1) *The Chairperson shall only award a grant to*  
5 *an individual if such grant is awarded to such indi-*  
6 *vidual for a literature fellowship, National Heritage*  
7 *Fellowship, or American Jazz Masters Fellowship.*

8 (2) *The Chairperson shall establish procedures to*  
9 *ensure that no funding provided through a grant, ex-*  
10 *cept a grant made to a State or local arts agency, or*  
11 *regional group, may be used to make a grant to any*  
12 *other organization or individual to conduct activity*  
13 *independent of the direct grant recipient. Nothing in*  
14 *this subsection shall prohibit payments made in ex-*  
15 *change for goods and services.*

16 (3) *No grant shall be used for seasonal support*  
17 *to a group, unless the application is specific to the*  
18 *contents of the season, including identified programs*  
19 *or projects.*

## 20 NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS PROGRAM

## 21 PRIORITIES

22 SEC. 414. (a) *In providing services or awarding finan-*  
23 *cial assistance under the National Foundation on the Arts*  
24 *and the Humanities Act of 1965 from funds appropriated*  
25 *under this Act, the Chairperson of the National Endowment*

1 *for the Arts shall ensure that priority is given to providing*  
2 *services or awarding financial assistance for projects, pro-*  
3 *ductions, workshops, or programs that serve underserved*  
4 *populations.*

5 *(b) In this section:*

6 *(1) The term “underserved population” means a*  
7 *population of individuals, including urban minori-*  
8 *ties, who have historically been outside the purview of*  
9 *arts and humanities programs due to factors such as*  
10 *a high incidence of income below the poverty line or*  
11 *to geographic isolation.*

12 *(2) The term “poverty line” means the poverty*  
13 *line (as defined by the Office of Management and*  
14 *Budget, and revised annually in accordance with sec-*  
15 *tion 673(2) of the Community Services Block Grant*  
16 *Act (42 U.S.C. 9902(2))) applicable to a family of the*  
17 *size involved.*

18 *(c) In providing services and awarding financial as-*  
19 *sistance under the National Foundation on the Arts and*  
20 *Humanities Act of 1965 with funds appropriated by this*  
21 *Act, the Chairperson of the National Endowment for the*  
22 *Arts shall ensure that priority is given to providing services*  
23 *or awarding financial assistance for projects, productions,*  
24 *workshops, or programs that will encourage public knowl-*

1 *edge, education, understanding, and appreciation of the*  
2 *arts.*

3 *(d) With funds appropriated by this Act to carry out*  
4 *section 5 of the National Foundation on the Arts and Hu-*  
5 *manities Act of 1965—*

6 *(1) the Chairperson shall establish a grant cat-*  
7 *egory for projects, productions, workshops, or pro-*  
8 *grams that are of national impact or availability or*  
9 *are able to tour several States;*

10 *(2) the Chairperson shall not make grants ex-*  
11 *ceeding 15 percent, in the aggregate, of such funds to*  
12 *any single State, excluding grants made under the*  
13 *authority of paragraph (1);*

14 *(3) the Chairperson shall report to the Congress*  
15 *annually and by State, on grants awarded by the*  
16 *Chairperson in each grant category under section 5 of*  
17 *such Act; and*

18 *(4) the Chairperson shall encourage the use of*  
19 *grants to improve and support community-based*  
20 *music performance and education.*

21 *STATUS OF BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS*

22 *SEC. 415. The Department of the Interior, the Envi-*  
23 *ronmental Protection Agency, the Forest Service, and the*  
24 *Indian Health Service shall provide the Committees on Ap-*  
25 *propriations of the House of Representatives and Senate*

1 *quarterly reports on the status of balances of appropriations*  
2 *including all uncommitted, committed, and unobligated*  
3 *funds in each program and activity.*

4 *PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS*

5 *SEC. 416. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
6 *none of the funds made available in this Act or any other*  
7 *Act may be used to promulgate or implement any regula-*  
8 *tion requiring the issuance of permits under title V of the*  
9 *Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7661 et seq.) for carbon dioxide,*  
10 *nitrous oxide, water vapor, or methane emissions resulting*  
11 *from biological processes associated with livestock produc-*  
12 *tion.*

13 *GREENHOUSE GAS REPORTING RESTRICTIONS*

14 *SEC. 417. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
15 *none of the funds made available in this or any other Act*  
16 *may be used to implement any provision in a rule, if that*  
17 *provision requires mandatory reporting of greenhouse gas*  
18 *emissions from manure management systems.*

19 *FUNDING PROHIBITION*

20 *SEC. 418. None of the funds made available by this*  
21 *or any other Act may be used to regulate the lead content*  
22 *of ammunition, ammunition components, or fishing tackle*  
23 *under the Toxic Substances Control Act (15 U.S.C. 2601*  
24 *et seq.) or any other law.*

1                    *CONTRACTING AUTHORITIES*

2            *SEC. 419. Section 412 of Division E of Public Law*  
3 *112–74 is amended by striking “fiscal year 2019” and in-*  
4 *serting “fiscal year 2020”.*

5                    *EXTENSION OF GRAZING PERMITS*

6            *SEC. 420. The terms and conditions of section 325 of*  
7 *Public Law 108–108 (117 Stat. 1307), regarding grazing*  
8 *permits issued by the Forest Service on any lands not sub-*  
9 *ject to administration under section 402 of the Federal*  
10 *Lands Policy and Management Act (43 U.S.C. 1752), shall*  
11 *remain in effect for fiscal year 2019.*

12                    *FUNDING PROHIBITION*

13            *SEC. 421. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
14 *Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer net-*  
15 *work unless such network is designed to block access to por-*  
16 *nography websites.*

17            *(b) Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of*  
18 *funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law*  
19 *enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-*  
20 *nal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities.*

21                    *FOREST SERVICE FACILITY REALIGNMENT AND*  
22                    *ENHANCEMENT ACT*

23            *SEC. 422. Section 503(f) of the Forest Service Facility*  
24 *Realignment and Enhancement Act of 2005 (16 U.S.C.*

1 580d note; Public Law 109–54) is amended by striking  
2 “2018” and inserting “2019”.

3 *USE OF AMERICAN IRON AND STEEL*

4 *SEC. 423. (a)(1) None of the funds made available by*  
5 *a State water pollution control revolving fund as authorized*  
6 *by section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C.*  
7 *300j–12) shall be used for a project for the construction,*  
8 *alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water system*  
9 *or treatment works unless all of the iron and steel products*  
10 *used in the project are produced in the United States.*

11 *(2) In this section, the term “iron and steel” products*  
12 *means the following products made primarily of iron or*  
13 *steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers*  
14 *and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe*  
15 *clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced*  
16 *precast concrete, and construction materials.*

17 *(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply in any case or cat-*  
18 *egory of cases in which the Administrator of the Environ-*  
19 *mental Protection Agency (in this section referred to as the*  
20 *“Administrator”) finds that—*

21 *(1) applying subsection (a) would be inconsistent*  
22 *with the public interest;*

23 *(2) iron and steel products are not produced in*  
24 *the United States in sufficient and reasonably avail-*  
25 *able quantities and of a satisfactory quality; or*



1 *States Navy for inclusion in the National Register of His-*  
2 *toric Places (54 U.S.C. 302101).*

3 *JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER REAUTHORIZATION*

4 *SEC. 425. Section 13 of the John F. Kennedy Center*  
5 *Act (20 U.S.C. 76r) is amended by striking subsections (a)*  
6 *and (b) and inserting the following:*

7 *“(a) MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND SECURITY.—There*  
8 *is authorized to be appropriated to the Board to carry out*  
9 *section 4(a)(1)(H), \$24,490,000 for fiscal year 2019.*

10 *“(b) CAPITAL PROJECTS.—There is authorized to be*  
11 *appropriated to the Board to carry out subparagraphs (F)*  
12 *and (G) of section 4(a)(1), \$16,800,000 for fiscal year*  
13 *2019.”.*

14 *LOCAL COOPERATOR TRAINING AGREEMENTS AND TRANS-*  
15 *FERS OF EXCESS EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES FOR*  
16 *WILDFIRES*

17 *SEC. 426. The Secretary of the Interior is authorized*  
18 *to enter into grants and cooperative agreements with volun-*  
19 *teer fire departments, rural fire departments, rangeland fire*  
20 *protection associations, and similar organizations to pro-*  
21 *vide for wildland fire training and equipment, including*  
22 *supplies and communication devices. Notwithstanding*  
23 *121(c) of title 40, United States Code, or section 521 of title*  
24 *40, United States Code, the Secretary is further authorized*  
25 *to transfer title to excess Department of the Interior fire-*



1 *fighting equipment no longer needed to carry out the func-*  
2 *tions of the Department’s wildland fire management pro-*  
3 *gram to such organizations.*

4 *INFRASTRUCTURE*

5 *SEC. 427. (a) For an additional amount for “Environ-*  
6 *mental Protection Agency—Hazardous Substance Super-*  
7 *fund”, \$43,000,000, of which \$38,000,000 shall be for the*  
8 *Superfund Remedial program and \$5,000,000 shall be for*  
9 *the Superfund Emergency Response and Removal program,*  
10 *to remain available until expended, consisting of such sums*  
11 *as are available in the Trust Fund on September 30, 2018,*  
12 *as authorized by section 517(a) of the Superfund Amend-*  
13 *ments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) and up*  
14 *to \$43,000,000 as a payment from general revenues to the*  
15 *Hazardous Substance Superfund for purposes as authorized*  
16 *by section 517(b) of SARA.*

17 *(b) For an additional amount for “Environmental*  
18 *Protection Agency—State and Tribal Assistance Grants,”*  
19 *for environmental programs and infrastructure assistance,*  
20 *including capitalization grants for State revolving funds*  
21 *and performance partnership grants, \$670,000,000 to re-*  
22 *main available until expended, of which—*

23 *(1) \$300,000,000 shall be for making capitaliza-*  
24 *tion grants for the Clean Water State Revolving*  
25 *Funds under title VI of the Federal Water Pollution*

1     *Control Act; and of which \$300,000,000 shall be for*  
2     *making capitalization grants for the Drinking Water*  
3     *State Revolving Funds under section 1452 of the Safe*  
4     *Drinking Water Act;*

5             *(2) \$30,000,000 shall be for grants for small and*  
6     *disadvantaged communities authorized in section*  
7     *2104 of the Water Infrastructure Improvements for*  
8     *the Nation Act (Public Law 114–322);*

9             *(3) \$25,000,000 shall be for grants for lead test-*  
10    *ing in school and child care program drinking water*  
11    *authorized in section 2107 of the Water Infrastructure*  
12    *Improvements for the Nation Act (Public Law 114–*  
13    *322);*

14            *(4) \$15,000,000 shall be for grants for reducing*  
15    *lead in drinking water authorized in section 2105 of*  
16    *the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation*  
17    *Act (Public Law 114–322).*

18     *(c) For an additional amount for “Environmental*  
19    *Protection Agency—Water Infrastructure Finance and In-*  
20    *novation Program Account”, \$53,000,000, to remain avail-*  
21    *able until expended, for the cost of direct loans, for the cost*  
22    *of guaranteed loans, and for administrative expenses to*  
23    *carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs, of*  
24    *which \$3,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
25    *2020, may be used for such administrative expenses: Pro-*

1 *vided, That these additional funds are available to subsidize*  
2 *gross obligations for the principal amount of direct loans,*  
3 *including capitalized interest, and total loan principal, in-*  
4 *cluding capitalized interest, any part of which is to be*  
5 *guaranteed, not to exceed \$6,100,000,000.*

6 *POLICIES RELATING TO BIOMASS ENERGY*

7 *SEC. 428. To support the key role that forests in the*  
8 *United States can play in addressing the energy needs of*  
9 *the United States, the Secretary of Energy, the Secretary*  
10 *of Agriculture, and the Administrator of the Environmental*  
11 *Protection Agency shall, consistent with their missions,*  
12 *jointly—*

13 *(1) ensure that Federal policy relating to forest*  
14 *bioenergy—*

15 *(A) is consistent across all Federal depart-*  
16 *ments and agencies; and*

17 *(B) recognizes the full benefits of the use of*  
18 *forest biomass for energy, conservation, and re-*  
19 *sponsible forest management; and*

20 *(2) establish clear and simple policies for the use*  
21 *of forest biomass as an energy solution, including*  
22 *policies that—*

23 *(A) reflect the carbon-neutrality of forest*  
24 *bioenergy and recognize biomass as a renewable*  
25 *energy source, provided the use of forest biomass*

1           *for energy production does not cause conversion*  
2           *of forests to non-forest use;*

3                   *(B) encourage private investment through-*  
4           *out the forest biomass supply chain, including*  
5           *in—*

6                           *(i) working forests;*

7                           *(ii) harvesting operations;*

8                           *(iii) forest improvement operations;*

9                           *(iv) forest bioenergy production;*

10                          *(v) wood products manufacturing; or*

11                          *(vi) paper manufacturing;*

12                          *(C) encourage forest management to im-*  
13           *prove forest health; and*

14                          *(D) recognize State initiatives to produce*  
15           *and use forest biomass.*

16                           *CLARIFICATION OF EXEMPTIONS*

17           *SEC. 429. None of the funds made available in this*  
18   *Act may be used to require a permit for the discharge of*  
19   *dredged or fill material under the Federal Water Pollution*  
20   *Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.) for the activities identi-*  
21   *fied in subparagraphs (A) and (C) of section 404(f)(1) of*  
22   *the Act (33 U.S.C. 1344(f)(1)(A), (C)).*

23                           *SMALL REMOTE INCINERATORS*

24           *SEC. 430. None of the funds made available in this*  
25   *Act may be used to implement or enforce the regulation*

1 *issued on March 21, 2011 at 40 CFR part 60 subparts*  
2 *CCCC and DDDD with respect to units in the State of Alas-*  
3 *ka that are defined as “small, remote incinerator” units*  
4 *in those regulations and, until a subsequent regulation is*  
5 *issued, the Administrator shall implement the law and reg-*  
6 *ulations in effect prior to such date.*

7 *RECREATION FEES*

8 *SEC. 431. Section 810 of the Federal Lands Recreation*  
9 *Enhancement Act (16 U.S.C. 6809) shall be applied by sub-*  
10 *stituting “October 1, 2020” for “September 30, 2019”.*

11 *SEC. 432. (a) None of the funds appropriated or other-*  
12 *wise made available under this Act may be used by the De-*  
13 *partment of the Interior, the Environmental Protection*  
14 *Agency, the Forest Service, the Indian Health Service, or*  
15 *the Smithsonian Institution to acquire telecommunications*  
16 *equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company,*  
17 *ZTE Corporation or a high-impact or moderate-impact in-*  
18 *formation system, as defined for security categorization in*  
19 *the National Institute of Standards and Technology’s*  
20 *(NIST) Federal Information Processing Standard Publica-*  
21 *tion 199, “Standards for Security Categorization of Federal*  
22 *Information and Information Systems” unless the agency*  
23 *has—*

24 *(1) reviewed the supply chain risk for the infor-*  
25 *mation systems against criteria developed by NIST to*

1 *inform acquisition decisions for high-impact and*  
2 *moderate-impact information systems within the Fed-*  
3 *eral Government;*

4 (2) *reviewed the supply chain risk from the pre-*  
5 *sumptive awardee against available and relevant*  
6 *threat information provided by the Federal Bureau of*  
7 *Investigation and other appropriate agencies; and*

8 (3) *in consultation with the Federal Bureau of*  
9 *Investigation or other appropriate Federal entity,*  
10 *conducted an assessment of any risk of cyber-espio-*  
11 *nage or sabotage associated with the acquisition of*  
12 *such system, including any risk associated with such*  
13 *system being produced, manufactured, or assembled*  
14 *by one or more entities identified by the United*  
15 *States Government as posing a cyber threat, includ-*  
16 *ing but not limited to, those that may be owned, di-*  
17 *rected, or subsidized by the People’s Republic of*  
18 *China, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic*  
19 *People’s Republic of Korea, or the Russian Federa-*  
20 *tion.*

21 (b) *None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made*  
22 *available under this Act may be used to acquire a high-*  
23 *impact or moderate impact information system reviewed*  
24 *and assessed under subsection (a) unless the head of the as-*  
25 *sessing entity described in subsection (a) has—*

1           (1) developed, in consultation with NIST and  
2           supply chain risk management experts, a mitigation  
3           strategy for any identified risks;

4           (2) determined, in consultation with NIST and  
5           the Federal Bureau of Investigation, that the acquisi-  
6           tion of such system is in the vital national security  
7           interest of the United States; and

8           (3) reported that determination to the Commit-  
9           tees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-  
10          tives and the Senate in a manner that identifies the  
11          system intended for acquisition and a detailed de-  
12          scription of the mitigation strategies identified in (1),  
13          provided that such report may include a classified  
14          annex as necessary.

15          SEC. 433. Within available funds, not later than 180  
16          days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller  
17          General of the United States shall issue a report on efforts  
18          by the Department of Housing and Urban Development and  
19          the Environmental Protection Agency relating to the re-  
20          moval of lead-based paint and other hazardous materials,  
21          which shall include—

22                 (1) a description of direct removal efforts by the  
23                 Department of Housing and Urban Development and  
24                 the Environmental Protection Agency;

1           (2) a description of education provided by the  
2           *Department of Housing and Urban Development and*  
3           *the Environmental Protection Agency to other Federal*  
4           *agencies, local governments and communities, recipi-*  
5           *ents of grants made by either entity, and the general*  
6           *public relating to the removal of lead-based paint and*  
7           *other hazardous materials;*

8           (3) a description of assistance received from  
9           *other Federal agencies relating to the removal of lead-*  
10          *based paint and other hazardous materials; and*

11          (4) any best practices developed or provided by  
12          *the Department of Housing and Urban Development*  
13          *and the Environmental Protection Agency relating to*  
14          *the removal of lead-based paint and other hazardous*  
15          *materials.*

16          *SEC. 434. (a) Within available funds for the National*  
17          *Forest System, the Secretary of Agriculture shall conduct*  
18          *an inventory and evaluation of certain land, as generally*  
19          *depicted on the map entitled “Flatside Wilderness Adjacent*  
20          *Inventory Areas” and dated November 30, 2017, to deter-*  
21          *mine the suitability of that land for inclusion in the Na-*  
22          *tional Wilderness Preservation System.*

23          (i) *The Chief of the Forest Service shall submit to the*  
24          *Committees on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, Ap-*  
25          *propriations, and Energy and Natural Resources of the*



1 *Senate the results of the inventory and evaluation required*  
2 *under subsection (a).*

3 *ADDRESSING PEDIATRIC CANCER RATES IN THE UNITED*  
4 *STATES*

5 *SEC. 435. (a) REPORT IDENTIFYING GEOGRAPHIC*  
6 *VARIATION OF TYPES OF PEDIATRIC CANCER.—Using*  
7 *funds appropriated under the heading “Toxic Substances*  
8 *and Environmental Health” for the Agency for Toxic Sub-*  
9 *stances and Disease Registry, the Secretary of Health and*  
10 *Human Services, not later than 180 days after the date of*  
11 *enactment of this Act, shall submit to the Committee on*  
12 *Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions of the Senate, the*  
13 *Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, the Committee*  
14 *on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives,*  
15 *and the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Rep-*  
16 *resentatives, a report that provides details on the geographic*  
17 *variation in pediatric cancer incidence in the United*  
18 *States, including—*

19 *(1) the types of pediatric cancer within each of*  
20 *the 10 States with the highest age-adjusted incidence*  
21 *rate of cancer among persons aged 20 years or young-*  
22 *er;*

23 *(2) geographic concentrations of types and prev-*  
24 *alence of pediatric cancers within each such State, in*

1 *accordance with Centers for Disease Control and Pre-*  
2 *vention guidelines; and*

3 *(3) an update on current activities related to pe-*  
4 *diatric cancer, including with respect to carrying out*  
5 *section 399V–6 of the Public Health Service Act (42*  
6 *U.S.C. 280g–17).*

7 *(b) SUPPORT FOR STATES WITH HIGH INCIDENCE OF*  
8 *PEDIATRIC CANCER.—Using funds appropriated under the*  
9 *heading “Toxic Substances and Environmental Public*  
10 *Health” for the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease*  
11 *Registry, the Secretary of Health and Human Services may*  
12 *conduct public outreach, in collaboration with State depart-*  
13 *ments of health, particularly in the 10 States with the high-*  
14 *est age-adjusted incidence rate of cancer among persons*  
15 *aged 20 years or younger, to improve awareness by resi-*  
16 *dents, clinicians, and others, as appropriate, of possible*  
17 *contributing factors to pediatric cancer, including environ-*  
18 *mental exposures, in a manner that is complementary of,*  
19 *and does not conflict with, ongoing pediatric cancer-related*  
20 *activities supported by the Department of Health and*  
21 *Human Services.*

22 *(c) PRIVACY.—The Secretary of Health and Human*  
23 *Services shall ensure that all information with respect to*  
24 *patients that is contained in the reports under this section*  
25 *is de-identified and protects personal privacy of such pa-*

1 *tients in accordance with applicable Federal and State pri-*  
2 *vacy law.*

3 *This division may be cited as the “Department of the*  
4 *Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropria-*  
5 *tions Act, 2019”.*

6 ***DIVISION B—FINANCIAL SERVICES AND***  
7 ***GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIA-***  
8 ***TIONS ACT, 2019***

9 *That the following sums are appropriated, out of any*  
10 *money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for fi-*  
11 *nancial services and general government for the fiscal year*  
12 *ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, namely:*

13 ***TITLE I***

14 ***DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY***

15 ***DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES***

16 ***SALARIES AND EXPENSES***

17 *For necessary expenses of the Departmental Offices in-*  
18 *cluding operation and maintenance of the Treasury Build-*  
19 *ing and Freedman’s Bank Building; hire of passenger*  
20 *motor vehicles; maintenance, repairs, and improvements of,*  
21 *and purchase of commercial insurance policies for, real*  
22 *properties leased or owned overseas, when necessary for the*  
23 *performance of official business; executive direction pro-*  
24 *gram activities; international affairs and economic policy*  
25 *activities; domestic finance and tax policy activities, in-*

1 *cluding technical assistance to Puerto Rico; and Treasury-*  
2 *wide management policies and programs activities,*  
3 *\$208,751,000: Provided, That of the amount appropriated*  
4 *under this heading—*

5           (1) *not to exceed \$700,000 is for official recep-*  
6 *tion and representation expenses, of which necessary*  
7 *amounts shall be available for expenses to support ac-*  
8 *tivities of the Financial Action Task Force, and not*  
9 *to exceed \$350,000 shall be for other official reception*  
10 *and representation expenses;*

11           (2) *not to exceed \$258,000 is for unforeseen*  
12 *emergencies of a confidential nature to be allocated*  
13 *and expended under the direction of the Secretary of*  
14 *the Treasury and to be accounted for solely on the*  
15 *Secretary's certificate; and*

16           (3) *not to exceed \$24,000,000 shall remain avail-*  
17 *able until September 30, 2020, for—*

18                   (A) *the Treasury-wide Financial Statement*  
19 *Audit and Internal Control Program;*

20                   (B) *information technology modernization*  
21 *requirements;*

22                   (C) *the audit, oversight, and administration*  
23 *of the Gulf Coast Restoration Trust Fund;*

24                   (D) *the development and implementation of*  
25 *programs within the Office of Critical Infra-*

1           *structure Protection and Compliance Policy, in-*  
2           *cluding entering into cooperative agreements;*

3                   *(E) operations and maintenance of facili-*  
4           *ties; and*

5                   *(F) international operations.*

6       *OFFICE OF TERRORISM AND FINANCIAL INTELLIGENCE*

7                   *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

8       *For the necessary expenses of the Office of Terrorism*  
9       *and Financial Intelligence to safeguard the financial sys-*  
10       *tem against illicit use and to combat rogue nations, ter-*  
11       *rorist facilitators, weapons of mass destruction*  
12       *proliferators, money launderers, drug kingpins, and other*  
13       *national security threats, \$159,000,000: Provided, That of*  
14       *the amount appropriated under this heading: (1) up to*  
15       *\$33,500,000 may be transferred to the Departmental Offices*  
16       *Salaries and Expenses appropriation and shall be available*  
17       *for administrative support to the Office of Terrorism and*  
18       *Financial Intelligence; and (2) up to \$10,000,000 shall re-*  
19       *main available until September 30, 2020: Provided further,*  
20       *That of the amount appropriated under this heading, not*  
21       *less than \$1,000,000 shall be used to support and augment*  
22       *new and ongoing investigations into the illicit trade of syn-*  
23       *thetic opioids, particularly fentanyl and its analogues, orig-*  
24       *inating from the People's Republic of China: Provided fur-*  
25       *ther, That not later than 180 days after the date of the en-*

1 *actment of this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury, in co-*  
2 *ordination with the Administrator of the Drug Enforcement*  
3 *Administration and the heads of other Federal agencies, as*  
4 *appropriate, shall submit a comprehensive report (which*  
5 *shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include*  
6 *a classified annex) summarizing efforts by actors in the*  
7 *People's Republic of China to subvert United States laws*  
8 *and to supply illicit synthetic opioids to persons in the*  
9 *United States, including up-to-date estimates of the scale*  
10 *of illicit synthetic opioids flows from the People's Republic*  
11 *of China, to the Committee on Appropriations, the Com-*  
12 *mittee on Homeland Security, and the Committee on Fi-*  
13 *nancial Services of the House of Representatives and the*  
14 *Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on Homeland*  
15 *Security and Governmental Affairs, and the Committee on*  
16 *Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs of the Senate.*

17 *CYBERSECURITY ENHANCEMENT ACCOUNT*

18 *For salaries and expenses for enhanced cybersecurity*  
19 *for systems operated by the Department of the Treasury,*  
20 *\$25,208,000, to remain available until September 30, 2021:*  
21 *Provided, That such funds shall supplement and not sup-*  
22 *plant any other amounts made available to the Treasury*  
23 *offices and bureaus for cybersecurity: Provided further,*  
24 *That the Chief Information Officer of the individual offices*  
25 *and bureaus shall submit a spend plan for each investment*

1 *to the Treasury Chief Information Officer for approval:*  
2 *Provided further, That the submitted spend plan shall be*  
3 *reviewed and approved by the Treasury Chief Information*  
4 *Officer prior to the obligation of funds under this heading:*  
5 *Provided further, That of the total amount made available*  
6 *under this heading \$1,000,000 shall be available for admin-*  
7 *istrative expenses for the Treasury Chief Information Offi-*  
8 *cer to provide oversight of the investments made under this*  
9 *heading: Provided further, That such funds shall supple-*  
10 *ment and not supplant any other amounts made available*  
11 *to the Treasury Chief Information Officer.*

12 *DEPARTMENT-WIDE SYSTEMS AND CAPITAL INVESTMENTS*  
13 *PROGRAMS*  
14 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

15 *For development and acquisition of automatic data*  
16 *processing equipment, software, and services and for repairs*  
17 *and renovations to buildings owned by the Department of*  
18 *the Treasury, \$4,000,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
19 *tember 30, 2021: Provided, That these funds shall be trans-*  
20 *ferred to accounts and in amounts as necessary to satisfy*  
21 *the requirements of the Department's offices, bureaus, and*  
22 *other organizations: Provided further, That this transfer*  
23 *authority shall be in addition to any other transfer author-*  
24 *ity provided in this Act: Provided further, That none of*  
25 *the funds appropriated under this heading shall be used to*

1 *support or supplement “Internal Revenue Service, Oper-*  
2 *ations Support” or “Internal Revenue Service, Business*  
3 *Systems Modernization”.*

4 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

5 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

6 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
7 *eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General*  
8 *Act of 1978, \$37,044,000, including hire of passenger motor*  
9 *vehicles; of which not to exceed \$100,000 shall be available*  
10 *for unforeseen emergencies of a confidential nature, to be*  
11 *allocated and expended under the direction of the Inspector*  
12 *General of the Treasury; of which up to \$2,800,000 to re-*  
13 *main available until September 30, 2020, shall be for audits*  
14 *and investigations conducted pursuant to section 1608 of*  
15 *the Resources and Ecosystems Sustainability, Tourist Op-*  
16 *portunities, and Revived Economies of the Gulf Coast*  
17 *States Act of 2012 (33 U.S.C. 1321 note); and of which*  
18 *not to exceed \$1,000 shall be available for official reception*  
19 *and representation expenses.*

20 *TREASURY INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR TAX ADMINISTRATION*

21 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

22 *For necessary expenses of the Treasury Inspector Gen-*  
23 *eral for Tax Administration in carrying out the Inspector*  
24 *General Act of 1978, as amended, including purchase and*  
25 *hire of passenger motor vehicles (31 U.S.C. 1343(b)); and*



1 *services authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, at such rates as may*  
2 *be determined by the Inspector General for Tax Administra-*  
3 *tion; \$169,634,000, of which \$5,000,000 shall remain avail-*  
4 *able until September 30, 2020; of which not to exceed*  
5 *\$6,000,000 shall be available for official travel expenses; of*  
6 *which not to exceed \$500,000 shall be available for unfore-*  
7 *seen emergencies of a confidential nature, to be allocated*  
8 *and expended under the direction of the Inspector General*  
9 *for Tax Administration; and of which not to exceed \$1,500*  
10 *shall be available for official reception and representation*  
11 *expenses.*

12 *SPECIAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE TROUBLED ASSET*  
13 *RELIEF PROGRAM*

14 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

15 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Special In-*  
16 *pector General in carrying out the provisions of the Emer-*  
17 *gency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 (Public Law*  
18 *110–343), \$17,500,000.*

19 *FINANCIAL CRIMES ENFORCEMENT NETWORK*

20 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

21 *For necessary expenses of the Financial Crimes En-*  
22 *forcement Network, including hire of passenger motor vehi-*  
23 *cles; travel and training expenses of non-Federal and for-*  
24 *foreign government personnel to attend meetings and training*  
25 *concerned with domestic and foreign financial intelligence*

1 *activities, law enforcement, and financial regulation; serv-*  
2 *ices authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; not to exceed \$10,000 for*  
3 *official reception and representation expenses; and for as-*  
4 *sistance to Federal law enforcement agencies, with or with-*  
5 *out reimbursement, \$117,800,000, of which not to exceed*  
6 *\$34,335,000 shall remain available until September 30,*  
7 *2021.*

8 *BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE*

9 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

10 *For necessary expenses of operations of the Bureau of*  
11 *the Fiscal Service, \$338,280,000; of which not to exceed*  
12 *\$4,210,000, to remain available until September 30, 2021,*  
13 *is for information systems modernization initiatives; and*  
14 *of which \$5,000 shall be available for official reception and*  
15 *representation expenses.*

16 *In addition, \$165,000, to be derived from the Oil Spill*  
17 *Liability Trust Fund to reimburse administrative and per-*  
18 *sonnel expenses for financial management of the Fund, as*  
19 *authorized by section 1012 of Public Law 101–380.*

20 *ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO TAX AND TRADE BUREAU*

21 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

22 *For necessary expenses of carrying out section 1111*  
23 *of the Homeland Security Act of 2002, including hire of*  
24 *passenger motor vehicles, \$111,439,000; of which not to ex-*  
25 *ceed \$6,000 for official reception and representation ex-*

1 *penses; not to exceed \$50,000 for cooperative research and*  
2 *development programs for laboratory services; and provi-*  
3 *sion of laboratory assistance to State and local agencies*  
4 *with or without reimbursement: Provided, That of the*  
5 *amount appropriated under this heading, \$5,000,000 shall*  
6 *be for the costs of accelerating the processing of formula and*  
7 *label applications: Provided further, That of the amount ap-*  
8 *propriated under this heading, \$5,000,000, to remain avail-*  
9 *able until September 30, 2020.*

10 *UNITED STATES MINT*

11 *UNITED STATES MINT PUBLIC ENTERPRISE FUND*

12 *Pursuant to section 5136 of title 31, United States*  
13 *Code, the United States Mint is provided funding through*  
14 *the United States Mint Public Enterprise Fund for costs*  
15 *associated with the production of circulating coins, numis-*  
16 *matic coins, and protective services, including both oper-*  
17 *ating expenses and capital investments: Provided, That the*  
18 *aggregate amount of new liabilities and obligations in-*  
19 *curred during fiscal year 2019 under such section 5136 for*  
20 *circulating coinage and protective service capital invest-*  
21 *ments of the United States Mint shall not exceed*  
22 *\$30,000,000.*

1     *COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS*  
2                     *FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

3             *To carry out the Riegle Community Development and*  
4 *Regulatory Improvements Act of 1994 (subtitle A of title*  
5 *I of Public Law 103–325), including services authorized by*  
6 *section 3109 of title 5, United States Code, but at rates for*  
7 *individuals not to exceed the per diem rate equivalent to*  
8 *the rate for EX–3, \$250,000,000. Of the amount appro-*  
9 *priated under this heading—*

10             *(1) not less than \$182,000,000, notwithstanding*  
11 *section 108(e) of Public Law 103–325 (12 U.S.C.*  
12 *4707(e)) with regard to Small and/or Emerging Com-*  
13 *munity Development Financial Institutions Assist-*  
14 *ance awards, is available until September 30, 2020,*  
15 *for financial assistance and technical assistance*  
16 *under subparagraphs (A) and (B) of section*  
17 *108(a)(1), respectively, of Public Law 103–325 (12*  
18 *U.S.C. 4707(a)(1)(A) and (B)), of which up to*  
19 *\$2,680,000 may be used for the cost of direct loans:*  
20 *Provided, That the cost of direct and guaranteed*  
21 *loans, including the cost of modifying such loans,*  
22 *shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional*  
23 *Budget Act of 1974: Provided further, That these*  
24 *funds are available to subsidize gross obligations for*

1 *the principal amount of direct loans not to exceed*  
2 *\$25,000,000;*

3 *(2) not less than \$16,000,000, notwithstanding*  
4 *section 108(e) of Public Law 103–325 (12 U.S.C.*  
5 *4707(e)), is available until September 30, 2020, for fi-*  
6 *nancial assistance, technical assistance, training, and*  
7 *outreach programs designed to benefit Native Amer-*  
8 *ican, Native Hawaiian, and Alaska Native commu-*  
9 *nities and provided primarily through qualified com-*  
10 *munity development lender organizations with experi-*  
11 *ence and expertise in community development bank-*  
12 *ing and lending in Indian country, Native American*  
13 *organizations, tribes and tribal organizations, and*  
14 *other suitable providers;*

15 *(3) not less than \$25,000,000 is available until*  
16 *September 30, 2020, for the Bank Enterprise Award*  
17 *program;*

18 *(4) up to \$27,000,000 is available until Sep-*  
19 *tember 30, 2019, for administrative expenses, includ-*  
20 *ing administration of CDFI fund programs and the*  
21 *New Markets Tax Credit Program, of which not less*  
22 *than \$1,000,000 is for development of tools to better*  
23 *assess and inform CDFI investment performance, and*  
24 *up to \$300,000 is for administrative expenses to*  
25 *carry out the direct loan program; and*

1           (5) *during fiscal year 2019, none of the funds*  
2 *available under this heading are available for the*  
3 *cost, as defined in section 502 of the Congressional*  
4 *Budget Act of 1974, of commitments to guarantee*  
5 *bonds and notes under section 114A of the Riegle*  
6 *Community Development and Regulatory Improve-*  
7 *ment Act of 1994 (12 U.S.C. 4713a): Provided, That*  
8 *commitments to guarantee bonds and notes under*  
9 *such section 114A shall not exceed \$500,000,000: Pro-*  
10 *vided further, That such section 114A shall remain in*  
11 *effect until December 31, 2019: Provided further, That*  
12 *of the funds awarded under this heading, not less*  
13 *than 10 percent shall be used for awards that support*  
14 *investments that serve populations living in persistent*  
15 *poverty counties: Provided further, That for the pur-*  
16 *poses of this section, the term “persistent poverty*  
17 *counties” means any county that has had 20 percent*  
18 *or more of its population living in poverty over the*  
19 *past 30 years, as measured by the 1990 and 2000 de-*  
20 *cennial censuses and the 2011–2015 5-year data se-*  
21 *ries available from the American Community Survey*  
22 *of the Census Bureau.*

1 *INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE*2 *TAXPAYER SERVICES*

3 *For necessary expenses of the Internal Revenue Service*  
4 *to provide taxpayer services, including pre-filing assistance*  
5 *and education, filing and account services, taxpayer advo-*  
6 *cacy services, and other services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
7 *3109, at such rates as may be determined by the Commis-*  
8 *sioner, \$2,506,554,000, of which not less than \$9,890,000*  
9 *shall be for the Tax Counseling for the Elderly Program,*  
10 *of which not less than \$12,000,000 shall be available for*  
11 *low-income taxpayer clinic grants, of which not less than*  
12 *\$20,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020,*  
13 *shall be available for a Community Volunteer Income Tax*  
14 *Assistance matching grants program for tax return prepa-*  
15 *ration assistance, and of which not less than \$206,000,000*  
16 *shall be available for operating expenses of the Taxpayer*  
17 *Advocate Service: Provided, That of the amounts made*  
18 *available for the Taxpayer Advocate Service, not less than*  
19 *\$5,500,000 shall be for identity theft and refund fraud case-*  
20 *work.*

21 *ENFORCEMENT*

22 *For necessary expenses for tax enforcement activities*  
23 *of the Internal Revenue Service to determine and collect*  
24 *owed taxes, to provide legal and litigation support, to con-*  
25 *duct criminal investigations, to enforce criminal statutes*

1 *related to violations of internal revenue laws and other fi-*  
2 *nancial crimes, to purchase and hire passenger motor vehi-*  
3 *cles (31 U.S.C. 1343(b)), and to provide other services as*  
4 *authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, at such rates as may be deter-*  
5 *mined by the Commissioner, \$4,860,000,000, of which not*  
6 *to exceed \$50,000,000 shall remain available until Sep-*  
7 *tember 30, 2020, and of which not less than \$60,257,000*  
8 *shall be for the Interagency Crime and Drug Enforcement*  
9 *program.*

10 *OPERATIONS SUPPORT*

11 *For necessary expenses of the Internal Revenue Service*  
12 *to support taxpayer services and enforcement programs, in-*  
13 *cluding rent payments; facilities services; printing; postage;*  
14 *physical security; headquarters and other IRS-wide admin-*  
15 *istration activities; research and statistics of income; tele-*  
16 *communications; information technology development, en-*  
17 *hancement, operations, maintenance, and security; the hire*  
18 *of passenger motor vehicles (31 U.S.C. 1343(b)); the oper-*  
19 *ations of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board;*  
20 *and other services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, at such*  
21 *rates as may be determined by the Commissioner;*  
22 *\$3,709,000,000, of which not to exceed \$50,000,000 shall re-*  
23 *main available until September 30, 2020; of which not to*  
24 *exceed \$10,000,000 shall remain available until expended*  
25 *for acquisition of equipment and construction, repair and*



1 renovation of facilities; of which not to exceed \$1,000,000  
2 shall remain available until September 30, 2021, for re-  
3 search; of which not to exceed \$20,000 shall be for official  
4 reception and representation expenses: Provided, That not  
5 later than 30 days after the end of each quarter, the Inter-  
6 nal Revenue Service shall submit a report to the Committees  
7 on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the  
8 Senate and the Comptroller General of the United States  
9 detailing the cost and schedule performance for its major  
10 information technology investments, including the purpose  
11 and life-cycle stages of the investments; the reasons for any  
12 cost and schedule variances; the risks of such investments  
13 and strategies the Internal Revenue Service is using to  
14 mitigate such risks; and the expected developmental mile-  
15 stones to be achieved and costs to be incurred in the next  
16 quarter: Provided further, That the Internal Revenue Serv-  
17 ice shall include, in its budget justification for fiscal year  
18 2020, a summary of cost and schedule performance infor-  
19 mation for its major information technology systems.

20 *BUSINESS SYSTEMS MODERNIZATION*

21 *For necessary expenses of the Internal Revenue Serv-*  
22 *ice's business systems modernization program,*  
23 *\$110,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
24 *2021, for the capital asset acquisition of information tech-*  
25 *nology systems, including management and related contrac-*

1 tual costs of said acquisitions, including related Internal  
2 Revenue Service labor costs, and contractual costs associ-  
3 ated with operations authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109: Pro-  
4 vided, That not later than 30 days after the end of each  
5 quarter, the Internal Revenue Service shall submit a report  
6 to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Rep-  
7 resentatives and the Senate and the Comptroller General  
8 of the United States detailing the cost and schedule perform-  
9 ance for major information technology investments, includ-  
10 ing the purposes and life-cycle stages of the investments; the  
11 reasons for any cost and schedule variances; the risks of  
12 such investments and the strategies the Internal Revenue  
13 Service is using to mitigate such risks; and the expected  
14 developmental milestones to be achieved and costs to be in-  
15 curred in the next quarter.

16 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—INTERNAL REVENUE

17 SERVICE

18 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

19 SEC. 101. Not to exceed 5 percent of any appropriation  
20 made available in this Act to the Internal Revenue Service  
21 may be transferred to any other Internal Revenue Service  
22 appropriation upon the advance approval of the Commit-  
23 tees on Appropriations.

24 SEC. 102. The Internal Revenue Service shall main-  
25 tain an employee training program, which shall include the

1 *following topics: taxpayers' rights, dealing courteously with*  
2 *taxpayers, cross-cultural relations, ethics, and the impartial*  
3 *application of tax law.*

4 *SEC. 103. The Internal Revenue Service shall institute*  
5 *and enforce policies and procedures that will safeguard the*  
6 *confidentiality of taxpayer information and protect tax-*  
7 *payers against identity theft.*

8 *SEC. 104. Funds made available by this or any other*  
9 *Act to the Internal Revenue Service shall be available for*  
10 *improved facilities and increased staffing to provide suffi-*  
11 *cient and effective 1–800 help line service for taxpayers. The*  
12 *Commissioner shall continue to make improvements to the*  
13 *Internal Revenue Service 1–800 help line service a priority*  
14 *and allocate resources necessary to enhance the response*  
15 *time to taxpayer communications, particularly with regard*  
16 *to victims of tax-related crimes.*

17 *SEC. 105. None of the funds made available to the In-*  
18 *ternal Revenue Service by this Act may be used to make*  
19 *a video unless the Service-Wide Video Editorial Board de-*  
20 *termines in advance that making the video is appropriate,*  
21 *taking into account the cost, topic, tone, and purpose of the*  
22 *video.*

23 *SEC. 106. The Internal Revenue Service shall issue a*  
24 *notice of confirmation of any address change relating to an*  
25 *employer making employment tax payments, and such no-*

1 *tice shall be sent to both the employer's former and new*  
2 *address and an officer or employee of the Internal Revenue*  
3 *Service shall give special consideration to an offer-in-com-*  
4 *promise from a taxpayer who has been the victim of fraud*  
5 *by a third party payroll tax preparer.*

6 *SEC. 107. None of the funds made available under this*  
7 *Act may be used by the Internal Revenue Service to target*  
8 *citizens of the United States for exercising any right guar-*  
9 *anteed under the First Amendment to the Constitution of*  
10 *the United States.*

11 *SEC. 108. None of the funds made available in this*  
12 *Act may be used by the Internal Revenue Service to target*  
13 *groups for regulatory scrutiny based on their ideological be-*  
14 *liefs.*

15 *SEC. 109. None of funds made available by this Act*  
16 *to the Internal Revenue Service shall be obligated or ex-*  
17 *pended on conferences that do not adhere to the procedures,*  
18 *verification processes, documentation requirements, and*  
19 *policies issued by the Chief Financial Officer, Human Cap-*  
20 *ital Office, and Agency-Wide Shared Services as a result*  
21 *of the recommendations in the report published on May 31,*  
22 *2013, by the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Adminis-*  
23 *tration entitled "Review of the August 2010 Small Busi-*  
24 *ness/Self-Employed Division's Conference in Anaheim,*  
25 *California" (Reference Number 2013-10-037).*

1       *SEC. 110. None of the funds made available in this*  
2 *Act to the Internal Revenue Service may be obligated or*  
3 *expended—*

4             (1) *to make a payment to any employee under*  
5 *a bonus, award, or recognition program; or*

6             (2) *under any hiring or personnel selection proc-*  
7 *ess with respect to re-hiring a former employee, unless*  
8 *such program or process takes into account the con-*  
9 *duct and Federal tax compliance of such employee or*  
10 *former employee.*

11       *SEC. 111. None of the funds made available by this*  
12 *Act may be used in contravention of section 6103 of the*  
13 *Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to confidentiality*  
14 *and disclosure of returns and return information).*

15       *SEC. 112. Except to the extent provided in section*  
16 *6014, 6020, or 6201(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of*  
17 *1986, no funds in this or any other Act shall be available*  
18 *to the Secretary of the Treasury to provide to any person*  
19 *a proposed final return or statement for use by such person*  
20 *to satisfy a filing or reporting requirement under such*  
21 *Code.*

22       *SEC. 113. In addition to the amounts otherwise made*  
23 *available in this Act for the Internal Revenue Service,*  
24 *\$77,000,000, to be available until September 30, 2020, shall*  
25 *be transferred by the Commissioner to the “Taxpayer Serv-*

1 ices”, “Enforcement”, or “Operations Support” accounts of  
2 the Internal Revenue Service for an additional amount to  
3 be used solely for carrying out Public Law 115–97: Pro-  
4 vided, That such funds shall not be available until the Com-  
5 missioner submits to the Committees on Appropriations of  
6 the House of Representatives and the Senate a spending  
7 plan for such funds.

8 ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—DEPARTMENT OF THE  
9 TREASURY

10 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

11 SEC. 114. Appropriations to the Department of the  
12 Treasury in this Act shall be available for uniforms or al-  
13 lowances therefor, as authorized by law (5 U.S.C. 5901),  
14 including maintenance, repairs, and cleaning; purchase of  
15 insurance for official motor vehicles operated in foreign  
16 countries; purchase of motor vehicles without regard to the  
17 general purchase price limitations for vehicles purchased  
18 and used overseas for the current fiscal year; entering into  
19 contracts with the Department of State for the furnishing  
20 of health and medical services to employees and their de-  
21 pendants serving in foreign countries; and services author-  
22 ized by 5 U.S.C. 3109.

23 SEC. 115. Not to exceed 2 percent of any appropria-  
24 tions in this title made available under the headings “De-  
25 partmental Offices—Salaries and Expenses”, “Office of

1 *Terrorism and Financial Intelligence*”, “*Office of Inspector*  
2 *General*”, “*Special Inspector General for the Troubled Asset*  
3 *Relief Program*”, “*Financial Crimes Enforcement Net-*  
4 *work*”, “*Bureau of the Fiscal Service*”, and “*Alcohol and*  
5 *Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau*” may be transferred be-  
6 *tween such appropriations upon the advance approval of*  
7 *the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Rep-*  
8 *resentatives and the Senate: Provided, That no transfer*  
9 *under this section may increase or decrease any such appro-*  
10 *priation by more than 2 percent.*

11 *SEC. 116. Not to exceed 2 percent of any appropriation*  
12 *made available in this Act to the Internal Revenue Service*  
13 *may be transferred to the Treasury Inspector General for*  
14 *Tax Administration’s appropriation upon the advance ap-*  
15 *proval of the Committees on Appropriations of the House*  
16 *of Representatives and the Senate: Provided, That no trans-*  
17 *fer may increase or decrease any such appropriation by*  
18 *more than 2 percent.*

19 *SEC. 117. None of the funds appropriated in this Act*  
20 *or otherwise available to the Department of the Treasury*  
21 *or the Bureau of Engraving and Printing may be used to*  
22 *redesign the \$1 Federal Reserve note.*

23 *SEC. 118. The Secretary of the Treasury may transfer*  
24 *funds from the “Bureau of the Fiscal Service-Salaries and*  
25 *Expenses” to the Debt Collection Fund as necessary to cover*

1 *the costs of debt collection: Provided, That such amounts*  
2 *shall be reimbursed to such salaries and expenses account*  
3 *from debt collections received in the Debt Collection Fund.*

4       *SEC. 119. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
5 *made available by this or any other Act may be used by*  
6 *the United States Mint to construct or operate any museum*  
7 *without the explicit approval of the Committees on Appro-*  
8 *priations of the House of Representatives and the Senate,*  
9 *the House Committee on Financial Services, and the Senate*  
10 *Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.*

11       *SEC. 120. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
12 *made available by this or any other Act or source to the*  
13 *Department of the Treasury, the Bureau of Engraving and*  
14 *Printing, and the United States Mint, individually or col-*  
15 *lectively, may be used to consolidate any or all functions*  
16 *of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and the United*  
17 *States Mint without the explicit approval of the House*  
18 *Committee on Financial Services; the Senate Committee on*  
19 *Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs; and the Committees*  
20 *on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
21 *Senate.*

22       *SEC. 121. Funds appropriated by this Act, or made*  
23 *available by the transfer of funds in this Act, for the De-*  
24 *partment of the Treasury's intelligence or intelligence re-*  
25 *lated activities are deemed to be specifically authorized by*



1 *the Congress for purposes of section 504 of the National Se-*  
2 *curity Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 414) during fiscal year 2019*  
3 *until the enactment of the Intelligence Authorization Act*  
4 *for Fiscal Year 2019.*

5       *SEC. 122. Not to exceed \$5,000 shall be made available*  
6 *from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing's Industrial*  
7 *Revolving Fund for necessary official reception and rep-*  
8 *resentation expenses.*

9       *SEC. 123. The Secretary of the Treasury shall submit*  
10 *a Capital Investment Plan to the Committees on Appro-*  
11 *priations of the Senate and the House of Representatives*  
12 *not later than 30 days following the submission of the an-*  
13 *nual budget submitted by the President: Provided, That*  
14 *such Capital Investment Plan shall include capital invest-*  
15 *ment spending from all accounts within the Department of*  
16 *the Treasury, including but not limited to the Department-*  
17 *wide Systems and Capital Investment Programs account,*  
18 *Treasury Franchise Fund account, and the Treasury For-*  
19 *feiture Fund account: Provided further, That such Capital*  
20 *Investment Plan shall include expenditures occurring in*  
21 *previous fiscal years for each capital investment project*  
22 *that has not been fully completed.*

23       *SEC. 124. Within 45 days after the date of enactment*  
24 *of this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury shall submit an*  
25 *itemized report to the Committees on Appropriations of the*

1 *House of Representatives and the Senate on the amount of*  
2 *total funds charged to each office by the Franchise Fund*  
3 *including the amount charged for each service provided by*  
4 *the Franchise Fund to each office, a detailed description*  
5 *of the services, a detailed explanation of how each charge*  
6 *for each service is calculated, and a description of the role*  
7 *customers have in governing in the Franchise Fund.*

8 *SEC. 125. During fiscal year 2019—*

9 *(1) none of the funds made available in this or*  
10 *any other Act may be used by the Department of the*  
11 *Treasury, including the Internal Revenue Service, to*  
12 *issue, revise, or finalize any regulation, revenue rul-*  
13 *ing, or other guidance not limited to a particular tax-*  
14 *payer relating to the standard which is used to deter-*  
15 *mine whether an organization is operated exclusively*  
16 *for the promotion of social welfare for purposes of sec-*  
17 *tion 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986*  
18 *(including the proposed regulations published at 78*  
19 *Fed. Reg. 71535 (November 29, 2013)); and*

20 *(2) the standard and definitions as in effect on*  
21 *January 1, 2010, which are used to make such deter-*  
22 *minations shall apply after the date of the enactment*  
23 *of this Act for purposes of determining status under*  
24 *section 501(c)(4) of such Code of organizations cre-*  
25 *ated on, before, or after such date.*

1        *SEC. 126. (a) Not later than 60 days after the end of*  
2 *each quarter, the Office of Financial Stability and the Of-*  
3 *fice of Financial Research shall submit reports on their ac-*  
4 *tivities to the Committees on Appropriations of the House*  
5 *of Representatives and the Senate, the Committee on Finan-*  
6 *cial Services of the House of Representatives and the Senate*  
7 *Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.*

8        *(b) The reports required under subsection (a) shall in-*  
9 *clude—*

10            *(1) the obligations made during the previous*  
11 *quarter by object class, office, and activity;*

12            *(2) the estimated obligations for the remainder of*  
13 *the fiscal year by object class, office, and activity;*

14            *(3) the number of full-time equivalents within*  
15 *each office during the previous quarter;*

16            *(4) the estimated number of full-time equivalents*  
17 *within each office for the remainder of the fiscal year;*  
18 *and*

19            *(5) actions taken to achieve the goals, objectives,*  
20 *and performance measures of each office.*

21        *(c) At the request of any such Committees specified in*  
22 *subsection (a), the Office of Financial Stability and the Of-*  
23 *fice of Financial Research shall make officials available to*  
24 *testify on the contents of the reports required under sub-*  
25 *section (a).*

1        *SEC. 127. Amounts made available under the heading*  
2        *“Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence” shall be*  
3        *available to reimburse the “Departmental Offices—Salaries*  
4        *and Expenses” account for expenses incurred in such ac-*  
5        *count for reception and representation expenses to support*  
6        *activities of the Financial Action Task Force.*

7        *SEC. 128. Amounts in the Bureau of Engraving and*  
8        *Printing Fund may be used for the acquisition of necessary*  
9        *land for, and construction of, a replacement currency pro-*  
10       *duction facility.*

11       *SEC. 129. Not later than 180 days after the date of*  
12       *enactment of this Act, the Financial Crimes Enforcement*  
13       *Network and the appropriate divisions of the Department*  
14       *of the Treasury shall submit to Congress a report on any*  
15       *Geographic Targeting Orders issued since 2016, includ-*  
16       *ing—*

17                *(1) the type of data collected;*

18                *(2) how the Financial Crimes Enforcement Net-*  
19        *work uses the data;*

20                *(3) whether the Financial Crimes Enforcement*  
21        *Network needs more authority to combat money laun-*  
22        *dering through high-end real estate;*

23                *(4) how a record of beneficial ownership would*  
24        *improve and assist law enforcement efforts to inves-*  
25        *tigate and prosecute criminal activity and prevent*

1 *the use of shell companies to facilitate money laun-*  
2 *dering, tax evasion, terrorism financing, election*  
3 *fraud, and other illegal activity; and*

4 *(5) the feasibility of implementing Geographic*  
5 *Targeting Orders on a permanent basis on all real es-*  
6 *tate transactions in the United States greater than*  
7 *\$300,000.*

8 *This title may be cited as the “Department of the*  
9 *Treasury Appropriations Act, 2019”.*

10 *TITLE II*

11 *EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND*  
12 *FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT*

13 *THE WHITE HOUSE*

14 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

15 *For necessary expenses for the White House as author-*  
16 *ized by law, including not to exceed \$3,850,000 for services*  
17 *as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109 and 3 U.S.C. 105; subsist-*  
18 *ence expenses as authorized by 3 U.S.C. 105, which shall*  
19 *be expended and accounted for as provided in that section;*  
20 *hire of passenger motor vehicles, and travel (not to exceed*  
21 *\$100,000 to be expended and accounted for as provided by*  
22 *3 U.S.C. 103); and not to exceed \$19,000 for official recep-*  
23 *tion and representation expenses, to be available for alloca-*  
24 *tion within the Executive Office of the President; and for*  
25 *necessary expenses of the Office of Policy Development, in-*

1 *cluding services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109 and 3*  
2 *U.S.C. 107, \$55,000,000.*

3 *EXECUTIVE RESIDENCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE*

4 *OPERATING EXPENSES*

5 *For necessary expenses of the Executive Residence at*  
6 *the White House, \$13,081,000, to be expended and ac-*  
7 *counted for as provided by 3 U.S.C. 105, 109, 110, and*  
8 *112–114.*

9 *REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES*

10 *For the reimbursable expenses of the Executive Resi-*  
11 *dence at the White House, such sums as may be necessary:*  
12 *Provided, That all reimbursable operating expenses of the*  
13 *Executive Residence shall be made in accordance with the*  
14 *provisions of this paragraph: Provided further, That, not-*  
15 *withstanding any other provision of law, such amount for*  
16 *reimbursable operating expenses shall be the exclusive au-*  
17 *thority of the Executive Residence to incur obligations and*  
18 *to receive offsetting collections, for such expenses: Provided*  
19 *further, That the Executive Residence shall require each*  
20 *person sponsoring a reimbursable political event to pay in*  
21 *advance an amount equal to the estimated cost of the event,*  
22 *and all such advance payments shall be credited to this ac-*  
23 *count and remain available until expended: Provided fur-*  
24 *ther, That the Executive Residence shall require the na-*  
25 *tional committee of the political party of the President to*

1 *maintain on deposit \$25,000, to be separately accounted for*  
2 *and available for expenses relating to reimbursable political*  
3 *events sponsored by such committee during such fiscal year:*  
4 *Provided further, That the Executive Residence shall ensure*  
5 *that a written notice of any amount owed for a reimburs-*  
6 *able operating expense under this paragraph is submitted*  
7 *to the person owing such amount within 60 days after such*  
8 *expense is incurred, and that such amount is collected with-*  
9 *in 30 days after the submission of such notice: Provided*  
10 *further, That the Executive Residence shall charge interest*  
11 *and assess penalties and other charges on any such amount*  
12 *that is not reimbursed within such 30 days, in accordance*  
13 *with the interest and penalty provisions applicable to an*  
14 *outstanding debt on a United States Government claim*  
15 *under 31 U.S.C. 3717: Provided further, That each such*  
16 *amount that is reimbursed, and any accompanying interest*  
17 *and charges, shall be deposited in the Treasury as miscella-*  
18 *neous receipts: Provided further, That the Executive Resi-*  
19 *dence shall prepare and submit to the Committees on Ap-*  
20 *propriations, by not later than 90 days after the end of*  
21 *the fiscal year covered by this Act, a report setting forth*  
22 *the reimbursable operating expenses of the Executive Resi-*  
23 *dence during the preceding fiscal year, including the total*  
24 *amount of such expenses, the amount of such total that con-*  
25 *sists of reimbursable official and ceremonial events, the*

1 amount of such total that consists of reimbursable political  
2 events, and the portion of each such amount that has been  
3 reimbursed as of the date of the report: Provided further,  
4 That the Executive Residence shall maintain a system for  
5 the tracking of expenses related to reimbursable events with-  
6 in the Executive Residence that includes a standard for the  
7 classification of any such expense as political or non-  
8 political: Provided further, That no provision of this para-  
9 graph may be construed to exempt the Executive Residence  
10 from any other applicable requirement of subchapter I or  
11 II of chapter 37 of title 31, United States Code.

12            *WHITE HOUSE REPAIR AND RESTORATION*

13            *For the repair, alteration, and improvement of the Ex-*  
14 *ecutive Residence at the White House pursuant to 3 U.S.C.*  
15 *105(d), \$750,000, to remain available until expended, for*  
16 *required maintenance, resolution of safety and health*  
17 *issues, and continued preventative maintenance.*

18            *COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS*

19                            *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

20            *For necessary expenses of the Council of Economic Ad-*  
21 *visers in carrying out its functions under the Employment*  
22 *Act of 1946 (15 U.S.C. 1021 et seq.), \$4,187,000.*



1 *NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL AND HOMELAND SECURITY*  
2 *COUNCIL*

3 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

4 *For necessary expenses of the National Security Coun-*  
5 *cil and the Homeland Security Council, including services*  
6 *as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, \$11,800,000.*

7 *OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION*

8 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

9 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Administration,*  
10 *including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109 and 3*  
11 *U.S.C. 107, and hire of passenger motor vehicles,*  
12 *\$100,000,000, of which not to exceed \$12,800,000 shall re-*  
13 *main available until expended for continued modernization*  
14 *of information resources within the Executive Office of the*  
15 *President.*

16 *OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET*

17 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

18 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Management*  
19 *and Budget, including hire of passenger motor vehicles and*  
20 *services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, to carry out the*  
21 *provisions of chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code,*  
22 *and to prepare and submit the budget of the United States*  
23 *Government, in accordance with section 1105(a) of title 31,*  
24 *United States Code, \$101,000,000, of which not to exceed*  
25 *\$3,000 shall be available for official representation expenses:*

1 *Provided, That none of the funds appropriated in this Act*  
2 *for the Office of Management and Budget may be used for*  
3 *the purpose of reviewing any agricultural marketing orders*  
4 *or any activities or regulations under the provisions of the*  
5 *Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 (7 U.S.C.*  
6 *601 et seq.): Provided further, That none of the funds made*  
7 *available for the Office of Management and Budget by this*  
8 *Act may be expended for the altering of the transcript of*  
9 *actual testimony of witnesses, except for testimony of offi-*  
10 *cials of the Office of Management and Budget, before the*  
11 *Committees on Appropriations or their subcommittees: Pro-*  
12 *vided further, That none of the funds made available for*  
13 *the Office of Management and Budget by this Act may be*  
14 *expended for the altering of the annual work plan developed*  
15 *by the Corps of Engineers for submission to the Committees*  
16 *on Appropriations: Provided further, That of the funds*  
17 *made available for the Office of Management and Budget*  
18 *by this Act, no less than three full-time equivalent senior*  
19 *staff position shall be dedicated solely to the Office of the*  
20 *Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator: Provided*  
21 *further, That none of the funds provided in this or prior*  
22 *Acts shall be used, directly or indirectly, by the Office of*  
23 *Management and Budget, for evaluating or determining if*  
24 *water resource project or study reports submitted by the*  
25 *Chief of Engineers acting through the Secretary of the Army*

1 *are in compliance with all applicable laws, regulations, and*  
2 *requirements relevant to the Civil Works water resource*  
3 *planning process: Provided further, That the Office of Man-*  
4 *agement and Budget shall have not more than 60 days in*  
5 *which to perform budgetary policy reviews of water resource*  
6 *matters on which the Chief of Engineers has reported: Pro-*  
7 *vided further, That the Director of the Office of Management*  
8 *and Budget shall notify the appropriate authorizing and*  
9 *appropriating committees when the 60-day review is initi-*  
10 *ated: Provided further, That if water resource reports have*  
11 *not been transmitted to the appropriate authorizing and*  
12 *appropriating committees within 15 days after the end of*  
13 *the Office of Management and Budget review period based*  
14 *on the notification from the Director, Congress shall assume*  
15 *Office of Management and Budget concurrence with the re-*  
16 *port and act accordingly.*

17 *In addition, \$2,000,000 for the Office of Information*  
18 *and Regulatory Affairs to hire additional personnel dedi-*  
19 *cated to regulatory review and reforms: Provided, That*  
20 *these amounts shall be in addition to any other amounts*  
21 *available for such purpose: Provided further, That these*  
22 *funds may not be used to backfill vacancies.*

1            *OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY*2                            *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3            *For necessary expenses of the Office of National Drug*  
4 *Control Policy; for research activities pursuant to the Office*  
5 *of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of*  
6 *2006 (Public Law 109–469); not to exceed \$10,000 for offi-*  
7 *cial reception and representation expenses; and for partici-*  
8 *pation in joint projects or in the provision of services on*  
9 *matters of mutual interest with nonprofit, research, or pub-*  
10 *lic organizations or agencies, with or without reimburse-*  
11 *ment, \$18,400,000: Provided, That the Office is authorized*  
12 *to accept, hold, administer, and utilize gifts, both real and*  
13 *personal, public and private, without fiscal year limitation,*  
14 *for the purpose of aiding or facilitating the work of the Of-*  
15 *fice.*

16                            *FEDERAL DRUG CONTROL PROGRAMS*17            *HIGH INTENSITY DRUG TRAFFICKING AREAS PROGRAM*18                            *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

19            *For necessary expenses of the Office of National Drug*  
20 *Control Policy’s High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas*  
21 *Program, \$280,000,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
22 *tember 30, 2020, for drug control activities consistent with*  
23 *the approved strategy for each of the designated High Inten-*  
24 *sity Drug Trafficking Areas (“HIDTAs”), of which not less*  
25 *than 51 percent shall be transferred to State and local enti-*

1 *ties for drug control activities and shall be obligated not*  
2 *later than 120 days after enactment of this Act: Provided,*  
3 *That up to 49 percent may be transferred to Federal agen-*  
4 *cies and departments in amounts determined by the Direc-*  
5 *tor of the Office of National Drug Control Policy, of which*  
6 *up to \$2,700,000 may be used for auditing services and as-*  
7 *sociated activities: Provided further, That, notwithstanding*  
8 *the requirements of Public Law 106–58, any unexpended*  
9 *funds obligated prior to fiscal year 2017 may be used for*  
10 *any other approved activities of that HIDTA, subject to re-*  
11 *programming requirements: Provided further, That each*  
12 *HIDTA designated as of September 30, 2018, shall be fund-*  
13 *ed at not less than the fiscal year 2018 base level, unless*  
14 *the Director submits to the Committees on Appropriations*  
15 *of the House of Representatives and the Senate justification*  
16 *for changes to those levels based on clearly articulated prior-*  
17 *ities and published Office of National Drug Control Policy*  
18 *performance measures of effectiveness: Provided further,*  
19 *That the Director shall notify the Committees on Appro-*  
20 *priations of the initial allocation of fiscal year 2019 fund-*  
21 *ing among HIDTAs not later than 45 days after enactment*  
22 *of this Act, and shall notify the Committees of planned uses*  
23 *of discretionary HIDTA funding, as determined in con-*  
24 *sultation with the HIDTA Directors, not later than 90 days*  
25 *after enactment of this Act: Provided further, That upon*

1 *a determination that all or part of the funds so transferred*  
2 *from this appropriation are not necessary for the purposes*  
3 *provided herein and upon notification to the Committees*  
4 *on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
5 *Senate, such amounts may be transferred back to this ap-*  
6 *propriation.*

7 *OTHER FEDERAL DRUG CONTROL PROGRAMS*

8 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

9 *For other drug control activities authorized by the Of-*  
10 *fice of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act*  
11 *of 2006 (Public Law 109–469), \$117,327,000, to remain*  
12 *available until expended, which shall be available as follows:*  
13 *\$99,000,000 for the Drug-Free Communities Program, of*  
14 *which \$2,000,000 shall be made available as directed by sec-*  
15 *tion 4 of Public Law 107–82, as amended by Public Law*  
16 *109–469 (21 U.S.C. 1521 note); \$2,000,000 for drug court*  
17 *training and technical assistance; \$9,500,000 for anti-*  
18 *doping activities; \$2,577,000 for the United States member-*  
19 *ship dues to the World Anti-Doping Agency; and \$1,250,000*  
20 *shall be made available as directed by section 1105 of Public*  
21 *Law 109–469; and \$3,000,000, to remain available until*  
22 *expended, shall be for activities authorized by section 103*  
23 *of Public Law 114–198: Provided, That amounts made*  
24 *available under this heading may be transferred to other*

1 *Federal departments and agencies to carry out such activi-*  
2 *ties.*

3 *UNANTICIPATED NEEDS*

4 *For expenses necessary to enable the President to meet*  
5 *unanticipated needs, in furtherance of the national interest,*  
6 *security, or defense which may arise at home or abroad dur-*  
7 *ing the current fiscal year, as authorized by 3 U.S.C. 108,*  
8 *\$1,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020.*

9 *INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY OVERSIGHT AND REFORM*

10 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

11 *For necessary expenses for the furtherance of inte-*  
12 *grated, efficient, secure, and effective uses of information*  
13 *technology in the Federal Government, \$19,000,000, to re-*  
14 *main available until expended: Provided, That the Director*  
15 *of the Office of Management and Budget may transfer these*  
16 *funds to one or more other agencies to carry out projects*  
17 *to meet these purposes.*

18 *SPECIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE PRESIDENT*

19 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

20 *For necessary expenses to enable the Vice President to*  
21 *provide assistance to the President in connection with spe-*  
22 *cially assigned functions; services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
23 *3109 and 3 U.S.C. 106, including subsistence expenses as*  
24 *authorized by 3 U.S.C. 106, which shall be expended and*

1 *accounted for as provided in that section; and hire of pas-*  
2 *senger motor vehicles, \$4,288,000.*

3 *OFFICIAL RESIDENCE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT*

4 *OPERATING EXPENSES*

5 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

6 *For the care, operation, refurnishing, improvement,*  
7 *and to the extent not otherwise provided for, heating and*  
8 *lighting, including electric power and fixtures, of the offi-*  
9 *cial residence of the Vice President; the hire of passenger*  
10 *motor vehicles; and not to exceed \$90,000 pursuant to 3*  
11 *U.S.C. 106(b)(2), \$302,000: Provided, That advances, re-*  
12 *payments, or transfers from this appropriation may be*  
13 *made to any department or agency for expenses of carrying*  
14 *out such activities.*

15 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF*  
16 *THE PRESIDENT AND FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE*  
17 *PRESIDENT*

18 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

19 *SEC. 201. From funds made available in this Act*  
20 *under the headings “The White House”, “Executive Resi-*  
21 *dence at the White House”, “White House Repair and Res-*  
22 *toration”, “Council of Economic Advisers”, “National Se-*  
23 *curity Council and Homeland Security Council”, “Office*  
24 *of Administration”, “Special Assistance to the President”,*  
25 *and “Official Residence of the Vice President”, the Director*



1 *of the Office of Management and Budget (or such other offi-*  
2 *cer as the President may designate in writing), may, with*  
3 *advance approval of the Committees on Appropriations of*  
4 *the House of Representatives and the Senate, transfer not*  
5 *to exceed 10 percent of any such appropriation to any other*  
6 *such appropriation, to be merged with and available for*  
7 *the same time and for the same purposes as the appropria-*  
8 *tion to which transferred: Provided, That the amount of an*  
9 *appropriation shall not be increased by more than 50 per-*  
10 *cent by such transfers: Provided further, That no amount*  
11 *shall be transferred from “Special Assistance to the Presi-*  
12 *dent” or “Official Residence of the Vice President” without*  
13 *the approval of the Vice President.*

14       *SEC. 202. (a) During fiscal year 2019, any Executive*  
15 *order or Presidential memorandum issued or revoked by the*  
16 *President shall be accompanied by a written statement from*  
17 *the Director of the Office of Management and Budget on*  
18 *the budgetary impact, including costs, benefits, and reve-*  
19  *nues, of such order or memorandum.*

20       *(b) Any such statement shall include—*

21               *(1) a narrative summary of the budgetary im-*  
22  *pact of such order or memorandum on the Federal*  
23  *Government;*

24               *(2) the impact on mandatory and discretionary*  
25  *obligations and outlays as the result of such order or*

1 memorandum, listed by Federal agency, for each year  
2 in the 5-fiscal-year period beginning in fiscal year  
3 2019; and

4 (3) the impact on revenues of the Federal Gov-  
5 ernment as the result of such order or memorandum  
6 over the 5-fiscal-year period beginning in fiscal year  
7 2019.

8 (c) If an Executive order or Presidential memorandum  
9 is issued during fiscal year 2019 due to a national emer-  
10 gency, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget  
11 may issue the statement required by subsection (a) not later  
12 than 15 days after the date that such order or memorandum  
13 is issued.

14 (d) The requirement for cost estimates for Presidential  
15 memoranda shall only apply for Presidential memoranda  
16 estimated to have a regulatory cost in excess of  
17 \$100,000,000.

18 This title may be cited as the “Executive Office of the  
19 President Appropriations Act, 2019”.

### 20 TITLE III

### 21 THE JUDICIARY

### 22 SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

### 23 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

24 For expenses necessary for the operation of the Su-  
25 preme Court, as required by law, excluding care of the

1 *building and grounds, including hire of passenger motor*  
2 *vehicles as authorized by 31 U.S.C. 1343 and 1344; not to*  
3 *exceed \$10,000 for official reception and representation ex-*  
4 *penses; and for miscellaneous expenses, to be expended as*  
5 *the Chief Justice may approve, \$84,703,000, of which*  
6 *\$1,500,000 shall remain available until expended.*

7 *In addition, there are appropriated such sums as may*  
8 *be necessary under current law for the salaries of the chief*  
9 *justice and associate justices of the court.*

10 *CARE OF THE BUILDING AND GROUNDS*

11 *For such expenditures as may be necessary to enable*  
12 *the Architect of the Capitol to carry out the duties imposed*  
13 *upon the Architect by 40 U.S.C. 6111 and 6112,*  
14 *\$15,999,000, to remain available until expended.*

15 *UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL*

16 *CIRCUIT*

17 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

18 *For salaries of officers and employees, and for nec-*  
19 *essary expenses of the court, as authorized by law,*  
20 *\$32,016,000.*

21 *In addition, there are appropriated such sums as may*  
22 *be necessary under current law for the salaries of the chief*  
23 *judge and judges of the court.*

1 *UNITED STATES COURT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE*2 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3 *For salaries of officers and employees of the court, serv-*  
4 *ices, and necessary expenses of the court, as authorized by*  
5 *law, \$19,450,000.*

6 *In addition, there are appropriated such sums as may*  
7 *be necessary under current law for the salaries of the chief*  
8 *judge and judges of the court.*

9 *COURTS OF APPEALS, DISTRICT COURTS, AND OTHER*10 *JUDICIAL SERVICES*11 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

12 *For the salaries of judges of the United States Court*  
13 *of Federal Claims, magistrate judges, and all other officers*  
14 *and employees of the Federal Judiciary not otherwise spe-*  
15 *cifically provided for, necessary expenses of the courts, and*  
16 *the purchase, rental, repair, and cleaning of uniforms for*  
17 *Probation and Pretrial Services Office staff, as authorized*  
18 *by law, \$5,154,461,000 (including the purchase of firearms*  
19 *and ammunition); of which not to exceed \$27,817,000 shall*  
20 *remain available until expended for space alteration*  
21 *projects and for furniture and furnishings related to new*  
22 *space alteration and construction projects.*

23 *In addition, there are appropriated such sums as may*  
24 *be necessary under current law for the salaries of circuit*  
25 *and district judges (including judges of the territorial courts*

1 *of the United States), bankruptcy judges, and justices and*  
2 *judges retired from office or from regular active service.*

3 *In addition, for expenses of the United States Court*  
4 *of Federal Claims associated with processing cases under*  
5 *the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act of 1986 (Public*  
6 *Law 99–660), not to exceed \$8,475,000, to be appropriated*  
7 *from the Vaccine Injury Compensation Trust Fund.*

8 *DEFENDER SERVICES*

9 *For the operation of Federal Defender organizations;*  
10 *the compensation and reimbursement of expenses of attor-*  
11 *neys appointed to represent persons under 18 U.S.C. 3006A*  
12 *and 3599, and for the compensation and reimbursement of*  
13 *expenses of persons furnishing investigative, expert, and*  
14 *other services for such representations as authorized by law;*  
15 *the compensation (in accordance with the maximums under*  
16 *18 U.S.C. 3006A) and reimbursement of expenses of attor-*  
17 *neys appointed to assist the court in criminal cases where*  
18 *the defendant has waived representation by counsel; the*  
19 *compensation and reimbursement of expenses of attorneys*  
20 *appointed to represent jurors in civil actions for the protec-*  
21 *tion of their employment, as authorized by 28 U.S.C.*  
22 *1875(d)(1); the compensation and reimbursement of ex-*  
23 *penses of attorneys appointed under 18 U.S.C. 983(b)(1)*  
24 *in connection with certain judicial civil forfeiture pro-*  
25 *ceedings; the compensation and reimbursement of travel ex-*

1 *penses of guardians ad litem appointed under 18 U.S.C.*  
2 *4100(b); and for necessary training and general adminis-*  
3 *trative expenses, \$1,140,846,000 to remain available until*  
4 *expended.*

5 *FEES OF JURORS AND COMMISSIONERS*

6 *For fees and expenses of jurors as authorized by 28*  
7 *U.S.C. 1871 and 1876; compensation of jury commissioners*  
8 *as authorized by 28 U.S.C. 1863; and compensation of com-*  
9 *missioners appointed in condemnation cases pursuant to*  
10 *rule 71.1(h) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (28*  
11 *U.S.C. Appendix Rule 71.1(h)), \$49,750,000, to remain*  
12 *available until expended: Provided, That the compensation*  
13 *of land commissioners shall not exceed the daily equivalent*  
14 *of the highest rate payable under 5 U.S.C. 5332.*

15 *COURT SECURITY*

16 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

17 *For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, in-*  
18 *cident to the provision of protective guard services for*  
19 *United States courthouses and other facilities housing Fed-*  
20 *eral court operations, and the procurement, installation,*  
21 *and maintenance of security systems and equipment for*  
22 *United States courthouses and other facilities housing Fed-*  
23 *eral court operations, including building ingress-egress con-*  
24 *trol, inspection of mail and packages, directed security pa-*  
25 *trols, perimeter security, basic security services provided by*

1 *the Federal Protective Service, and other similar activities*  
2 *as authorized by section 1010 of the Judicial Improvement*  
3 *and Access to Justice Act (Public Law 100–702),*  
4 *\$604,460,000, of which not to exceed \$20,000,000 shall re-*  
5 *main available until expended, to be expended directly or*  
6 *transferred to the United States Marshals Service, which*  
7 *shall be responsible for administering the Judicial Facility*  
8 *Security Program consistent with standards or guidelines*  
9 *agreed to by the Director of the Administrative Office of*  
10 *the United States Courts and the Attorney General.*

11 *ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES*

12 *COURTS*

13 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14 *For necessary expenses of the Administrative Office of*  
15 *the United States Courts as authorized by law, including*  
16 *travel as authorized by 31 U.S.C. 1345, hire of a passenger*  
17 *motor vehicle as authorized by 31 U.S.C. 1343(b), adver-*  
18 *tising and rent in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,*  
19 *\$92,413,000, of which not to exceed \$8,500 is authorized*  
20 *for official reception and representation expenses.*

21 *FEDERAL JUDICIAL CENTER*

22 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

23 *For necessary expenses of the Federal Judicial Center,*  
24 *as authorized by Public Law 90–219, \$29,819,000; of which*  
25 *\$1,800,000 shall remain available through September 30,*

1 2020, to provide education and training to Federal court  
2 personnel; and of which not to exceed \$1,500 is authorized  
3 for official reception and representation expenses.

4 *UNITED STATES SENTENCING COMMISSION*

5 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

6 *For the salaries and expenses necessary to carry out*  
7 *the provisions of chapter 58 of title 28, United States Code,*  
8 *\$18,548,000, of which not to exceed \$1,000 is authorized*  
9 *for official reception and representation expenses.*

10 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—THE JUDICIARY*

11 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

12 *SEC. 301. Appropriations and authorizations made in*  
13 *this title which are available for salaries and expenses shall*  
14 *be available for services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109.*

15 *SEC. 302. Not to exceed 5 percent of any appropriation*  
16 *made available for the current fiscal year for the Judiciary*  
17 *in this Act may be transferred between such appropriations,*  
18 *but no such appropriation, except “Courts of Appeals, Dis-*  
19 *trict Courts, and Other Judicial Services, Defender Serv-*  
20 *ices” and “Courts of Appeals, District Courts, and Other*  
21 *Judicial Services, Fees of Jurors and Commissioners”, shall*  
22 *be increased by more than 10 percent by any such transfers:*  
23 *Provided, That any transfer pursuant to this section shall*  
24 *be treated as a reprogramming of funds under sections 604*  
25 *and 608 of this Act and shall not be available for obligation*



1 *or expenditure except in compliance with the procedures set*  
2 *forth in section 608.*

3       *SEC. 303. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
4 *the salaries and expenses appropriation for “Courts of Ap-*  
5 *peals, District Courts, and Other Judicial Services” shall*  
6 *be available for official reception and representation ex-*  
7 *penses of the Judicial Conference of the United States: Pro-*  
8 *vided, That such available funds shall not exceed \$11,000*  
9 *and shall be administered by the Director of the Adminis-*  
10 *trative Office of the United States Courts in the capacity*  
11 *as Secretary of the Judicial Conference.*

12       *SEC. 304. Section 3315(a) of title 40, United States*  
13 *Code, shall be applied by substituting “Federal” for “execu-*  
14 *tive” each place it appears.*

15       *SEC. 305. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. 561–569, and*  
16 *notwithstanding any other provision of law, the United*  
17 *States Marshals Service shall provide, for such courthouses*  
18 *as its Director may designate in consultation with the Di-*  
19 *rector of the Administrative Office of the United States*  
20 *Courts, for purposes of a pilot program, the security services*  
21 *that 40 U.S.C. 1315 authorizes the Department of Home-*  
22 *land Security to provide, except for the services specified*  
23 *in 40 U.S.C. 1315(b)(2)(E). For building-specific security*  
24 *services at these courthouses, the Director of the Administra-*  
25 *tive Office of the United States Courts shall reimburse the*

1 *United States Marshals Service rather than the Department*  
2 *of Homeland Security.*

3       *SEC. 306. (a) Section 203(c) of the Judicial Improve-*  
4 *ments Act of 1990 (Public Law 101–650; 28 U.S.C. 133*  
5 *note), is amended in the matter following paragraph 12—*

6             *(1) in the second sentence (relating to the Dis-*  
7 *trict of Kansas), by striking “27 years and 6 months”*  
8 *and inserting “28 years and 6 months”; and*

9             *(2) in the sixth sentence (relating to the District*  
10 *of Hawaii), by striking “24 years and 6 months” and*  
11 *inserting “25 years and 6 months”.*

12       *(b) Section 406 of the Transportation, Treasury,*  
13 *Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, the Dis-*  
14 *trict of Columbia, and Independent Agencies Appropria-*  
15 *tions Act, 2006 (Public Law 109–115; 119 Stat. 2470; 28*  
16 *U.S.C. 133 note) is amended in the second sentence (relat-*  
17 *ing to the eastern District of Missouri) by striking “25*  
18 *years and 6 months” and inserting “26 years and 6*  
19 *months”.*

20       *(c) Section 312(c)(2) of the 21st Century Department*  
21 *of Justice Appropriations Authorization Act (Public Law*  
22 *107–273; 28 U.S.C. 133 note), is amended—*

23             *(1) in the first sentence by striking “16 years”*  
24 *and inserting “17 years”;*

1           (2) *in the second sentence (relating to the central*  
2           *District of California), by striking “15 years and 6*  
3           *months” and inserting “16 years and 6 months”; and*

4           (3) *in the third sentence (relating to the western*  
5           *district of North Carolina), by striking “14 years”*  
6           *and inserting “15 years”.*

7           *This title may be cited as the “Judiciary Appropria-*  
8           *tions Act, 2019”.*

9

#### TITLE IV

10

#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

11

#### FEDERAL FUNDS

12

#### FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR RESIDENT TUITION SUPPORT

13

14           *For a Federal payment to the District of Columbia,*  
15           *to be deposited into a dedicated account, for a nationwide*  
16           *program to be administered by the Mayor, for District of*  
17           *Columbia resident tuition support, \$30,000,000, to remain*  
18           *available until expended: Provided, That such funds, in-*  
19           *cluding any interest accrued thereon, may be used on behalf*  
20           *of eligible District of Columbia residents to pay an amount*  
21           *based upon the difference between in-State and out-of-State*  
22           *tuition at public institutions of higher education, or to pay*  
23           *up to \$2,500 each year at eligible private institutions of*  
24           *higher education: Provided further, That the awarding of*  
25           *such funds may be prioritized on the basis of a resident’s*  
          *academic merit, the income and need of eligible students*

1 *and such other factors as may be authorized: Provided fur-*  
2 *ther, That the District of Columbia government shall main-*  
3 *tain a dedicated account for the Resident Tuition Support*  
4 *Program that shall consist of the Federal funds appro-*  
5 *priated to the Program in this Act and any subsequent ap-*  
6 *propriations, any unobligated balances from prior fiscal*  
7 *years, and any interest earned in this or any fiscal year:*  
8 *Provided further, That the account shall be under the con-*  
9 *trol of the District of Columbia Chief Financial Officer, who*  
10 *shall use those funds solely for the purposes of carrying out*  
11 *the Resident Tuition Support Program: Provided further,*  
12 *That the Office of the Chief Financial Officer shall provide*  
13 *a quarterly financial report to the Committees on Appro-*  
14 *priations of the House of Representatives and the Senate*  
15 *for these funds showing, by object class, the expenditures*  
16 *made and the purpose therefor.*

17 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR EMERGENCY PLANNING AND*

18 *SECURITY COSTS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA*

19 *For a Federal payment of necessary expenses, as deter-*  
20 *mined by the Mayor of the District of Columbia in written*  
21 *consultation with the elected county or city officials of sur-*  
22 *rounding jurisdictions, \$12,000,000, to remain available*  
23 *until expended, for the costs of providing public safety at*  
24 *events related to the presence of the National Capital in*  
25 *the District of Columbia, including support requested by*

1 *the Director of the United States Secret Service in carrying*  
2 *out protective duties under the direction of the Secretary*  
3 *of Homeland Security, and for the costs of providing sup-*  
4 *port to respond to immediate and specific terrorist threats*  
5 *or attacks in the District of Columbia or surrounding juris-*  
6 *dictions.*

7 *FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA*

8 *COURTS*

9 *For salaries and expenses for the District of Columbia*  
10 *Courts, \$244,939,000 to be allocated as follows: for the Dis-*  
11 *trict of Columbia Court of Appeals, \$13,379,000, of which*  
12 *not to exceed \$2,500 is for official reception and representa-*  
13 *tion expenses; for the Superior Court of the District of Co-*  
14 *lumbia, \$121,251,000, of which not to exceed \$2,500 is for*  
15 *official reception and representation expenses; for the Dis-*  
16 *trict of Columbia Court System, \$71,909,000, of which not*  
17 *to exceed \$2,500 is for official reception and representation*  
18 *expenses; and \$38,400,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
19 *tember 30, 2020, for capital improvements for District of*  
20 *Columbia courthouse facilities: Provided, That funds made*  
21 *available for capital improvements shall be expended con-*  
22 *sistent with the District of Columbia Courts master plan*  
23 *study and facilities condition assessment: Provided further,*  
24 *That notwithstanding any other provision of law, all*  
25 *amounts under this heading shall be apportioned quarterly*

1 *by the Office of Management and Budget and obligated and*  
2 *expended in the same manner as funds appropriated for*  
3 *salaries and expenses of other Federal agencies: Provided*  
4 *further, That 30 days after providing written notice to the*  
5 *Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-*  
6 *tives and the Senate, the District of Columbia Courts may*  
7 *reallocate not more than \$9,000,000 of the funds provided*  
8 *under this heading among the items and entities funded*  
9 *under this heading: Provided further, That the Joint Com-*  
10 *mittee on Judicial Administration in the District of Colum-*  
11 *bia may, by regulation, establish a program substantially*  
12 *similar to the program set forth in subchapter II of chapter*  
13 *35 of title 5, United States Code, for employees of the Dis-*  
14 *trict of Columbia Courts.*

15 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR DEFENDER SERVICES IN DISTRICT*  
16 *OF COLUMBIA COURTS*  
17 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

18 *For payments authorized under section 11–2604 and*  
19 *section 11–2605, D.C. Official Code (relating to representa-*  
20 *tion provided under the District of Columbia Criminal Jus-*  
21 *tice Act), payments for counsel appointed in proceedings*  
22 *in the Family Court of the Superior Court of the District*  
23 *of Columbia under chapter 23 of title 16, D.C. Official*  
24 *Code, or pursuant to contractual agreements to provide*  
25 *guardian ad litem representation, training, technical as-*

1 *sistance, and such other services as are necessary to improve*  
2 *the quality of guardian ad litem representation, payments*  
3 *for counsel appointed in adoption proceedings under chap-*  
4 *ter 3 of title 16, D.C. Official Code, and payments author-*  
5 *ized under section 21–2060, D.C. Official Code (relating to*  
6 *services provided under the District of Columbia Guardian-*  
7 *ship, Protective Proceedings, and Durable Power of Attor-*  
8 *ney Act of 1986), \$46,005,000, to remain available until*  
9 *expended: Provided, That not more than \$20,000,000 in un-*  
10 *obligated funds provided in this account may be transferred*  
11 *to and merged with funds made available under the heading*  
12 *“Federal Payment to the District of Columbia Courts,” to*  
13 *be available for the same period and purposes as funds*  
14 *made available under that heading for capital improve-*  
15 *ments to District of Columbia courthouse facilities: Pro-*  
16 *vided further, That funds provided under this heading shall*  
17 *be administered by the Joint Committee on Judicial Ad-*  
18 *ministration in the District of Columbia: Provided further,*  
19 *That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, this ap-*  
20 *propriation shall be apportioned quarterly by the Office of*  
21 *Management and Budget and obligated and expended in*  
22 *the same manner as funds appropriated for expenses of*  
23 *other Federal agencies.*

1 *FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE COURT SERVICES AND OF-*  
2 *FENDER SUPERVISION AGENCY FOR THE DISTRICT OF*  
3 *COLUMBIA*

4 *For salaries and expenses, including the transfer and*  
5 *hire of motor vehicles, of the Court Services and Offender*  
6 *Supervision Agency for the District of Columbia, as author-*  
7 *ized by the National Capital Revitalization and Self-Gov-*  
8 *ernment Improvement Act of 1997, \$256,724,000, of which*  
9 *not to exceed \$2,000 is for official reception and representa-*  
10 *tion expenses related to Community Supervision and Pre-*  
11 *trial Services Agency programs, and of which not to exceed*  
12 *\$25,000 is for dues and assessments relating to the imple-*  
13 *mentation of the Court Services and Offender Supervision*  
14 *Agency Interstate Supervision Act of 2002: Provided, That,*  
15 *of the funds appropriated under this heading, \$183,166,000*  
16 *shall be for necessary expenses of Community Supervision*  
17 *and Sex Offender Registration, to include expenses relating*  
18 *to the supervision of adults subject to protection orders or*  
19 *the provision of services for or related to such persons, of*  
20 *which \$5,919,000 shall remain available until September*  
21 *30, 2021 for costs associated with relocation under a re-*  
22 *placement lease for headquarters offices, field offices, and*  
23 *related facilities: Provided further, That, of the funds ap-*  
24 *propriated under this heading, \$73,558,000 shall be avail-*  
25 *able to the Pretrial Services Agency, of which \$7,304,000*



1 *shall remain available until September 30, 2021 for costs*  
2 *associated with relocation under a replacement lease for*  
3 *headquarters offices, field offices, and related facilities: Pro-*  
4 *vided further, That notwithstanding any other provision of*  
5 *law, all amounts under this heading shall be apportioned*  
6 *quarterly by the Office of Management and Budget and ob-*  
7 *ligated and expended in the same manner as funds appro-*  
8 *priated for salaries and expenses of other Federal agencies:*  
9 *Provided further, That amounts under this heading may*  
10 *be used for programmatic incentives for defendants to suc-*  
11 *cessfully complete their terms of supervision.*

12 *FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA*

13 *PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE*

14 *For salaries and expenses, including the transfer and*  
15 *hire of motor vehicles, of the District of Columbia Public*  
16 *Defender Service, as authorized by the National Capital Re-*  
17 *vitalization and Self-Government Improvement Act of 1997,*  
18 *\$45,858,000, of which \$4,471,000 shall be available until*  
19 *September 30, 2021 for costs associated with relocation*  
20 *under a replacement lease for headquarters offices, field of-*  
21 *fices, and related facilities: Provided, That notwithstanding*  
22 *any other provision of law, all amounts under this heading*  
23 *shall be apportioned quarterly by the Office of Management*  
24 *and Budget and obligated and expended in the same man-*

1 *ner as funds appropriated for salaries and expenses of Fed-*  
2 *eral agencies.*

3 *FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE*

4 *COORDINATING COUNCIL*

5 *For a Federal payment to the Criminal Justice Co-*  
6 *ordinating Council, \$2,150,000, to remain available until*  
7 *expended, to support initiatives related to the coordination*  
8 *of Federal and local criminal justice resources in the Dis-*  
9 *trict of Columbia.*

10 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR JUDICIAL COMMISSIONS*

11 *For a Federal payment, to remain available until Sep-*  
12 *tember 30, 2020, to the Commission on Judicial Disabilities*  
13 *and Tenure, \$295,000, and for the Judicial Nomination*  
14 *Commission, \$270,000.*

15 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT*

16 *For a Federal payment for a school improvement pro-*  
17 *gram in the District of Columbia, \$52,500,000, to remain*  
18 *available until expended, for payments authorized under the*  
19 *Scholarship for Opportunity and Results Act (division C*  
20 *of Public Law 112–10): Provided, That, to the extent that*  
21 *funds are available for opportunity scholarships and fol-*  
22 *lowing the priorities included in section 3006 of such Act,*  
23 *the Secretary of Education shall make scholarships avail-*  
24 *able to students eligible under section 3013(3) of such Act*  
25 *(Public Law 112–10; 125 Stat. 211) including students who*

1 *were not offered a scholarship during any previous school*  
2 *year: Provided further, That within funds provided for op-*  
3 *portunity scholarships up to \$1,200,000 shall be for the ac-*  
4 *tivities specified in sections 3007(b) through 3007(d) of the*  
5 *Act and up to \$500,000 shall be for the activities specified*  
6 *in section 3009 of the Act.*

7 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA*

8 *NATIONAL GUARD*

9 *For a Federal payment to the District of Columbia*  
10 *National Guard, \$435,000, to remain available until ex-*  
11 *pende for the Major General David F. Wherley, Jr. Dis-*  
12 *trict of Columbia National Guard Retention and College*  
13 *Access Program.*

14 *FEDERAL PAYMENT FOR TESTING AND TREATMENT OF HIV/*

15 *AIDS*

16 *For a Federal payment to the District of Columbia*  
17 *for the testing of individuals for, and the treatment of indi-*  
18 *viduals with, human immunodeficiency virus and acquired*  
19 *immunodeficiency syndrome in the District of Columbia,*  
20 *\$2,000,000.*

21 *DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FUNDS*

22 *Local funds are appropriated for the District of Co-*  
23 *lumbia for the current fiscal year out of the General Fund*  
24 *of the District of Columbia (“General Fund”) for programs*  
25 *and activities set forth under the heading “PART A—SUM-*

1 *MARY OF EXPENSES*” and at the rate set forth under such  
2 heading, as included in the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget Re-  
3 quest Act of 2018 submitted to Congress by the District of  
4 Columbia, as amended as of the date of enactment of this  
5 Act: Provided, That notwithstanding any other provision  
6 of law, except as provided in section 450A of the District  
7 of Columbia Home Rule Act (section 1–204.50a, D.C. Offi-  
8 cial Code), sections 816 and 817 of the Financial Services  
9 and General Government Appropriations Act, 2009 (secs.  
10 47–369.01 and 47–369.02, D.C. Official Code), and provi-  
11 sions of this Act, the total amount appropriated in this Act  
12 for operating expenses for the District of Columbia for fiscal  
13 year 2019 under this heading shall not exceed the estimates  
14 included in the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget Request Act of  
15 2018 submitted to Congress by the District of Columbia,  
16 as amended as of the date of enactment of this Act or the  
17 sum of the total revenues of the District of Columbia for  
18 such fiscal year: Provided further, That the amount appro-  
19 priated may be increased by proceeds of one-time trans-  
20 actions, which are expended for emergency or unanticipated  
21 operating or capital needs: Provided further, That such in-  
22 creases shall be approved by enactment of local District law  
23 and shall comply with all reserve requirements contained  
24 in the District of Columbia Home Rule Act: Provided fur-  
25 ther, That the Chief Financial Officer of the District of Co-

1 *lumbia shall take such steps as are necessary to assure that*  
2 *the District of Columbia meets these requirements, includ-*  
3 *ing the apportioning by the Chief Financial Officer of the*  
4 *appropriations and funds made available to the District*  
5 *during fiscal year 2019, except that the Chief Financial Of-*  
6 *ficer may not reprogram for operating expenses any funds*  
7 *derived from bonds, notes, or other obligations issued for*  
8 *capital projects.*

9 *FEDERAL PAYMENT TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WATER*  
10 *AND SEWER AUTHORITY*

11 *For a Federal payment to the District of Columbia*  
12 *Water and Sewer Authority, \$10,000,000, to remain avail-*  
13 *able until expended, to continue implementation of the*  
14 *Combined Sewer Overflow Long-Term Plan: Provided, That*  
15 *the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority pro-*  
16 *vides a 100 percent match for this payment.*

17 *This title may be cited as the “District of Columbia*  
18 *Appropriations Act, 2019”.*

19 *TITLE V*  
20 *INDEPENDENT AGENCIES*  
21 *ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES*  
22 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

23 *For necessary expenses of the Administrative Con-*  
24 *ference of the United States, authorized by 5 U.S.C. 591*  
25 *et seq., \$3,100,000, to remain available until September 30,*

1 2020, of which not to exceed \$1,000 is for official reception  
2 and representation expenses.

3           *COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION*

4           *For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of*  
5 *the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1 et seq.), including*  
6 *the purchase and hire of passenger motor vehicles, and the*  
7 *rental of space (to include multiple year leases), in the Dis-*  
8 *trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$281,500,000, including*  
9 *not to exceed \$3,000 for official reception and representa-*  
10 *tion expenses, and not to exceed \$25,000 for the expenses*  
11 *for consultations and meetings hosted by the Commission*  
12 *with foreign governmental and other regulatory officials, of*  
13 *which not less than \$57,000,000, to remain available until*  
14 *September 30, 2020, shall be for the purchase of information*  
15 *technology and of which not less than \$3,302,509 shall be*  
16 *for expenses of the Office of the Inspector General: Provided,*  
17 *That notwithstanding the limitations in 31 U.S.C. 1553,*  
18 *amounts provided under this heading are available for the*  
19 *liquidation of obligations equal to current year payments*  
20 *on leases entered into prior to the date of enactment of this*  
21 *Act: Provided further, That for the purpose of recording and*  
22 *liquidating any lease obligations that should have been re-*  
23 *corded and liquidated against accounts closed pursuant to*  
24 *31 U.S.C. 1552, and consistent with the preceding proviso,*  
25 *such amounts shall be transferred to and recorded in a no-*

1 *year account in the Treasury, which has been established*  
2 *for the sole purpose of recording adjustments for and liqui-*  
3 *dating such unpaid obligations.*

4 *CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION*

5 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

6 *For necessary expenses of the Consumer Product Safety*  
7 *Commission, including hire of passenger motor vehicles,*  
8 *services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, but at rates for*  
9 *individuals not to exceed the per diem rate equivalent to*  
10 *the maximum rate payable under 5 U.S.C. 5376, purchase*  
11 *of nominal awards to recognize non-Federal officials' con-*  
12 *tributions to Commission activities, and not to exceed*  
13 *\$4,000 for official reception and representation expenses,*  
14 *\$126,000,000.*

15 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—CONSUMER PRODUCT*

16 *SAFETY COMMISSION*

17 *SEC. 501. During fiscal year 2019, none of the*  
18 *amounts made available by this Act may be used to finalize*  
19 *or implement the Safety Standard for Recreational Off-*  
20 *Highway Vehicles published by the Consumer Product Safe-*  
21 *ty Commission in the Federal Register on November 19,*  
22 *2014 (79 Fed. Reg. 68964) until after—*

23 *(1) the National Academy of Sciences, in con-*  
24 *sultation with the National Highway Traffic Safety*

1     *Administration and the Department of Defense, com-*  
2     *pletes a study to determine—*

3             *(A) the technical validity of the lateral sta-*  
4             *bility and vehicle handling requirements pro-*  
5             *posed by such standard for purposes of reducing*  
6             *the risk of Recreational Off-Highway Vehicle (re-*  
7             *ferred to in this section as “ROV”) rollovers in*  
8             *the off-road environment, including the repeat-*  
9             *ability and reproducibility of testing for compli-*  
10            *ance with such requirements;*

11            *(B) the number of ROV rollovers that would*  
12            *be prevented if the proposed requirements were*  
13            *adopted;*

14            *(C) whether there is a technical basis for the*  
15            *proposal to provide information on a point-of-*  
16            *sale hangtag about a ROV’s rollover resistance*  
17            *on a progressive scale; and*

18            *(D) the effect on the utility of ROVs used by*  
19            *the United States military if the proposed re-*  
20            *quirements were adopted; and*

21            *(2) a report containing the results of the study*  
22     *completed under paragraph (1) is delivered to—*

23            *(A) the Committee on Commerce, Science,*  
24            *and Transportation of the Senate;*



1           (B) the Committee on Energy and Com-  
2           merce of the House of Representatives;

3           (C) the Committee on Appropriations of the  
4           Senate; and

5           (D) the Committee on Appropriations of the  
6           House of Representatives.

7           *ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION*

8           *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

9           *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

10          *For necessary expenses to carry out the Help America*  
11 *Vote Act of 2002 (Public Law 107–252), \$9,200,000, of*  
12 *which \$1,500,000 shall be transferred to the National Insti-*  
13 *tute of Standards and Technology for election reform activi-*  
14 *ties authorized under the Help America Vote Act of 2002.*

15          *FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION*

16          *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

17          *For necessary expenses of the Federal Communications*  
18 *Commission, as authorized by law, including uniforms and*  
19 *allowances therefor, as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902;*  
20 *not to exceed \$4,000 for official reception and representa-*  
21 *tion expenses; purchase and hire of motor vehicles; special*  
22 *counsel fees; and services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109,*  
23 *\$333,118,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
24 *vided, That \$333,118,000 of offsetting collections shall be*  
25 *assessed and collected pursuant to section 9 of title I of the*

1 *Communications Act of 1934, shall be retained and used*  
2 *for necessary expenses and shall remain available until ex-*  
3 *pended: Provided further, That the sum herein appro-*  
4 *priated shall be reduced as such offsetting collections are*  
5 *received during fiscal year 2019 so as to result in a final*  
6 *fiscal year 2019 appropriation estimated at \$0: Provided*  
7 *further, That any offsetting collections received in excess of*  
8 *\$333,118,000 in fiscal year 2019 shall not be available for*  
9 *obligation: Provided further, That remaining offsetting col-*  
10 *lections from prior years collected in excess of the amount*  
11 *specified for collection in each such year and otherwise be-*  
12 *coming available on October 1, 2018, shall not be available*  
13 *for obligation: Provided further, That, notwithstanding 47*  
14 *U.S.C. 309(j)(8)(B), proceeds from the use of a competitive*  
15 *bidding system that may be retained and made available*  
16 *for obligation shall not exceed \$130,284,000 for fiscal year*  
17 *2019: Provided further, That, of the amount appropriated*  
18 *under this heading, not less than \$11,064,000 shall be for*  
19 *the salaries and expenses of the Office of Inspector General.*

20 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS*

21 *COMMISSION*

22 *SEC. 510. None of the funds appropriated by this Act*  
23 *may be used by the Federal Communications Commission*  
24 *to modify, amend, or change its rules or regulations for uni-*  
25 *versal service support payments to implement the February*

1 27, 2004 recommendations of the Federal-State Joint Board  
2 on Universal Service regarding single connection or pri-  
3 mary line restrictions on universal service support pay-  
4 ments.

5 *FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION*

6 *OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL*

7 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-  
8 eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General  
9 Act of 1978, \$42,982,000, to be derived from the Deposit  
10 Insurance Fund or, only when appropriate, the FSLIC Res-  
11 olution Fund.*

12 *FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION*

13 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14 *For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of  
15 the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, \$71,250,000,  
16 of which not to exceed \$5,000 shall be available for reception  
17 and representation expenses.*

18 *FEDERAL LABOR RELATIONS AUTHORITY*

19 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

20 *For necessary expenses to carry out functions of the  
21 Federal Labor Relations Authority, pursuant to Reorga-  
22 nization Plan Numbered 2 of 1978, and the Civil Service  
23 Reform Act of 1978, including services authorized by 5  
24 U.S.C. 3109, and including hire of experts and consultants,  
25 hire of passenger motor vehicles, and including official re-*

1 *ception and representation expenses (not to exceed \$1,500)*  
2 *and rental of conference rooms in the District of Columbia*  
3 *and elsewhere, \$26,200,000: Provided, That public members*  
4 *of the Federal Service Impasses Panel may be paid travel*  
5 *expenses and per diem in lieu of subsistence as authorized*  
6 *by law (5 U.S.C. 5703) for persons employed intermittently*  
7 *in the Government service, and compensation as authorized*  
8 *by 5 U.S.C. 3109: Provided further, That, notwithstanding*  
9 *31 U.S.C. 3302, funds received from fees charged to non-*  
10 *Federal participants at labor-management relations con-*  
11 *ferences shall be credited to and merged with this account,*  
12 *to be available without further appropriation for the costs*  
13 *of carrying out these conferences.*

14 *FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION*

15 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

16 *For necessary expenses of the Federal Trade Commis-*  
17 *sion, including uniforms or allowances therefor, as author-*  
18 *ized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902; services as authorized by 5*  
19 *U.S.C. 3109; hire of passenger motor vehicles; and not to*  
20 *exceed \$2,000 for official reception and representation ex-*  
21 *penses, \$309,700,000, to remain available until expended:*  
22 *Provided, That not to exceed \$300,000 shall be available*  
23 *for use to contract with a person or persons for collection*  
24 *services in accordance with the terms of 31 U.S.C. 3718:*  
25 *Provided further, That, notwithstanding any other provi-*

1 sion of law, not to exceed \$136,000,000 of offsetting collec-  
2 tions derived from fees collected for premerger notification  
3 filings under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improve-  
4 ments Act of 1976 (15 U.S.C. 18a), regardless of the year  
5 of collection, shall be retained and used for necessary ex-  
6 penses in this appropriation: Provided further, That, not-  
7 withstanding any other provision of law, not to exceed  
8 \$17,000,000 in offsetting collections derived from fees suffi-  
9 cient to implement and enforce the Telemarketing Sales  
10 Rule, promulgated under the Telemarketing and Consumer  
11 Fraud and Abuse Prevention Act (15 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.),  
12 shall be credited to this account, and be retained and used  
13 for necessary expenses in this appropriation: Provided fur-  
14 ther, That the sum herein appropriated from the general  
15 fund shall be reduced as such offsetting collections are re-  
16 ceived during fiscal year 2019, so as to result in a final  
17 fiscal year 2019 appropriation from the general fund esti-  
18 mated at not more than \$156,700,000: Provided further,  
19 That none of the funds made available to the Federal Trade  
20 Commission may be used to implement subsection (e)(2)(B)  
21 of section 43 of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12  
22 U.S.C. 1831t).

1                    *GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION*2                    *REAL PROPERTY ACTIVITIES*3                    *FEDERAL BUILDINGS FUND*4                    *LIMITATIONS ON AVAILABILITY OF REVENUE*5                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

6            *Amounts in the Fund, including revenues and collec-*  
7 *tions deposited into the Fund, shall be available for nec-*  
8 *essary expenses of real property management and related*  
9 *activities not otherwise provided for, including operation,*  
10 *maintenance, and protection of federally owned and leased*  
11 *buildings; rental of buildings in the District of Columbia;*  
12 *restoration of leased premises; moving governmental agen-*  
13 *cies (including space adjustments and telecommunications*  
14 *relocation expenses) in connection with the assignment, al-*  
15 *location, and transfer of space; contractual services incident*  
16 *to cleaning or servicing buildings, and moving; repair and*  
17 *alteration of federally owned buildings, including grounds,*  
18 *approaches, and appurtenances; care and safeguarding of*  
19 *sites; maintenance, preservation, demolition, and equip-*  
20 *ment; acquisition of buildings and sites by purchase, con-*  
21 *demnation, or as otherwise authorized by law; acquisition*  
22 *of options to purchase buildings and sites; conversion and*  
23 *extension of federally owned buildings; preliminary plan-*  
24 *ning and design of projects by contract or otherwise; con-*  
25 *struction of new buildings (including equipment for such*

1 *buildings); and payment of principal, interest, and any*  
2 *other obligations for public buildings acquired by install-*  
3 *ment purchase and purchase contract; in the aggregate*  
4 *amount of \$9,633,450,000, of which—*

5 *(1) \$1,080,068,000 shall remain available until*  
6 *expended for construction and acquisition (including*  
7 *funds for sites and expenses, and associated design*  
8 *and construction services) as follows:*

9 *(A) \$767,900,000 shall be for the Depart-*  
10 *ment of Transportation Lease Purchase Option,*  
11 *Washington, District of Columbia;*

12 *(B) \$100,000,000 shall be for the DHS Con-*  
13 *solidation at St. Elizabeths, Washington, Dis-*  
14 *trict of Columbia;*

15 *(C) \$27,268,000 shall be for the Former*  
16 *Hardesty Federal Complex, Kansas City, Mis-*  
17 *souri;*

18 *(D) \$9,000,000 shall be for the Southeast*  
19 *Federal Center Remediation, Washington, Dis-*  
20 *trict of Columbia; and*

21 *(E) \$175,900,000 shall be for the Calexico*  
22 *West Land Port of Entry, Calexico, California:*  
23 *Provided, That each of the foregoing limits of costs on*  
24 *new construction and acquisition projects may be ex-*  
25 *ceeded to the extent that savings are effected in other*

1 *such projects, but not to exceed 10 percent of the*  
2 *amounts included in a transmitted prospectus, if re-*  
3 *quired, unless advance approval is obtained from the*  
4 *Committees on Appropriations of a greater amount;*

5 (2) *\$890,419,000 shall remain available until ex-*  
6 *pended for repairs and alterations, including associ-*  
7 *ated design and construction services, of which—*

8 (A) *\$424,690,000 is for Major Repairs and*  
9 *Alterations;*

10 (B) *\$373,556,000 is for Basic Repairs and*  
11 *Alterations; and*

12 (C) *\$92,173,000 is for Special Emphasis*  
13 *Programs, of which—*

14 (i) *\$30,000,000 is for Fire and Life*  
15 *Safety;*

16 (ii) *\$11,500,000 is for Judiciary Cap-*  
17 *ital Security; and*

18 (iii) *\$50,673,000 is for Consolidation*  
19 *Activities: Provided, That consolidation*  
20 *projects result in reduced annual rent paid*  
21 *by the tenant agency: Provided further,*  
22 *That no consolidation project exceed*  
23 *\$10,000,000 in costs: Provided further, That*  
24 *consolidation projects are approved by each*  
25 *of the committees specified in section*



1           3307(a) of title 40, United States Code:  
2           *Provided further, That preference is given to*  
3           *consolidation projects that achieve a utiliza-*  
4           *tion rate of 130 usable square feet or less*  
5           *per person for office space: Provided further,*  
6           *That the obligation of funds under this*  
7           *paragraph for consolidation activities may*  
8           *not be made until 10 days after a proposed*  
9           *spending plan and explanation for each*  
10          *project to be undertaken, including esti-*  
11          *mated savings, has been submitted to the*  
12          *Committees on Appropriations of the House*  
13          *of Representatives and the Senate:*

14          *Provided, That funds made available in this or any*  
15          *previous Act in the Federal Buildings Fund for Re-*  
16          *pairs and Alterations shall, for prospectus projects, be*  
17          *limited to the amount identified for each project, ex-*  
18          *cept each project in this or any previous Act may be*  
19          *increased by an amount not to exceed 10 percent un-*  
20          *less advance approval is obtained from the Commit-*  
21          *tees on Appropriations of a greater amount: Provided*  
22          *further, That additional projects for which*  
23          *prospectuses have been fully approved may be funded*  
24          *under this category only if advance approval is ob-*  
25          *tained from the Committees on Appropriations: Pro-*

1 *vided further, That the amounts provided in this or*  
2 *any prior Act for “Repairs and Alterations” may be*  
3 *used to fund costs associated with implementing secu-*  
4 *rity improvements to buildings necessary to meet the*  
5 *minimum standards for security in accordance with*  
6 *current law and in compliance with the reprogram-*  
7 *ming guidelines of the appropriate Committees of the*  
8 *House and Senate: Provided further, That the dif-*  
9 *ference between the funds appropriated and expended*  
10 *on any projects in this or any prior Act, under the*  
11 *heading “Repairs and Alterations”, may be trans-*  
12 *ferred to Basic Repairs and Alterations or used to*  
13 *fund authorized increases in prospectus projects: Pro-*  
14 *vided further, That the amount provided in this or*  
15 *any prior Act for Basic Repairs and Alterations may*  
16 *be used to pay claims against the Government arising*  
17 *from any projects under the heading “Repairs and*  
18 *Alterations” or used to fund authorized increases in*  
19 *prospectus projects;*

20 *(3) \$5,418,845,000 for rental of space to remain*  
21 *available until expended; and*

22 *(4) \$2,244,118,000 for building operations to re-*  
23 *main available until expended: Provided, That the*  
24 *total amount of funds made available from this Fund*  
25 *to the General Services Administration shall not be*

1     *available for expenses of any construction, repair, al-*  
2     *teration and acquisition project for which a pro-*  
3     *spectus, if required by 40 U.S.C. 3307(a), has not*  
4     *been approved, except that necessary funds may be ex-*  
5     *pende d for each project for required expenses for the*  
6     *development of a proposed prospectus: Provided fur-*  
7     *ther, That funds available in the Federal Buildings*  
8     *Fund may be expended for emergency repairs when*  
9     *advance approval is obtained from the Committees on*  
10    *Appropriations: Provided further, That amounts nec-*  
11    *essary to provide reimbursable special services to*  
12    *other agencies under 40 U.S.C. 592(b)(2) and*  
13    *amounts to provide such reimbursable fencing, light-*  
14    *ing, guard booths, and other facilities on private or*  
15    *other property not in Government ownership or con-*  
16    *trol as may be appropriate to enable the United*  
17    *States Secret Service to perform its protective func-*  
18    *tions pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3056, shall be available*  
19    *from such revenues and collections: Provided further,*  
20    *That revenues and collections and any other sums ac-*  
21    *cruing to this Fund during fiscal year 2019, exclud-*  
22    *ing reimbursements under 40 U.S.C. 592(b)(2), in ex-*  
23    *cess of the aggregate new obligational authority au-*  
24    *thorized for Real Property Activities of the Federal*  
25    *Buildings Fund in this Act shall remain in the Fund*

1       *and shall not be available for expenditure except as*  
2       *authorized in appropriations Acts.*

3                               *GENERAL ACTIVITIES*

4                               *GOVERNMENT-WIDE POLICY*

5       *For expenses authorized by law, not otherwise provided*  
6       *for, for Government-wide policy and evaluation activities*  
7       *associated with the management of real and personal prop-*  
8       *erty assets and certain administrative services; Govern-*  
9       *ment-wide policy support responsibilities relating to acqui-*  
10      *sition, travel, motor vehicles, information technology man-*  
11      *agement, and related technology activities; and services as*  
12      *authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; \$58,499,000.*

13                              *OPERATING EXPENSES*

14      *For expenses authorized by law, not otherwise provided*  
15      *for, for Government-wide activities associated with utiliza-*  
16      *tion and donation of surplus personal property; disposal*  
17      *of real property; agency-wide policy direction, manage-*  
18      *ment, and communications; and services as authorized by*  
19      *5 U.S.C. 3109; \$49,440,000, of which not less than*  
20      *\$26,890,000 is for Real and Personal Property Management*  
21      *and Disposal; and up to \$22,550,000 is for the Office of*  
22      *the Administrator, of which not to exceed \$7,500 is for offi-*  
23      *cial reception and representation expenses.*

1                    *CIVILIAN BOARD OF CONTRACT APPEALS*

2            *For expenses authorized by law, not otherwise provided*  
3 *for, for the activities associated with the Civilian Board of*  
4 *Contract Appeals, \$9,301,000.*

5                    *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*6                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

7            *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
8 *eral and service authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, \$65,000,000:*  
9 *Provided, That not to exceed \$50,000 shall be available for*  
10 *payment for information and detection of fraud against the*  
11 *Government, including payment for recovery of stolen Gov-*  
12 *ernment property: Provided further, That not to exceed*  
13 *\$2,500 shall be available for awards to employees of other*  
14 *Federal agencies and private citizens in recognition of ef-*  
15 *forts and initiatives resulting in enhanced Office of Inspec-*  
16 *tor General effectiveness.*

17            *In addition to the foregoing appropriation,*  
18 *\$2,000,000, to remain available until expended, shall be*  
19 *transferred to the Council of the Inspectors General on In-*  
20 *tegrity and Efficiency for enhancements to*  
21 *www.oversight.gov: Provided, That these amounts shall be*  
22 *in addition to any other amounts available to the Council*  
23 *of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency for*  
24 *such purpose.*

1           *ALLOWANCES AND OFFICE STAFF FOR FORMER*  
2   *PRESIDENTS*

3           *For carrying out the provisions of the Act of August*  
4 *25, 1958 (3 U.S.C. 102 note), and Public Law 95-138,*  
5 *\$4,796,000.*

6   *FEDERAL CITIZEN SERVICES FUND*  
7   *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

8           *For necessary expenses of the Office of Products and*  
9 *Programs, including services authorized by 40 U.S.C. 323*  
10 *and 44 U.S.C. 3604; and for necessary expenses in support*  
11 *of interagency projects that enable the Federal Government*  
12 *to enhance its ability to conduct activities electronically,*  
13 *through the development and implementation of innovative*  
14 *uses of information technology; \$55,000,000, to be deposited*  
15 *into the Federal Citizen Services Fund: Provided, That the*  
16 *previous amount may be transferred to Federal agencies to*  
17 *carry out the purpose of the Federal Citizen Services Fund:*  
18 *Provided further, That the appropriations, revenues, reim-*  
19 *bursements, and collections deposited into the Fund shall*  
20 *be available until expended for necessary expenses of Fed-*  
21 *eral Citizen Services and other activities that enable the*  
22 *Federal Government to enhance its ability to conduct ac-*  
23 *tivities electronically in the aggregate amount not to exceed*  
24 *\$100,000,000: Provided further, That appropriations, reve-*  
25  *nues, reimbursements, and collections accruing to this Fund*

1 *during fiscal year 2019 in excess of such amount shall re-*  
2 *main in the Fund and shall not be available for expenditure*  
3 *except as authorized in appropriations Acts: Provided fur-*  
4 *ther, That the transfer authorities provided herein shall be*  
5 *in addition to any other transfer authority provided in this*  
6 *Act.*

7 *ASSET PROCEEDS AND SPACE MANAGEMENT FUND*

8 *For carrying out the purposes of the Federal Assets*  
9 *Sale and Transfer Act of 2016 (Public Law 114–287),*  
10 *\$15,500,000, to be deposited into the Asset Proceeds and*  
11 *Space Management Fund, to remain available until ex-*  
12 *pended.*

13 *ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW IMPROVEMENT FUND*

14 *For necessary expenses of the Environmental Review*  
15 *Improvement Fund established pursuant to 42 U.S.C.*  
16 *4370m–8(d), \$6,070,000, to remain available until ex-*  
17 *pended.*

18 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—GENERAL SERVICES*

19 *ADMINISTRATION*

20 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

21 *SEC. 520. Funds available to the General Services Ad-*  
22 *ministration shall be available for the hire of passenger*  
23 *motor vehicles.*

24 *SEC. 521. Funds in the Federal Buildings Fund made*  
25 *available for fiscal year 2019 for Federal Buildings Fund*

1 *activities may be transferred between such activities only*  
2 *to the extent necessary to meet program requirements: Pro-*  
3 *vided, That any proposed transfers shall be approved in ad-*  
4 *vance by the Committees on Appropriations of the House*  
5 *of Representatives and the Senate.*

6 *SEC. 522. Except as otherwise provided in this title,*  
7 *funds made available by this Act shall be used to transmit*  
8 *a fiscal year 2020 request for United States Courthouse con-*  
9 *struction only if the request: (1) meets the design guide*  
10 *standards for construction as established and approved by*  
11 *the General Services Administration, the Judicial Con-*  
12 *ference of the United States, and the Office of Management*  
13 *and Budget; (2) reflects the priorities of the Judicial Con-*  
14 *ference of the United States as set out in its approved*  
15 *Courthouse Project Priorities plan; and (3) includes a*  
16 *standardized courtroom utilization study of each facility to*  
17 *be constructed, replaced, or expanded.*

18 *SEC. 523. None of the funds provided in this Act may*  
19 *be used to increase the amount of occupiable square feet,*  
20 *provide cleaning services, security enhancements, or any*  
21 *other service usually provided through the Federal Build-*  
22 *ings Fund, to any agency that does not pay the rate per*  
23 *square foot assessment for space and services as determined*  
24 *by the General Services Administration in consideration of*



1 *the Public Buildings Amendments Act of 1972 (Public Law*  
2 *92–313).*

3       *SEC. 524. From funds made available under the head-*  
4 *ing Federal Buildings Fund, Limitations on Availability*  
5 *of Revenue, claims against the Government of less than*  
6 *\$250,000 arising from direct construction projects and ac-*  
7 *quisition of buildings may be liquidated from savings ef-*  
8 *fects in other construction projects with prior notification*  
9 *to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Rep-*  
10 *resentatives and the Senate.*

11       *SEC. 525. In any case in which the Committee on*  
12 *Transportation and Infrastructure of the House of Rep-*  
13 *resentatives and the Committee on Environment and Public*  
14 *Works of the Senate adopt a resolution granting lease au-*  
15 *thority pursuant to a prospectus transmitted to Congress*  
16 *by the Administrator of the General Services Administra-*  
17 *tion under 40 U.S.C. 3307, the Administrator shall ensure*  
18 *that the delineated area of procurement is identical to the*  
19 *delineated area included in the prospectus for all lease*  
20 *agreements, except that, if the Administrator determines*  
21 *that the delineated area of the procurement should not be*  
22 *identical to the delineated area included in the prospectus,*  
23 *the Administrator shall provide an explanatory statement*  
24 *to each of such committees and the Committees on Appro-*  
25 *priations of the House of Representatives and the Senate*

1 *prior to exercising any lease authority provided in the reso-*  
2 *lution.*

3       *SEC. 526. With respect to each project funded under*  
4 *the heading “Major Repairs and Alterations” or “Judiciary*  
5 *Capital Security Program”, and with respect to E–Govern-*  
6 *ment projects funded under the heading “Federal Citizen*  
7 *Services Fund”, the Administrator of General Services shall*  
8 *submit a spending plan and explanation for each project*  
9 *to be undertaken to the Committees on Appropriations of*  
10 *the House of Representatives and the Senate not later than*  
11 *60 days after the date of enactment of this Act.*

12           *HARRY S TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION*

13                   *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14       *For payment to the Harry S Truman Scholarship*  
15 *Foundation Trust Fund, established by section 10 of Public*  
16 *Law 93–642, \$1,000,000, to remain available until ex-*  
17 *pended.*

18           *MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD*

19                   *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

20                           *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

21       *For necessary expenses to carry out functions of the*  
22 *Merit Systems Protection Board pursuant to Reorganiza-*  
23 *tion Plan Numbered 2 of 1978, the Civil Service Reform*  
24 *Act of 1978, and the Whistleblower Protection Act of 1989*  
25 *(5 U.S.C. 5509 note), including services as authorized by*

1 5 U.S.C. 3109, rental of conference rooms in the District  
2 of Columbia and elsewhere, hire of passenger motor vehicles,  
3 direct procurement of survey printing, and not to exceed  
4 \$2,000 for official reception and representation expenses,  
5 \$44,490,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020,  
6 and in addition not to exceed \$2,345,000, to remain avail-  
7 able until September 30, 2020, for administrative expenses  
8 to adjudicate retirement appeals to be transferred from the  
9 Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund in amounts  
10 determined by the Merit Systems Protection Board.

11 *MORRIS K. UDALL AND STEWART L. UDALL FOUNDATION*

12 *MORRIS K. UDALL AND STEWART L. UDALL TRUST FUND*

13 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

14 *For payment to the Morris K. Udall and Stewart L.*  
15 *Udall Trust Fund, pursuant to the Morris K. Udall and*  
16 *Stewart L. Udall Foundation Act (20 U.S.C. 5601 et seq.),*  
17 *\$1,875,000, to remain available until expended, of which,*  
18 *notwithstanding sections 8 and 9 of such Act: (1) up to*  
19 *\$50,000 shall be used to conduct financial audits pursuant*  
20 *to the Accountability of Tax Dollars Act of 2002 (Public*  
21 *Law 107–289); and (2) up to \$1,000,000 shall be available*  
22 *to carry out the activities authorized by section 6(7) of Pub-*  
23 *lic Law 102–259 and section 817(a) of Public Law 106–*  
24 *568 (20 U.S.C. 5604(7)): Provided, That of the total*  
25 *amount made available under this heading \$200,000 shall*

1 *be transferred to the Office of Inspector General of the De-*  
2 *partment of the Interior, to remain available until ex-*  
3 *pended, for audits and investigations of the Morris K. Udall*  
4 *and Stewart L. Udall Foundation, consistent with the In-*  
5 *spector General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.).*

6 *ENVIRONMENTAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION FUND*

7 *For payment to the Environmental Dispute Resolution*  
8 *Fund to carry out activities authorized in the Environ-*  
9 *mental Policy and Conflict Resolution Act of 1998,*  
10 *\$3,200,000, to remain available until expended.*

11 *NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION*

12 *OPERATING EXPENSES*

13 *For necessary expenses in connection with the admin-*  
14 *istration of the National Archives and Records Administra-*  
15 *tion and archived Federal records and related activities, as*  
16 *provided by law, and for expenses necessary for the review*  
17 *and declassification of documents, the activities of the Pub-*  
18 *lic Interest Declassification Board, the operations and*  
19 *maintenance of the electronic records archives, the hire of*  
20 *passenger motor vehicles, and for uniforms or allowances*  
21 *therefor, as authorized by law (5 U.S.C. 5901), including*  
22 *maintenance, repairs, and cleaning, \$375,105,000.*

23 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

24 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
25 *eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General*

1 *Reform Act of 2008, Public Law 110–409, 122 Stat. 4302–*  
2 *16 (2008), and the Inspector General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C.*  
3 *App.), and for the hire of passenger motor vehicles,*  
4 *\$4,801,000.*

5 *REPAIRS AND RESTORATION*

6 *For the repair, alteration, and improvement of ar-*  
7 *chives facilities, and to provide adequate storage for hold-*  
8 *ings, \$7,500,000, to remain available until expended.*

9 *NATIONAL HISTORICAL PUBLICATIONS AND RECORDS*

10 *COMMISSION*

11 *GRANTS PROGRAM*

12 *For necessary expenses for allocations and grants for*  
13 *historical publications and records as authorized by 44*  
14 *U.S.C. 2504, \$6,000,000, to remain available until ex-*  
15 *pended.*

16 *NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION*

17 *COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REVOLVING LOAN FUND*

18 *For the Community Development Revolving Loan*  
19 *Fund program as authorized by 42 U.S.C. 9812, 9822 and*  
20 *9910, \$2,000,000 shall be available until September 30,*  
21 *2020, for technical assistance to low-income designated*  
22 *credit unions.*

1                    *OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT ETHICS*2                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3            *For necessary expenses to carry out functions of the*  
4 *Office of Government Ethics pursuant to the Ethics in Gov-*  
5 *ernment Act of 1978, the Ethics Reform Act of 1989, and*  
6 *the Stop Trading on Congressional Knowledge Act of 2012,*  
7 *including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, rental*  
8 *of conference rooms in the District of Columbia and else-*  
9 *where, hire of passenger motor vehicles, and not to exceed*  
10 *\$1,500 for official reception and representation expenses,*  
11 *\$16,439,000.*

12                    *OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT*13                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF TRUST FUNDS)*

15            *For necessary expenses to carry out functions of the*  
16 *Office of Personnel Management (OPM) pursuant to Reor-*  
17 *ganization Plan Numbered 2 of 1978 and the Civil Service*  
18 *Reform Act of 1978, including services as authorized by 5*  
19 *U.S.C. 3109; medical examinations performed for veterans*  
20 *by private physicians on a fee basis; rental of conference*  
21 *rooms in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; hire of*  
22 *passenger motor vehicles; not to exceed \$2,500 for official*  
23 *reception and representation expenses; advances for reim-*  
24 *bursements to applicable funds of OPM and the Federal Bu-*  
25 *reau of Investigation for expenses incurred under Executive*

1 *Order No. 10422 of January 9, 1953, as amended; and pay-*  
2 *ment of per diem and/or subsistence allowances to employ-*  
3 *ees where Voting Rights Act activities require an employee*  
4 *to remain overnight at his or her post of duty,*  
5 *\$132,172,000: Provided, That of the total amount made*  
6 *available under this heading, not to exceed \$14,000,000*  
7 *shall remain available until September 30, 2020, for infor-*  
8 *mation technology infrastructure modernization and Trust*  
9 *Fund Federal Financial System migration or moderniza-*  
10 *tion, and shall be in addition to funds otherwise made*  
11 *available for such purposes: Provided further, That of the*  
12 *total amount made available under this heading, \$639,018*  
13 *may be made available for strengthening the capacity and*  
14 *capabilities of the acquisition workforce (as defined by the*  
15 *Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act, as amended (41*  
16 *U.S.C. 4001 et seq.)), including the recruitment, hiring,*  
17 *training, and retention of such workforce and information*  
18 *technology in support of acquisition workforce effectiveness*  
19 *or for management solutions to improve acquisition man-*  
20 *agement; and in addition \$133,483,000 for administrative*  
21 *expenses, to be transferred from the appropriate trust funds*  
22 *of OPM without regard to other statutes, including direct*  
23 *procurement of printed materials, for the retirement and*  
24 *insurance programs: Provided further, That the provisions*  
25 *of this appropriation shall not affect the authority to use*

1 applicable trust funds as provided by sections  
2 8348(a)(1)(B), 8958(f)(2)(A), 8988(f)(2)(A), and  
3 9004(f)(2)(A) of title 5, United States Code: Provided fur-  
4 ther, That no part of this appropriation shall be available  
5 for salaries and expenses of the Legal Examining Unit of  
6 OPM established pursuant to Executive Order No. 9358 of  
7 July 1, 1943, or any successor unit of like purpose: Pro-  
8 vided further, That the President's Commission on White  
9 House Fellows, established by Executive Order No. 11183  
10 of October 3, 1964, may, during fiscal year 2019, accept  
11 donations of money, property, and personal services: Pro-  
12 vided further, That such donations, including those from  
13 prior years, may be used for the development of publicity  
14 materials to provide information about the White House  
15 Fellows, except that no such donations shall be accepted for  
16 travel or reimbursement of travel expenses, or for the sala-  
17 ries of employees of such Commission.

18 OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

19 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

20 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF TRUST FUNDS)

21 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-  
22 eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General  
23 Act of 1978, including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.  
24 3109, hire of passenger motor vehicles, \$5,000,000, and in  
25 addition, not to exceed \$25,265,000 for administrative ex-



1 *penses to audit, investigate, and provide other oversight of*  
2 *the Office of Personnel Management's retirement and insur-*  
3 *ance programs, to be transferred from the appropriate trust*  
4 *funds of the Office of Personnel Management, as determined*  
5 *by the Inspector General: Provided, That the Inspector Gen-*  
6 *eral is authorized to rent conference rooms in the District*  
7 *of Columbia and elsewhere.*

8 *OFFICE OF SPECIAL COUNSEL*

9 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

10 *For necessary expenses to carry out functions of the*  
11 *Office of Special Counsel pursuant to Reorganization Plan*  
12 *Numbered 2 of 1978, the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978*  
13 *(Public Law 95-454), the Whistleblower Protection Act of*  
14 *1989 (Public Law 101-12) as amended by Public Law 107-*  
15 *304, the Whistleblower Protection Enhancement Act of 2012*  
16 *(Public Law 112-199), and the Uniformed Services Em-*  
17 *ployment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994 (Public*  
18 *Law 103-353), including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
19 *3109, payment of fees and expenses for witnesses, rental of*  
20 *conference rooms in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,*  
21 *and hire of passenger motor vehicles; \$26,535,000.*

1                    *POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION*2                                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*3                                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

4            *For necessary expenses of the Postal Regulatory Com-*  
5 *mission in carrying out the provisions of the Postal Ac-*  
6 *countability and Enhancement Act (Public Law 109–435),*  
7 *\$15,200,000, to be derived by transfer from the Postal Serv-*  
8 *ice Fund and expended as authorized by section 603(a) of*  
9 *such Act.*

10            *PRIVACY AND CIVIL LIBERTIES OVERSIGHT BOARD*11                                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

12            *For necessary expenses of the Privacy and Civil Lib-*  
13 *erties Oversight Board, as authorized by section 1061 of the*  
14 *Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004*  
15 *(42 U.S.C. 2000ee), \$5,000,000, to remain available until*  
16 *September 30, 2020.*

17                    *SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION*18                                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

19            *For necessary expenses for the Securities and Exchange*  
20 *Commission, including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C.*  
21 *3109, the rental of space (to include multiple year leases)*  
22 *in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and not to exceed*  
23 *\$3,500 for official reception and representation expenses,*  
24 *\$1,658,302,000, to remain available until expended; of*  
25 *which not less than \$15,206,269 shall be for the Office of*

1 *Inspector General; of which not to exceed \$75,000 shall be*  
2 *available for a permanent secretariat for the International*  
3 *Organization of Securities Commissions; and of which not*  
4 *to exceed \$100,000 shall be available for expenses for con-*  
5 *sultations and meetings hosted by the Commission with for-*  
6 *oreign governmental and other regulatory officials, members*  
7 *of their delegations and staffs to exchange views concerning*  
8 *securities matters, such expenses to include necessary logis-*  
9 *tic and administrative expenses and the expenses of Com-*  
10 *mission staff and foreign invitees in attendance including:*  
11 *(1) incidental expenses such as meals; (2) travel and trans-*  
12 *portation; and (3) related lodging or subsistence; and of*  
13 *which not less than \$75,081,000 shall be for the Division*  
14 *of Economic and Risk Analysis.*

15 *In addition to the foregoing appropriation, for costs*  
16 *associated with relocation under a replacement lease for the*  
17 *Commission's New York regional office facilities, not to ex-*  
18 *ceed \$37,188,942, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
19 *vided, That for purposes of calculating the fee rate under*  
20 *section 31(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15*  
21 *U.S.C. 78ee(j)) for fiscal year 2019, all amounts appro-*  
22 *priated under this heading shall be deemed to be the regular*  
23 *appropriation to the Commission for fiscal year 2019: Pro-*  
24 *vided further, That fees and charges authorized by section*  
25 *31 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78ee)*

1 *shall be credited to this account as offsetting collections:*  
2 *Provided further, That not to exceed \$1,658,302,000 of such*  
3 *offsetting collections shall be available until expended for*  
4 *necessary expenses of this account and not to exceed*  
5 *\$37,188,942 of such offsetting collections shall be available*  
6 *until expended for costs under this heading associated with*  
7 *relocation under a replacement lease for the Commission's*  
8 *New York regional office facilities: Provided further, That*  
9 *the total amount appropriated under this heading from the*  
10 *general fund for fiscal year 2019 shall be reduced as such*  
11 *offsetting fees are received so as to result in a final total*  
12 *fiscal year 2019 appropriation from the general fund esti-*  
13 *mated at not more than \$0: Provided further, That if any*  
14 *amount of the appropriation for costs associated with relo-*  
15 *cation under a replacement lease for the Commission's New*  
16 *York regional office facilities is subsequently de-obligated by*  
17 *the Commission, such amount that was derived from the*  
18 *general fund shall be returned to the general fund, and such*  
19 *amounts that were derived from fees or assessments collected*  
20 *for such purpose shall be paid to each national securities*  
21 *exchange and national securities association, respectively,*  
22 *in proportion to any fees or assessments paid by such na-*  
23 *tional securities exchange or national securities association*  
24 *under section 31 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934*  
25 *(15 U.S.C. 78ee) in fiscal year 2019.*

1                    *SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM*2                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

3            *For necessary expenses of the Selective Service System,*  
4 *including expenses of attendance at meetings and of train-*  
5 *ing for uniformed personnel assigned to the Selective Serv-*  
6 *ice System, as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 4101–4118 for civil-*  
7 *ian employees; hire of passenger motor vehicles; services as*  
8 *authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; and not to exceed \$750 for*  
9 *official reception and representation expenses; \$26,000,000:*  
10 *Provided, That during the current fiscal year, the President*  
11 *may exempt this appropriation from the provisions of 31*  
12 *U.S.C. 1341, whenever the President deems such action to*  
13 *be necessary in the interest of national defense: Provided*  
14 *further, That none of the funds appropriated by this Act*  
15 *may be expended for or in connection with the induction*  
16 *of any person into the Armed Forces of the United States.*

17                    *SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION*18                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

19            *For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, of*  
20 *the Small Business Administration, including hire of pas-*  
21 *senger motor vehicles as authorized by sections 1343 and*  
22 *1344 of title 31, United States Code, and not to exceed*  
23 *\$3,500 for official reception and representation expenses,*  
24 *\$267,500,000, of which not less than \$12,000,000 shall be*  
25 *available for examinations, reviews, and other lender over-*

1 *sight activities: Provided, That the Administrator is au-*  
2 *thorized to charge fees to cover the cost of publications devel-*  
3 *oped by the Small Business Administration, and certain*  
4 *loan program activities, including fees authorized by sec-*  
5 *tion 5(b) of the Small Business Act: Provided further, That,*  
6 *notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302, revenues received from all*  
7 *such activities shall be credited to this account, to remain*  
8 *available until expended, for carrying out these purposes*  
9 *without further appropriations: Provided further, That the*  
10 *Small Business Administration may accept gifts in an*  
11 *amount not to exceed \$4,000,000 and may co-sponsor ac-*  
12 *tivities, each in accordance with section 132(a) of division*  
13 *K of Public Law 108-447, during fiscal year 2019: Pro-*  
14 *vided further, That \$6,100,000 shall be available for the*  
15 *Loan Modernization and Accounting System, to be avail-*  
16 *able until September 30, 2020: Provided further, That*  
17 *\$3,000,000 shall be for the Federal and State Technology*  
18 *Partnership Program under section 34 of the Small Busi-*  
19 *ness Act (15 U.S.C. 657d).*

20 *ENTREPRENEURIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS*

21 *For necessary expenses of programs supporting entre-*  
22 *preneurial and small business development, \$241,600,000,*  
23 *to remain available until September 30, 2020: Provided,*  
24 *That \$130,000,000 shall be available to fund grants for per-*  
25 *formance in fiscal year 2019 or fiscal year 2020 as author-*

1 ized by section 21 of the Small Business Act: Provided fur-  
2 ther, That \$31,000,000 shall be for marketing, management,  
3 and technical assistance under section 7(m) of the Small  
4 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 636(m)(4)) by intermediaries that  
5 make microloans under the microloan program: Provided  
6 further, That \$18,000,000 shall be available for grants to  
7 States to carry out export programs that assist small busi-  
8 ness concerns authorized under section 22(l) of the Small  
9 Business Act (15 U.S.C. 649(l)).

10 OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

11 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-  
12 eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General  
13 Act of 1978, \$21,900,000.

14 OFFICE OF ADVOCACY

15 For necessary expenses of the Office of Advocacy in  
16 carrying out the provisions of title II of Public Law 94-  
17 305 (15 U.S.C. 634a et seq.) and the Regulatory Flexibility  
18 Act of 1980 (5 U.S.C. 601 et seq.), \$9,120,000, to remain  
19 available until expended.

20 BUSINESS LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT

21 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

22 For the cost of direct loans, \$4,000,000, to remain  
23 available until expended: Provided, That such costs, includ-  
24 ing the cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined  
25 in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: Pro-

1 *vided further, That subject to section 502 of the Congres-*  
2 *sional Budget Act of 1974, during fiscal year 2019 commit-*  
3 *ments to guarantee loans under section 503 of the Small*  
4 *Business Investment Act of 1958 shall not exceed*  
5 *\$7,500,000,000: Provided further, That during fiscal year*  
6 *2019 commitments for general business loans authorized*  
7 *under section 7(a) of the Small Business Act shall not ex-*  
8 *ceed \$30,000,000,000 for a combination of amortizing term*  
9 *loans and the aggregated maximum line of credit provided*  
10 *by revolving loans: Provided further, That during fiscal*  
11 *year 2019 commitments for loans authorized under sub-*  
12 *paragraph (C) of section 502(7) of The Small Business In-*  
13 *vestment Act of 1958 (15 U.S.C. 696(7)) shall not exceed*  
14 *\$7,500,000,000: Provided further, That during fiscal year*  
15 *2019 commitments to guarantee loans for debentures under*  
16 *section 303(b) of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958*  
17 *shall not exceed \$4,000,000,000: Provided further, That dur-*  
18 *ing fiscal year 2019, guarantees of trust certificates author-*  
19 *ized by section 5(g) of the Small Business Act shall not ex-*  
20 *ceed a principal amount of \$12,000,000,000. In addition,*  
21 *for administrative expenses to carry out the direct and*  
22 *guaranteed loan programs, \$155,150,000, which may be*  
23 *transferred to and merged with the appropriations for Sala-*  
24 *ries and Expenses.*



1           *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—SMALL BUSINESS*

2                                   *ADMINISTRATION*

3                                   *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

4           *SEC. 530. Not to exceed 5 percent of any appropriation*  
5 *made available for the current fiscal year for the Small*  
6 *Business Administration in this Act may be transferred be-*  
7 *tween such appropriations, but no such appropriation shall*  
8 *be increased by more than 10 percent by any such transfers:*  
9 *Provided, That any transfer pursuant to this paragraph*  
10 *shall be treated as a reprogramming of funds under section*  
11 *608 of this Act and shall not be available for obligation*  
12 *or expenditure except in compliance with the procedures set*  
13 *forth in that section.*

14           *SEC. 531. None of the funds made available to the*  
15 *Small Business Administration in this Act may be pro-*  
16 *vided to a company—*

17                   *(1) that is headquartered in the People’s Republic*  
18                   *of China; or*

19                   *(2) for which more than 25 percent of the voting*  
20                   *stock of the company is owned by affiliates that are*  
21                   *citizens of the People’s Republic of China.*

22           *SEC. 532. Not later than 180 days after the date of*  
23 *enactment of this Act, the Small Business Administration*  
24 *shall conduct a study on whether the provision of match-*  
25 *making services that, using data collected through outside*

1 *entities such as local chambers of commerce, link veteran*  
2 *entrepreneurs to business leads in given industry sectors or*  
3 *geographic regions, would enhance the existing veterans en-*  
4 *trepreneurship programs of the Administration.*

5 *SEC. 533. The Administrator of the Small Business*  
6 *Administration shall—*

7 *(1) work with Federal agencies to review each*  
8 *Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utiliza-*  
9 *tion's efforts to comply with the requirements under*  
10 *section 15(k) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C.*  
11 *644(k)); and*

12 *(2) not later than 180 days after the date of en-*  
13 *actment of this Act, submit to the Committee on*  
14 *Small Business and Entrepreneurship and the Com-*  
15 *mittee on Appropriations of the Senate and the Com-*  
16 *mittee on Small Business and the Committee on Ap-*  
17 *propriations of the House of Representatives—*

18 *(A) a report on Federal agency compliance*  
19 *with the requirements under such section 15(k);*  
20 *and*

21 *(B) a report detailing the status of issuance*  
22 *by the Small Business Administration of de-*  
23 *tailed guidance for the peer review process of the*  
24 *Small Business Procurement Advisory Council*  
25 *in order to facilitate a more in depth review of*

1           *Federal agency compliance with the requirements*  
2           *under such section 15(k).*

3                   *UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE*

4                   *PAYMENT TO THE POSTAL SERVICE FUND*

5           *For payment to the Postal Service Fund for revenue*  
6 *forgone on free and reduced rate mail, pursuant to sub-*  
7 *sections (c) and (d) of section 2401 of title 39, United States*  
8 *Code, \$55,235,000: Provided, That mail for overseas voting*  
9 *and mail for the blind shall continue to be free: Provided*  
10 *further, That 6-day delivery and rural delivery of mail*  
11 *shall continue at not less than the 1983 level: Provided fur-*  
12 *ther, That none of the funds made available to the Postal*  
13 *Service by this Act shall be used to implement any rule,*  
14 *regulation, or policy of charging any officer or employee*  
15 *of any State or local child support enforcement agency, or*  
16 *any individual participating in a State or local program*  
17 *of child support enforcement, a fee for information requested*  
18 *or provided concerning an address of a postal customer:*  
19 *Provided further, That none of the funds provided in this*  
20 *Act shall be used to consolidate or close small rural and*  
21 *other small post offices.*

1                    *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*  
2                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*  
3                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

4            *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
5 *eral in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector General*  
6 *Act of 1978, \$250,000,000, to be derived by transfer from*  
7 *the Postal Service Fund and expended as authorized by sec-*  
8 *tion 603(b)(3) of the Postal Accountability and Enhance-*  
9 *ment Act (Public Law 109–435).*

10                    *UNITED STATES TAX COURT*  
11                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

12            *For necessary expenses, including contract reporting*  
13 *and other services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109,*  
14 *\$51,515,000, of which \$1,000,000 shall remain available*  
15 *until expended: Provided, That travel expenses of the judges*  
16 *shall be paid upon the written certificate of the judge.*

17                    *TITLE VI*  
18                    *GENERAL PROVISIONS—THIS ACT*

19            *SEC. 601. None of the funds in this Act shall be used*  
20 *for the planning or execution of any program to pay the*  
21 *expenses of, or otherwise compensate, non-Federal parties*  
22 *intervening in regulatory or adjudicatory proceedings fund-*  
23 *ed in this Act.*

24            *SEC. 602. None of the funds appropriated in this Act*  
25 *shall remain available for obligation beyond the current fis-*

1 *cal year, nor may any be transferred to other appropria-*  
2 *tions, unless expressly so provided herein.*

3       *SEC. 603. The expenditure of any appropriation under*  
4 *this Act for any consulting service through procurement*  
5 *contract pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109, shall be limited to those*  
6 *contracts where such expenditures are a matter of public*  
7 *record and available for public inspection, except where oth-*  
8 *erwise provided under existing law, or under existing Exec-*  
9 *utive order issued pursuant to existing law.*

10       *SEC. 604. None of the funds made available in this*  
11 *Act may be transferred to any department, agency, or in-*  
12 *strumentality of the United States Government, except pur-*  
13 *suant to a transfer made by, or transfer authority provided*  
14 *in, this Act or any other appropriations Act.*

15       *SEC. 605. None of the funds made available by this*  
16 *Act shall be available for any activity or for paying the*  
17 *salary of any Government employee where funding an ac-*  
18 *tivity or paying a salary to a Government employee would*  
19 *result in a decision, determination, rule, regulation, or pol-*  
20 *icy that would prohibit the enforcement of section 307 of*  
21 *the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1307).*

22       *SEC. 606. No funds appropriated pursuant to this Act*  
23 *may be expended by an entity unless the entity agrees that*  
24 *in expending the assistance the entity will comply with*  
25 *chapter 83 of title 41, United States Code.*

1        *SEC. 607. No funds appropriated or otherwise made*  
2 *available under this Act shall be made available to any per-*  
3 *son or entity that has been convicted of violating chapter*  
4 *83 of title 41, United States Code.*

5        *SEC. 608. Except as otherwise provided in this Act,*  
6 *none of the funds provided in this Act, provided by previous*  
7 *appropriations Acts to the agencies or entities funded in*  
8 *this Act that remain available for obligation or expenditure*  
9 *in fiscal year 2019, or provided from any accounts in the*  
10 *Treasury derived by the collection of fees and available to*  
11 *the agencies funded by this Act, shall be available for obliga-*  
12 *tion or expenditure through a reprogramming of funds that:*  
13 *(1) creates a new program; (2) eliminates a program,*  
14 *project, or activity; (3) increases funds or personnel for any*  
15 *program, project, or activity for which funds have been de-*  
16 *nied or restricted by the Congress; (4) proposes to use funds*  
17 *directed for a specific activity by the Committee on Appro-*  
18 *priations of either the House of Representatives or the Sen-*  
19 *ate for a different purpose; (5) augments existing programs,*  
20 *projects, or activities in excess of \$5,000,000 or 10 percent,*  
21 *whichever is less; (6) reduces existing programs, projects,*  
22 *or activities by \$5,000,000 or 10 percent, whichever is less;*  
23 *or (7) creates or reorganizes offices, programs, or activities*  
24 *unless prior approval is received from the Committees on*  
25 *Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*

1 *Senate: Provided, That prior to any significant reorganiza-*  
2 *tion or restructuring of offices, programs, or activities, each*  
3 *agency or entity funded in this Act shall consult with the*  
4 *Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-*  
5 *tives and the Senate: Provided further, That not later than*  
6 *60 days after the date of enactment of this Act, each agency*  
7 *funded by this Act shall submit a report to the Committees*  
8 *on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
9 *Senate to establish the baseline for application of re-*  
10 *programming and transfer authorities for the current fiscal*  
11 *year: Provided further, That at a minimum the report shall*  
12 *include: (1) a table for each appropriation with a separate*  
13 *column to display the President's budget request, adjust-*  
14 *ments made by Congress, adjustments due to enacted rescis-*  
15 *sions, if appropriate, and the fiscal year enacted level; (2)*  
16 *a delineation in the table for each appropriation both by*  
17 *object class and program, project, and activity as detailed*  
18 *in the budget appendix for the respective appropriation;*  
19 *and (3) an identification of items of special congressional*  
20 *interest: Provided further, That the amount appropriated*  
21 *or limited for salaries and expenses for an agency shall be*  
22 *reduced by \$100,000 per day for each day after the required*  
23 *date that the report has not been submitted to the Congress.*

24 *SEC. 609. Except as otherwise specifically provided by*  
25 *law, not to exceed 50 percent of unobligated balances re-*

1 *maintaining available at the end of fiscal year 2019 from ap-*  
2 *propriations made available for salaries and expenses for*  
3 *fiscal year 2019 in this Act, shall remain available through*  
4 *September 30, 2020, for each such account for the purposes*  
5 *authorized: Provided, That a request shall be submitted to*  
6 *the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Rep-*  
7 *resentatives and the Senate for approval prior to the ex-*  
8 *penditure of such funds: Provided further, That these re-*  
9 *quests shall be made in compliance with reprogramming*  
10 *guidelines.*

11 *SEC. 610. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
12 *Act may be used by the Executive Office of the President*  
13 *to request—*

14 *(1) any official background investigation report*  
15 *on any individual from the Federal Bureau of Inves-*  
16 *tigation; or*

17 *(2) a determination with respect to the treatment*  
18 *of an organization as described in section 501(c) of*  
19 *the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from*  
20 *taxation under section 501(a) of such Code from the*  
21 *Department of the Treasury or the Internal Revenue*  
22 *Service.*

23 *(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply—*

24 *(1) in the case of an official background inves-*  
25 *tigation report, if such individual has given express*



1        *written consent for such request not more than 6*  
2        *months prior to the date of such request and during*  
3        *the same presidential administration; or*

4                *(2) if such request is required due to extraor-*  
5        *dinary circumstances involving national security.*

6        *SEC. 611. The cost accounting standards promulgated*  
7        *under chapter 15 of title 41, United States Code shall not*  
8        *apply with respect to a contract under the Federal Employ-*  
9        *ees Health Benefits Program established under chapter 89*  
10        *of title 5, United States Code.*

11        *SEC. 612. For the purpose of resolving litigation and*  
12        *implementing any settlement agreements regarding the non-*  
13        *foreign area cost-of-living allowance program, the Office of*  
14        *Personnel Management may accept and utilize (without re-*  
15        *gard to any restriction on unanticipated travel expenses*  
16        *imposed in an Appropriations Act) funds made available*  
17        *to the Office of Personnel Management pursuant to court*  
18        *approval.*

19        *SEC. 613. No funds appropriated by this Act shall be*  
20        *available to pay for an abortion, or the administrative ex-*  
21        *penses in connection with any health plan under the Fed-*  
22        *eral employees health benefits program which provides any*  
23        *benefits or coverage for abortions.*

24        *SEC. 614. The provision of section 613 shall not apply*  
25        *where the life of the mother would be endangered if the fetus*

1 *were carried to term, or the pregnancy is the result of an*  
2 *act of rape or incest.*

3       *SEC. 615. In order to promote Government access to*  
4 *commercial information technology, the restriction on pur-*  
5 *chasing nondomestic articles, materials, and supplies set*  
6 *forth in chapter 83 of title 41, United States Code (popu-*  
7 *larly known as the Buy American Act), shall not apply to*  
8 *the acquisition by the Federal Government of information*  
9 *technology (as defined in section 11101 of title 40, United*  
10 *States Code), that is a commercial item (as defined in sec-*  
11 *tion 103 of title 41, United States Code).*

12       *SEC. 616. Notwithstanding section 1353 of title 31,*  
13 *United States Code, no officer or employee of any regulatory*  
14 *agency or commission funded by this Act may accept on*  
15 *behalf of that agency, nor may such agency or commission*  
16 *accept, payment or reimbursement from a non-Federal enti-*  
17 *ty for travel, subsistence, or related expenses for the purpose*  
18 *of enabling an officer or employee to attend and participate*  
19 *in any meeting or similar function relating to the official*  
20 *duties of the officer or employee when the entity offering*  
21 *payment or reimbursement is a person or entity subject to*  
22 *regulation by such agency or commission, or represents a*  
23 *person or entity subject to regulation by such agency or*  
24 *commission, unless the person or entity is an organization*  
25 *described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code*

1 of 1986 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of such  
2 Code.

3       *SEC. 617. Notwithstanding section 708 of this Act,*  
4 *funds made available to the Commodity Futures Trading*  
5 *Commission and the Securities and Exchange Commission*  
6 *by this or any other Act may be used for the interagency*  
7 *funding and sponsorship of a joint advisory committee to*  
8 *advise on emerging regulatory issues.*

9       *SEC. 618. (a)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision*  
10 *of law, an Executive agency covered by this Act otherwise*  
11 *authorized to enter into contracts for either leases or the*  
12 *construction or alteration of real property for office, meet-*  
13 *ing, storage, or other space must consult with the General*  
14 *Services Administration before issuing a solicitation for of-*  
15 *fers of new leases or construction contracts, and in the case*  
16 *of succeeding leases, before entering into negotiations with*  
17 *the current lessor.*

18       *(2) Any such agency with authority to enter into an*  
19 *emergency lease may do so during any period declared by*  
20 *the President to require emergency leasing authority with*  
21 *respect to such agency.*

22       *(b) For purposes of this section, the term “Executive*  
23 *agency covered by this Act” means any Executive agency*  
24 *provided funds by this Act, but does not include the General*

1 *Services Administration or the United States Postal Serv-*  
2 *ice.*

3       *SEC. 619. (a) There are appropriated for the following*  
4 *activities the amounts required under current law:*

5           *(1) Compensation of the President (3 U.S.C.*  
6 *102).*

7           *(2) Payments to—*

8               *(A) the Judicial Officers' Retirement Fund*  
9 *(28 U.S.C. 377(o));*

10               *(B) the Judicial Survivors' Annuities Fund*  
11 *(28 U.S.C. 376(c)); and*

12               *(C) the United States Court of Federal*  
13 *Claims Judges' Retirement Fund (28 U.S.C.*  
14 *178(l)).*

15           *(3) Payment of Government contributions—*

16               *(A) with respect to the health benefits of re-*  
17 *tired employees, as authorized by chapter 89 of*  
18 *title 5, United States Code, and the Retired Fed-*  
19 *eral Employees Health Benefits Act (74 Stat.*  
20 *849); and*

21               *(B) with respect to the life insurance bene-*  
22 *fits for employees retiring after December 31,*  
23 *1989 (5 U.S.C. ch. 87).*

24           *(4) Payment to finance the unfunded liability of*  
25 *new and increased annuity benefits under the Civil*

1     *Service Retirement and Disability Fund (5 U.S.C.*  
2     *8348).*

3             *(5) Payment of annuities authorized to be paid*  
4     *from the Civil Service Retirement and Disability*  
5     *Fund by statutory provisions other than subchapter*  
6     *III of chapter 83 or chapter 84 of title 5, United*  
7     *States Code.*

8             *(b) Nothing in this section may be construed to exempt*  
9     *any amount appropriated by this section from any other-*  
10    *wise applicable limitation on the use of funds contained in*  
11    *this Act.*

12            *SEC. 620. In addition to amounts made available in*  
13    *prior fiscal years, the Public Company Accounting Over-*  
14    *sight Board (Board) shall have authority to obligate funds*  
15    *for the scholarship program established by section 109(c)(2)*  
16    *of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (Public Law 107–204)*  
17    *in an aggregate amount not exceeding the amount of funds*  
18    *collected by the Board between January 1, 2018 and Decem-*  
19    *ber 31, 2018, including accrued interest, as a result of the*  
20    *assessment of monetary penalties. Funds available for obli-*  
21    *gation in fiscal year 2019 shall remain available until ex-*  
22    *pended.*

23            *SEC. 621. None of the funds made available in this*  
24    *Act may be used by the Federal Trade Commission to com-*  
25    *plete the draft report entitled “Interagency Working Group*

1 *on Food Marketed to Children: Preliminary Proposed Nu-*  
2 *trition Principles to Guide Industry Self-Regulatory Ef-*  
3 *forts” unless the Interagency Working Group on Food Mar-*  
4 *keted to Children complies with Executive Order No. 13563.*

5       *SEC. 622. None of the funds in this Act may be used*  
6 *for the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to*  
7 *award a contract, enter an extension of, or exercise an op-*  
8 *tion on a contract to a contractor conducting the final qual-*  
9 *ity review processes for background investigation fieldwork*  
10 *services or background investigation support services that,*  
11 *as of the date of the award of the contract, are being con-*  
12 *ducted by that contractor.*

13       *SEC. 623. (a) The head of each executive branch agency*  
14 *funded by this Act shall ensure that the Chief Information*  
15 *Officer of the agency has the authority to participate in*  
16 *decisions regarding the budget planning process related to*  
17 *information technology.*

18       *(b) Amounts appropriated for any executive branch*  
19 *agency funded by this Act that are available for informa-*  
20 *tion technology shall be allocated within the agency, con-*  
21 *sistent with the provisions of appropriations Acts and budg-*  
22 *et guidelines and recommendations from the Director of the*  
23 *Office of Management and Budget, in such manner as speci-*  
24 *fied by, or approved by, the Chief Information Officer of*

1 *the agency in consultation with the Chief Financial Officer*  
2 *of the agency and budget officials.*

3 *SEC. 624. None of the funds made available in this*  
4 *Act may be used in contravention of chapter 29, 31, or 33*  
5 *of title 44, United States Code.*

6 *SEC. 625. None of the funds made available in this*  
7 *Act may be used by a governmental entity to require the*  
8 *disclosure by a provider of electronic communication service*  
9 *to the public or remote computing service of the contents*  
10 *of a wire or electronic communication that is in electronic*  
11 *storage with the provider (as such terms are defined in sec-*  
12 *tions 2510 and 2711 of title 18, United States Code) in*  
13 *a manner that violates the Fourth Amendment to the Con-*  
14 *stitution of the United States.*

15 *SEC. 626. None of the funds appropriated by this Act*  
16 *may be used by the Federal Communications Commission*  
17 *to modify, amend, or change the rules or regulations of the*  
18 *Commission for universal service high-cost support for com-*  
19 *petitive eligible telecommunications carriers in a way that*  
20 *is inconsistent with paragraph (e)(5) or (e)(6) of section*  
21 *54.307 of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, as in effect*  
22 *on July 15, 2015: Provided, That this section shall not pro-*  
23 *hibit the Commission from considering, developing, or*  
24 *adopting other support mechanisms as an alternative to*  
25 *Mobility Fund Phase II.*

1        *SEC. 627. No funds provided in this Act shall be used*  
2 *to deny an Inspector General funded under this Act timely*  
3 *access to any records, documents, or other materials avail-*  
4 *able to the department or agency over which that Inspector*  
5 *General has responsibilities under the Inspector General Act*  
6 *of 1978, or to prevent or impede that Inspector General's*  
7 *access to such records, documents, or other materials, under*  
8 *any provision of law, except a provision of law that ex-*  
9 *pressly refers to the Inspector General and expressly limits*  
10 *the Inspector General's right of access. A department or*  
11 *agency covered by this section shall provide its Inspector*  
12 *General with access to all such records, documents, and*  
13 *other materials in a timely manner. Each Inspector Gen-*  
14 *eral shall ensure compliance with statutory limitations on*  
15 *disclosure relevant to the information provided by the estab-*  
16 *lishment over which that Inspector General has responsibil-*  
17 *ities under the Inspector General Act of 1978. Each Inspec-*  
18 *tor General covered by this section shall report to the Com-*  
19 *mittees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives*  
20 *and the Senate within 5 calendar days any failures to com-*  
21 *ply with this requirement.*

22        *SEC. 628. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
23 *Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer net-*  
24 *work unless such network blocks the viewing, downloading,*  
25 *and exchanging of pornography.*



1       **(b)** *Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of*  
2 *funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law*  
3 *enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-*  
4 *nal investigations, prosecution, adjudication activities, or*  
5 *other law enforcement- or victim assistance-related activity.*

6       **SEC. 629.** *None of the funds made available by this*  
7 *Act shall be used by the Securities and Exchange Commis-*  
8 *sion to finalize, issue, or implement any rule, regulation,*  
9 *or order regarding the disclosure of political contributions,*  
10 *contributions to tax exempt organizations, or dues paid to*  
11 *trade associations.*

12       **SEC. 630.** *None of the funds appropriated or other-wise*  
13 *made available by this Act may be used to pay award or*  
14 *incentive fees for contractors whose performance has been*  
15 *judged to be below satisfactory, behind schedule, over budget,*  
16 *or has failed to meet the basic requirements of a contract,*  
17 *unless the Agency determines that any such deviations are*  
18 *due to unforeseeable events, government-driven scope*  
19 *changes, or are not significant within the overall scope of*  
20 *the project and/or program and unless such awards or in-*  
21 *centive fees are consistent with 16.401(e)(2) of the FAR.*

22       **SEC. 631.** *(a) None of the funds made available under*  
23 *this Act may be used to pay for travel and conference activi-*  
24 *ties that result in a total cost to an Executive branch de-*  
25 *partment, agency, board or commission of more than*

1 \$500,000 at any single conference unless the head of the Ex-  
2 ecutive branch department, agency, board, or commission  
3 determines that such attendance is in the national interest  
4 and advance notice is transmitted to the Committees on Ap-  
5 propriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate  
6 that includes the basis of that determination.

7 (b) None of the funds made available under this Act  
8 may be used to pay for the travel to or attendance of more  
9 than 50 employees, who are stationed in the United States,  
10 at any single conference occurring outside the United States  
11 unless the head of the Executive branch department, agency,  
12 board, or commission determines that such attendance is  
13 in the national interest and advance notice is transmitted  
14 to the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Rep-  
15 resentatives and the Senate that includes the basis of that  
16 determination.

17 SEC. 632. (a) None of the funds appropriated or other-  
18 wise made available under this Act may be used by depart-  
19 ments and agencies funded in this Act to acquire tele-  
20 communications equipment produced by Huawei Tech-  
21 nologies Company, ZTE Corporation or a high-impact or  
22 moderate-impact information system, as defined for secu-  
23 rity categorization in the National Institute of Standards  
24 and Technology's (NIST) Federal Information Processing  
25 Standard Publication 199, "Standards for Security Cat-

1 egorization of Federal Information and Information Sys-  
2 tems” unless the agency has—

3           (1) reviewed the supply chain risk for the infor-  
4 mation systems against criteria developed by NIST to  
5 inform acquisition decisions for high-impact and  
6 moderate-impact information systems within the Fed-  
7 eral Government;

8           (2) reviewed the supply chain risk from the pre-  
9 sumptive awardee against available and relevant  
10 threat information provided by the Federal Bureau of  
11 Investigation and other appropriate agencies; and

12           (3) in consultation with the Federal Bureau of  
13 Investigation or other appropriate Federal entity,  
14 conducted an assessment of any risk of cyber-espio-  
15 nage or sabotage associated with the acquisition of  
16 such system, including any risk associated with such  
17 system being produced, manufactured, or assembled  
18 by one or more entities identified by the United  
19 States Government as posing a cyber threat, includ-  
20 ing but not limited to, those that may be owned, di-  
21 rected, or subsidized by the People’s Republic of  
22 China, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic  
23 People’s Republic of Korea, or the Russian Federa-  
24 tion.

1       **(b)** *None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made*  
2 *available under this Act may be used to acquire a high-*  
3 *impact or moderate impact information system reviewed*  
4 *and assessed under subsection (a) unless the head of the as-*  
5 *sessing entity described in subsection (a) has—*

6           **(1)** *developed, in consultation with NIST and*  
7 *supply chain risk management experts, a mitigation*  
8 *strategy for any identified risks;*

9           **(2)** *determined, in consultation with NIST and*  
10 *the Federal Bureau of Investigation, that the acquisi-*  
11 *tion of such system is in the vital national security*  
12 *interest of the United States; and*

13           **(3)** *reported that determination to the Commit-*  
14 *tees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-*  
15 *tives and the Senate in a manner that identifies the*  
16 *system intended for acquisition and a detailed de-*  
17 *scription of the mitigation strategies identified in (1),*  
18 *provided that such report may include a classified*  
19 *annex as necessary.*

20       **SEC. 633.** *None of the funds made available by this*  
21 *Act shall be used for airline accommodations for any officer*  
22 *(as defined in section 2104 of title 5, United States Code)*  
23 *or employee (as defined in section 2105 of title 5, United*  
24 *States Code) in the executive branch that are not coach-*  
25 *class accommodations (which term is defined, for purposes*

1 *of this section, as the basic class of accommodation by air-*  
2 *lines that is normally the lowest fare offered regardless of*  
3 *airline terminology used, and (as referred to by airlines)*  
4 *may include tourist class or economy class, as well as single*  
5 *class when the airline offers only one class of accommoda-*  
6 *tions to all travelers), unless such accommodations are con-*  
7 *sistent with section 301–10.123 of title 41, Code of Federal*  
8 *Regulations (as in effect on the date of enactment of this*  
9 *Act) and, with respect to subsection (a)(3) and (b)(2) of*  
10 *such section, written authorization is provided by the head*  
11 *of the agency (or, if the accommodations are for the head*  
12 *of the agency, by the Inspector General of the agency).*

13 *SEC. 634. The Comptroller General of the United*  
14 *States, in consultation with relevant regulators, shall con-*  
15 *duct a study that—*

16 *(1) examines the financial impact of the mineral*  
17 *pyrrhotite in concrete home foundations; and*

18 *(2) provides recommendations on regulatory and*  
19 *legislative actions needed to help mitigate the finan-*  
20 *cial impact described in paragraph (1) on banks,*  
21 *mortgage lenders, tax revenues, and homeowners.*

## TITLE VII

## GENERAL PROVISIONS—GOVERNMENT-WIDE

## DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES, AND CORPORATIONS

## (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

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5     *SEC. 701. No department, agency, or instrumentality*  
6 *of the United States receiving appropriated funds under*  
7 *this or any other Act for fiscal year 2019 shall obligate or*  
8 *expend any such funds, unless such department, agency, or*  
9 *instrumentality has in place, and will continue to admin-*  
10 *ister in good faith, a written policy designed to ensure that*  
11 *all of its workplaces are free from the illegal use, possession,*  
12 *or distribution of controlled substances (as defined in the*  
13 *Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 802)) by the officers*  
14 *and employees of such department, agency, or instrumen-*  
15 *tality.*

16     *SEC. 702. Unless otherwise specifically provided, the*  
17 *maximum amount allowable during the current fiscal year*  
18 *in accordance with subsection 1343(c) of title 31, United*  
19 *States Code, for the purchase of any passenger motor vehicle*  
20 *(exclusive of buses, ambulances, law enforcement vehicles,*  
21 *protective vehicles, and undercover surveillance vehicles), is*  
22 *hereby fixed at \$19,947 except station wagons for which the*  
23 *maximum shall be \$19,997: Provided, That these limits*  
24 *may be exceeded by not to exceed \$7,250 for police-type vehi-*  
25 *cles: Provided further, That the limits set forth in this sec-*

1 tion may not be exceeded by more than 5 percent for electric  
2 or hybrid vehicles purchased for demonstration under the  
3 provisions of the Electric and Hybrid Vehicle Research, De-  
4 velopment, and Demonstration Act of 1976: Provided fur-  
5 ther, That the limits set forth in this section may be exceed-  
6 ed by the incremental cost of clean alternative fuels vehicles  
7 acquired pursuant to Public Law 101–549 over the cost of  
8 comparable conventionally fueled vehicles: Provided further,  
9 That the limits set forth in this section shall not apply to  
10 any vehicle that is a commercial item and which operates  
11 on alternative fuel, including but not limited to electric,  
12 plug-in hybrid electric, and hydrogen fuel cell vehicles.

13       *SEC. 703. Appropriations of the executive departments*  
14 *and independent establishments for the current fiscal year*  
15 *available for expenses of travel, or for the expenses of the*  
16 *activity concerned, are hereby made available for quarters*  
17 *allowances and cost-of-living allowances, in accordance*  
18 *with 5 U.S.C. 5922–5924.*

19       *SEC. 704. Unless otherwise specified in law during the*  
20 *current fiscal year, no part of any appropriation contained*  
21 *in this or any other Act shall be used to pay the compensa-*  
22 *tion of any officer or employee of the Government of the*  
23 *United States (including any agency the majority of the*  
24 *stock of which is owned by the Government of the United*  
25 *States) whose post of duty is in the continental United*

1 *States unless such person: (1) is a citizen of the United*  
2 *States; (2) is a person who is lawfully admitted for perma-*  
3 *nent residence and is seeking citizenship as outlined in 8*  
4 *U.S.C. 1324b(a)(3)(B); (3) is a person who is admitted as*  
5 *a refugee under 8 U.S.C. 1157 or is granted asylum under*  
6 *8 U.S.C. 1158 and has filed a declaration of intention to*  
7 *become a lawful permanent resident and then a citizen*  
8 *when eligible; or (4) is a person who owes allegiance to the*  
9 *United States: Provided, That for purposes of this section,*  
10 *affidavits signed by any such person shall be considered*  
11 *prima facie evidence that the requirements of this section*  
12 *with respect to his or her status are being complied with:*  
13 *Provided further, That for purposes of subsections (2) and*  
14 *(3) such affidavits shall be submitted prior to employment*  
15 *and updated thereafter as necessary: Provided further, That*  
16 *any person making a false affidavit shall be guilty of a*  
17 *felony, and upon conviction, shall be fined no more than*  
18 *\$4,000 or imprisoned for not more than 1 year, or both:*  
19 *Provided further, That the above penal clause shall be in*  
20 *addition to, and not in substitution for, any other provi-*  
21 *sions of existing law: Provided further, That any payment*  
22 *made to any officer or employee contrary to the provisions*  
23 *of this section shall be recoverable in action by the Federal*  
24 *Government: Provided further, That this section shall not*  
25 *apply to any person who is an officer or employee of the*



1 *Government of the United States on the date of enactment*  
2 *of this Act, or to international broadcasters employed by*  
3 *the Broadcasting Board of Governors, or to temporary em-*  
4 *ployment of translators, or to temporary employment in the*  
5 *field service (not to exceed 60 days) as a result of emer-*  
6 *gencies: Provided further, That this section does not apply*  
7 *to the employment as Wildland firefighters for not more*  
8 *than 120 days of nonresident aliens employed by the De-*  
9 *partment of the Interior or the USDA Forest Service pursu-*  
10 *ant to an agreement with another country.*

11       *SEC. 705. Appropriations available to any department*  
12 *or agency during the current fiscal year for necessary ex-*  
13 *penses, including maintenance or operating expenses, shall*  
14 *also be available for payment to the General Services Ad-*  
15 *ministration for charges for space and services and those*  
16 *expenses of renovation and alteration of buildings and fa-*  
17 *cilities which constitute public improvements performed in*  
18 *accordance with the Public Buildings Act of 1959 (73 Stat.*  
19 *479), the Public Buildings Amendments of 1972 (86 Stat.*  
20 *216), or other applicable law.*

21       *SEC. 706. In addition to funds provided in this or any*  
22 *other Act, all Federal agencies are authorized to receive and*  
23 *use funds resulting from the sale of materials, including*  
24 *Federal records disposed of pursuant to a records schedule*  
25 *recovered through recycling or waste prevention programs.*

1 *Such funds shall be available until expended for the fol-*  
2 *lowing purposes:*

3           (1) *Acquisition, waste reduction and prevention,*  
4 *and recycling programs as described in Executive*  
5 *Order No. 13693 (March 19, 2015), including any*  
6 *such programs adopted prior to the effective date of*  
7 *the Executive order.*

8           (2) *Other Federal agency environmental manage-*  
9 *ment programs, including, but not limited to, the de-*  
10 *velopment and implementation of hazardous waste*  
11 *management and pollution prevention programs.*

12           (3) *Other employee programs as authorized by*  
13 *law or as deemed appropriate by the head of the Fed-*  
14 *eral agency.*

15       *SEC. 707. Funds made available by this or any other*  
16 *Act for administrative expenses in the current fiscal year*  
17 *of the corporations and agencies subject to chapter 91 of*  
18 *title 31, United States Code, shall be available, in addition*  
19 *to objects for which such funds are otherwise available, for*  
20 *rent in the District of Columbia; services in accordance*  
21 *with 5 U.S.C. 3109; and the objects specified under this*  
22 *head, all the provisions of which shall be applicable to the*  
23 *expenditure of such funds unless otherwise specified in the*  
24 *Act by which they are made available: Provided, That in*  
25 *the event any functions budgeted as administrative expenses*

1 *are subsequently transferred to or paid from other funds,*  
2 *the limitations on administrative expenses shall be cor-*  
3 *respondingly reduced.*

4       *SEC. 708. No part of any appropriation contained in*  
5 *this or any other Act shall be available for interagency fi-*  
6 *nancing of boards (except Federal Executive Boards), com-*  
7 *missions, councils, committees, or similar groups (whether*  
8 *or not they are interagency entities) which do not have a*  
9 *prior and specific statutory approval to receive financial*  
10 *support from more than one agency or instrumentality.*

11       *SEC. 709. None of the funds made available pursuant*  
12 *to the provisions of this or any other Act shall be used to*  
13 *implement, administer, or enforce any regulation which has*  
14 *been disapproved pursuant to a joint resolution duly adopt-*  
15 *ed in accordance with the applicable law of the United*  
16 *States.*

17       *SEC. 710. During the period in which the head of any*  
18 *department or agency, or any other officer or civilian em-*  
19 *ployee of the Federal Government appointed by the Presi-*  
20 *dent of the United States, holds office, no funds may be obli-*  
21 *gated or expended in excess of \$5,000 to furnish or redeco-*  
22 *rate the office of such department head, agency head, officer,*  
23 *or employee, or to purchase furniture or make improve-*  
24 *ments for any such office, unless advance notice of such fur-*  
25 *nishing or redecoration is transmitted to the Committees*

1 *on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
2 *Senate. For the purposes of this section, the term “office”*  
3 *shall include the entire suite of offices assigned to the indi-*  
4 *vidual, as well as any other space used primarily by the*  
5 *individual or the use of which is directly controlled by the*  
6 *individual.*

7       *SEC. 711. Notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 1346, or section*  
8 *708 of this Act, funds made available for the current fiscal*  
9 *year by this or any other Act shall be available for the inter-*  
10 *agency funding of national security and emergency pre-*  
11 *paredness telecommunications initiatives which benefit*  
12 *multiple Federal departments, agencies, or entities, as pro-*  
13 *vided by Executive Order No. 13618 (July 6, 2012).*

14       *SEC. 712. (a) None of the funds made available by this*  
15 *or any other Act may be obligated or expended by any de-*  
16 *partment, agency, or other instrumentality of the Federal*  
17 *Government to pay the salaries or expenses of any indi-*  
18 *vidual appointed to a position of a confidential or policy-*  
19 *determining character that is excepted from the competitive*  
20 *service under section 3302 of title 5, United States Code,*  
21 *(pursuant to schedule C of subpart C of part 213 of title*  
22 *5 of the Code of Federal Regulations) unless the head of*  
23 *the applicable department, agency, or other instrumentality*  
24 *employing such schedule C individual certifies to the Direc-*  
25 *tor of the Office of Personnel Management that the schedule*

1 *C position occupied by the individual was not created solely*  
2 *or primarily in order to detail the individual to the White*  
3 *House.*

4 *(b) The provisions of this section shall not apply to*  
5 *Federal employees or members of the armed forces detailed*  
6 *to or from an element of the intelligence community (as*  
7 *that term is defined under section 3(4) of the National Secu-*  
8 *rity Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4))).*

9 *SEC. 713. No part of any appropriation contained in*  
10 *this or any other Act shall be available for the payment*  
11 *of the salary of any officer or employee of the Federal Gov-*  
12 *ernment, who—*

13 *(1) prohibits or prevents, or attempts or threat-*  
14 *ens to prohibit or prevent, any other officer or em-*  
15 *ployee of the Federal Government from having any*  
16 *direct oral or written communication or contact with*  
17 *any Member, committee, or subcommittee of the Con-*  
18 *gress in connection with any matter pertaining to the*  
19 *employment of such other officer or employee or per-*  
20 *taining to the department or agency of such other of-*  
21 *ficer or employee in any way, irrespective of whether*  
22 *such communication or contact is at the initiative of*  
23 *such other officer or employee or in response to the re-*  
24 *quest or inquiry of such Member, committee, or sub-*  
25 *committee; or*

1           (2) *removes, suspends from duty without pay,*  
2           *demotes, reduces in rank, seniority, status, pay, or*  
3           *performance or efficiency rating, denies promotion to,*  
4           *relocates, reassigns, transfers, disciplines, or discrimi-*  
5           *nates in regard to any employment right, entitlement,*  
6           *or benefit, or any term or condition of employment of,*  
7           *any other officer or employee of the Federal Govern-*  
8           *ment, or attempts or threatens to commit any of the*  
9           *foregoing actions with respect to such other officer or*  
10          *employee, by reason of any communication or contact*  
11          *of such other officer or employee with any Member,*  
12          *committee, or subcommittee of the Congress as de-*  
13          *scribed in paragraph (1).*

14          *SEC. 714. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
15          *or any other Act may be obligated or expended for any em-*  
16          *ployee training that—*

17                 *(1) does not meet identified needs for knowledge,*  
18                 *skills, and abilities bearing directly upon the perform-*  
19                 *ance of official duties;*

20                 *(2) contains elements likely to induce high levels*  
21                 *of emotional response or psychological stress in some*  
22                 *participants;*

23                 *(3) does not require prior employee notification*  
24                 *of the content and methods to be used in the training*  
25                 *and written end of course evaluation;*

1           (4) contains any methods or content associated  
2           with religious or quasi-religious belief systems or  
3           “new age” belief systems as defined in Equal Employ-  
4           ment Opportunity Commission Notice N-915.022,  
5           dated September 2, 1988; or

6           (5) is offensive to, or designed to change, partici-  
7           pants’ personal values or lifestyle outside the work-  
8           place.

9           (b) Nothing in this section shall prohibit, restrict, or  
10          otherwise preclude an agency from conducting training  
11          bearing directly upon the performance of official duties.

12          SEC. 715. No part of any funds appropriated in this  
13          or any other Act shall be used by an agency of the executive  
14          branch, other than for normal and recognized executive-leg-  
15          islative relationships, for publicity or propaganda pur-  
16          poses, and for the preparation, distribution or use of any  
17          kit, pamphlet, booklet, publication, radio, television, or film  
18          presentation designed to support or defeat legislation pend-  
19          ing before the Congress, except in presentation to the Con-  
20          gress itself.

21          SEC. 716. None of the funds appropriated by this or  
22          any other Act may be used by an agency to provide a Fed-  
23          eral employee’s home address to any labor organization ex-  
24          cept when the employee has authorized such disclosure or

1 *when such disclosure has been ordered by a court of com-*  
2 *petent jurisdiction.*

3       *SEC. 717. None of the funds made available in this*  
4 *or any other Act may be used to provide any non-public*  
5 *information such as mailing, telephone or electronic mail-*  
6 *ing lists to any person or any organization outside of the*  
7 *Federal Government without the approval of the Commit-*  
8 *tees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and*  
9 *the Senate.*

10       *SEC. 718. No part of any appropriation contained in*  
11 *this or any other Act shall be used directly or indirectly,*  
12 *including by private contractor, for publicity or propa-*  
13 *ganda purposes within the United States not heretofore au-*  
14 *thorized by Congress.*

15       *SEC. 719. (a) In this section, the term “agency”—*

16             *(1) means an Executive agency, as defined under*  
17             *5 U.S.C. 105; and*

18             *(2) includes a military department, as defined*  
19             *under section 102 of such title, the United States*  
20             *Postal Service, and the Postal Regulatory Commis-*  
21             *sion.*

22       *(b) Unless authorized in accordance with law or regu-*  
23 *lations to use such time for other purposes, an employee*  
24 *of an agency shall use official time in an honest effort to*  
25 *perform official duties. An employee not under a leave sys-*



1 *tem, including a Presidential appointee exempted under 5*  
2 *U.S.C. 6301(2), has an obligation to expend an honest effort*  
3 *and a reasonable proportion of such employee's time in the*  
4 *performance of official duties.*

5 *SEC. 720. Notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 1346 and section*  
6 *708 of this Act, funds made available for the current fiscal*  
7 *year by this or any other Act to any department or agency,*  
8 *which is a member of the Federal Accounting Standards*  
9 *Advisory Board (FASAB), shall be available to finance an*  
10 *appropriate share of FASAB administrative costs.*

11 *SEC. 721. Notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 1346 and section*  
12 *708 of this Act, the head of each Executive department and*  
13 *agency is hereby authorized to transfer to or reimburse*  
14 *“General Services Administration, Government-wide Pol-*  
15 *icy” with the approval of the Director of the Office of Man-*  
16 *agement and Budget, funds made available for the current*  
17 *fiscal year by this or any other Act, including rebates from*  
18 *charge card and other contracts: Provided, That these funds*  
19 *shall be administered by the Administrator of General Serv-*  
20 *ices to support Government-wide and other multi-agency fi-*  
21 *nancial, information technology, procurement, and other*  
22 *management innovations, initiatives, and activities, in-*  
23 *cluding improving coordination and reducing duplication,*  
24 *as approved by the Director of the Office of Management*  
25 *and Budget, in consultation with the appropriate inter-*

1 agency and multi-agency groups designated by the Director  
2 (including the President’s Management Council for overall  
3 management improvement initiatives, the Chief Financial  
4 Officers Council for financial management initiatives, the  
5 Chief Information Officers Council for information tech-  
6 nology initiatives, the Chief Human Capital Officers Coun-  
7 cil for human capital initiatives, the Chief Acquisition Offi-  
8 cers Council for procurement initiatives, and the Perform-  
9 ance Improvement Council for performance improvement  
10 initiatives): Provided further, That the total funds trans-  
11 ferred or reimbursed shall not exceed \$15,000,000 to im-  
12 prove coordination, reduce duplication, and for other ac-  
13 tivities related to Federal Government Priority Goals estab-  
14 lished by 31 U.S.C. 1120, and not to exceed \$17,000,000  
15 for Government-Wide innovations, initiatives, and activi-  
16 ties: Provided further, That the funds transferred to or for  
17 reimbursement of “General Services Administration, Gov-  
18 ernment-wide Policy” during fiscal year 2019 shall remain  
19 available for obligation through September 30, 2020: Pro-  
20 vided further, That such transfers or reimbursements may  
21 only be made after 15 days following notification of the  
22 Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-  
23 tives and the Senate by the Director of the Office of Manage-  
24 ment and Budget.

1       *SEC. 722. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
2 *a woman may breastfeed her child at any location in a*  
3 *Federal building or on Federal property, if the woman and*  
4 *her child are otherwise authorized to be present at the loca-*  
5 *tion.*

6       *SEC. 723. Notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 1346, or section*  
7 *708 of this Act, funds made available for the current fiscal*  
8 *year by this or any other Act shall be available for the inter-*  
9 *agency funding of specific projects, workshops, studies, and*  
10 *similar efforts to carry out the purposes of the National*  
11 *Science and Technology Council (authorized by Executive*  
12 *Order No. 12881), which benefit multiple Federal depart-*  
13 *ments, agencies, or entities: Provided, That the Office of*  
14 *Management and Budget shall provide a report describing*  
15 *the budget of and resources connected with the National*  
16 *Science and Technology Council to the Committees on Ap-*  
17 *propriations, the House Committee on Science and Tech-*  
18 *nology, and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science,*  
19 *and Transportation 90 days after enactment of this Act.*

20       *SEC. 724. Any request for proposals, solicitation, grant*  
21 *application, form, notification, press release, or other publi-*  
22 *cations involving the distribution of Federal funds shall*  
23 *comply with any relevant requirements in part 200 of title*  
24 *2, Code of Federal Regulations: Provided, That this section*

1 *shall apply to direct payments, formula funds, and grants*  
2 *received by a State receiving Federal funds.*

3       *SEC. 725. (a) PROHIBITION OF FEDERAL AGENCY*  
4 *MONITORING OF INDIVIDUALS' INTERNET USE.—None of*  
5 *the funds made available in this or any other Act may be*  
6 *used by any Federal agency—*

7           *(1) to collect, review, or create any aggregation*  
8 *of data, derived from any means, that includes any*  
9 *personally identifiable information relating to an in-*  
10 *dividual's access to or use of any Federal Government*  
11 *Internet site of the agency; or*

12           *(2) to enter into any agreement with a third*  
13 *party (including another government agency) to col-*  
14 *lect, review, or obtain any aggregation of data, de-*  
15 *rived from any means, that includes any personally*  
16 *identifiable information relating to an individual's*  
17 *access to or use of any nongovernmental Internet site.*

18       *(b) EXCEPTIONS.—The limitations established in sub-*  
19 *section (a) shall not apply to—*

20           *(1) any record of aggregate data that does not*  
21 *identify particular persons;*

22           *(2) any voluntary submission of personally iden-*  
23 *tifiable information;*

1           (3) any action taken for law enforcement, regu-  
2           latory, or supervisory purposes, in accordance with  
3           applicable law; or

4           (4) any action described in subsection (a)(1) that  
5           is a system security action taken by the operator of  
6           an Internet site and is necessarily incident to pro-  
7           viding the Internet site services or to protecting the  
8           rights or property of the provider of the Internet site.

9           (c) *DEFINITIONS.*—For the purposes of this section:

10           (1) The term “regulatory” means agency actions  
11           to implement, interpret or enforce authorities pro-  
12           vided in law.

13           (2) The term “supervisory” means examinations  
14           of the agency’s supervised institutions, including as-  
15           sessing safety and soundness, overall financial condi-  
16           tion, management practices and policies and compli-  
17           ance with applicable standards as provided in law.

18           SEC. 726. (a) None of the funds appropriated by this  
19           Act may be used to enter into or renew a contract which  
20           includes a provision providing prescription drug coverage,  
21           except where the contract also includes a provision for con-  
22           traceptive coverage.

23           (b) Nothing in this section shall apply to a contract  
24           with—

25           (1) any of the following religious plans:

1                   (A) *Personal Care’s HMO; and*

2                   (B) *OSF HealthPlans, Inc.; and*

3                   (2) *any existing or future plan, if the carrier for*  
4                   *the plan objects to such coverage on the basis of reli-*  
5                   *gious beliefs.*

6                   (c) *In implementing this section, any plan that enters*  
7                   *into or renews a contract under this section may not subject*  
8                   *any individual to discrimination on the basis that the indi-*  
9                   *vidual refuses to prescribe or otherwise provide for contra-*  
10                   *ceptives because such activities would be contrary to the in-*  
11                   *dividual’s religious beliefs or moral convictions.*

12                   (d) *Nothing in this section shall be construed to require*  
13                   *coverage of abortion or abortion-related services.*

14                   SEC. 727. *The United States is committed to ensuring*  
15                   *the health of its Olympic, Pan American, and Paralympic*  
16                   *athletes, and supports the strict adherence to anti-doping*  
17                   *in sport through testing, adjudication, education, and re-*  
18                   *search as performed by nationally recognized oversight au-*  
19                   *thorities.*

20                   SEC. 728. *Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
21                   *funds appropriated for official travel to Federal depart-*  
22                   *ments and agencies may be used by such departments and*  
23                   *agencies, if consistent with Office of Management and*  
24                   *Budget Circular A–126 regarding official travel for Govern-*

1 *ment personnel, to participate in the fractional aircraft*  
2 *ownership pilot program.*

3       *SEC. 729. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
4 *none of the funds appropriated or made available under*  
5 *this or any other appropriations Act may be used to imple-*  
6 *ment or enforce restrictions or limitations on the Coast*  
7 *Guard Congressional Fellowship Program, or to implement*  
8 *the proposed regulations of the Office of Personnel Manage-*  
9 *ment to add sections 300.311 through 300.316 to part 300*  
10 *of title 5 of the Code of Federal Regulations, published in*  
11 *the Federal Register, volume 68, number 174, on September*  
12 *9, 2003 (relating to the detail of executive branch employees*  
13 *to the legislative branch).*

14       *SEC. 730. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
15 *no executive branch agency shall purchase, construct, or*  
16 *lease any additional facilities, except within or contiguous*  
17 *to existing locations, to be used for the purpose of con-*  
18 *ducting Federal law enforcement training without the ad-*  
19 *vance approval of the Committees on Appropriations of the*  
20 *House of Representatives and the Senate, except that the*  
21 *Federal Law Enforcement Training Center is authorized to*  
22 *obtain the temporary use of additional facilities by lease,*  
23 *contract, or other agreement for training which cannot be*  
24 *accommodated in existing Center facilities.*

1       *SEC. 731. Unless otherwise authorized by existing law,*  
2 *none of the funds provided in this or any other Act may*  
3 *be used by an executive branch agency to produce any pre-*  
4 *packaged news story intended for broadcast or distribution*  
5 *in the United States, unless the story includes a clear notifi-*  
6 *cation within the text or audio of the prepackaged news*  
7 *story that the prepackaged news story was prepared or*  
8 *funded by that executive branch agency.*

9       *SEC. 732. None of the funds made available in this*  
10 *Act may be used in contravention of section 552a of title*  
11 *5, United States Code (popularly known as the Privacy*  
12 *Act), and regulations implementing that section.*

13       *SEC. 733. (a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds appro-*  
14 *priated or otherwise made available by this or any other*  
15 *Act may be used for any Federal Government contract with*  
16 *any foreign incorporated entity which is treated as an in-*  
17 *verted domestic corporation under section 835(b) of the*  
18 *Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 395(b)) or any*  
19 *subsidiary of such an entity.*

20       *(b) WAIVERS.—*

21             *(1) IN GENERAL.—Any Secretary shall waive*  
22 *subsection (a) with respect to any Federal Govern-*  
23 *ment contract under the authority of such Secretary*  
24 *if the Secretary determines that the waiver is required*  
25 *in the interest of national security.*



1           (2) *REPORT TO CONGRESS.*—Any Secretary  
2           issuing a waiver under paragraph (1) shall report  
3           such issuance to Congress.

4           (c) *EXCEPTION.*—This section shall not apply to any  
5           Federal Government contract entered into before the date  
6           of the enactment of this Act, or to any task order issued  
7           pursuant to such contract.

8           *SEC. 734. During fiscal year 2019, for each employee*  
9           *who—*

10           (1) *retires under section 8336(d)(2) or*  
11           *8414(b)(1)(B) of title 5, United States Code; or*

12           (2) *retires under any other provision of sub-*  
13           *chapter III of chapter 83 or chapter 84 of such title*  
14           *5 and receives a payment as an incentive to separate,*  
15           *the separating agency shall remit to the Civil Service*  
16           *Retirement and Disability Fund an amount equal to*  
17           *the Office of Personnel Management’s average unit*  
18           *cost of processing a retirement claim for the preceding*  
19           *fiscal year. Such amounts shall be available until ex-*  
20           *pended to the Office of Personnel Management and*  
21           *shall be deemed to be an administrative expense*  
22           *under section 8348(a)(1)(B) of title 5, United States*  
23           *Code.*

24           *SEC. 735. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
25           *or any other Act may be used to recommend or require any*

1 *entity submitting an offer for a Federal contract to disclose*  
2 *any of the following information as a condition of submit-*  
3 *ting the offer:*

4           (1) *Any payment consisting of a contribution,*  
5 *expenditure, independent expenditure, or disburse-*  
6 *ment for an electioneering communication that is*  
7 *made by the entity, its officers or directors, or any of*  
8 *its affiliates or subsidiaries to a candidate for election*  
9 *for Federal office or to a political committee, or that*  
10 *is otherwise made with respect to any election for*  
11 *Federal office.*

12           (2) *Any disbursement of funds (other than a*  
13 *payment described in paragraph (1)) made by the en-*  
14 *tity, its officers or directors, or any of its affiliates or*  
15 *subsidiaries to any person with the intent or the rea-*  
16 *sonable expectation that the person will use the funds*  
17 *to make a payment described in paragraph (1).*

18           (b) *In this section, each of the terms “contribution”,*  
19 *“expenditure”, “independent expenditure”, “electioneering*  
20 *communication”, “candidate”, “election”, and “Federal of-*  
21 *fice” has the meaning given such term in the Federal Elec-*  
22 *tion Campaign Act of 1971 (52 U.S.C. 30101 et seq.).*

23           SEC. 736. *None of the funds made available in this*  
24 *or any other Act may be used to pay for the painting of*  
25 *a portrait of an officer or employee of the Federal govern-*

1 *ment, including the President, the Vice President, a member*  
2 *of Congress (including a Delegate or a Resident Commis-*  
3 *sioner to Congress), the head of an executive branch agency*  
4 *(as defined in section 133 of title 41, United States Code),*  
5 *or the head of an office of the legislative branch.*

6       *SEC. 737. (a)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision*  
7 *of law, and except as otherwise provided in this section,*  
8 *no part of any of the funds appropriated for fiscal year*  
9 *2019, by this or any other Act, may be used to pay any*  
10 *prevailing rate employee described in section 5342(a)(2)(A)*  
11 *of title 5, United States Code—*

12           *(A) during the period from the date of expiration*  
13 *of the limitation imposed by the comparable section*  
14 *for the previous fiscal years until the normal effective*  
15 *date of the applicable wage survey adjustment that is*  
16 *to take effect in fiscal year 2019, in an amount that*  
17 *exceeds the rate payable for the applicable grade and*  
18 *step of the applicable wage schedule in accordance*  
19 *with such section; and*

20           *(B) during the period consisting of the remain-*  
21 *der of fiscal year 2019, in an amount that exceeds,*  
22 *as a result of a wage survey adjustment, the rate pay-*  
23 *able under subparagraph (A) by more than the sum*  
24 *of—*

1           (i) the percentage adjustment taking effect  
2           in fiscal year 2019 under section 5303 of title 5,  
3           United States Code, in the rates of pay under the  
4           General Schedule; and

5           (ii) the difference between the overall aver-  
6           age percentage of the locality-based com-  
7           parability payments taking effect in fiscal year  
8           2019 under section 5304 of such title (whether by  
9           adjustment or otherwise), and the overall average  
10          percentage of such payments which was effective  
11          in the previous fiscal year under such section.

12          (2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no  
13          prevailing rate employee described in subparagraph (B) or  
14          (C) of section 5342(a)(2) of title 5, United States Code, and  
15          no employee covered by section 5348 of such title, may be  
16          paid during the periods for which paragraph (1) is in effect  
17          at a rate that exceeds the rates that would be payable under  
18          paragraph (1) were paragraph (1) applicable to such em-  
19          ployee.

20          (3) For the purposes of this subsection, the rates pay-  
21          able to an employee who is covered by this subsection and  
22          who is paid from a schedule not in existence on September  
23          30, 2018, shall be determined under regulations prescribed  
24          by the Office of Personnel Management.

1       (4) *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rates*  
2 *of premium pay for employees subject to this subsection*  
3 *may not be changed from the rates in effect on September*  
4 *30, 2018, except to the extent determined by the Office of*  
5 *Personnel Management to be consistent with the purpose of*  
6 *this subsection.*

7       (5) *This subsection shall apply with respect to pay for*  
8 *service performed after September 30, 2018.*

9       (6) *For the purpose of administering any provision*  
10 *of law (including any rule or regulation that provides pre-*  
11 *mium pay, retirement, life insurance, or any other em-*  
12 *ployee benefit) that requires any deduction or contribution,*  
13 *or that imposes any requirement or limitation on the basis*  
14 *of a rate of salary or basic pay, the rate of salary or basic*  
15 *pay payable after the application of this subsection shall*  
16 *be treated as the rate of salary or basic pay.*

17       (7) *Nothing in this subsection shall be considered to*  
18 *permit or require the payment to any employee covered by*  
19 *this subsection at a rate in excess of the rate that would*  
20 *be payable were this subsection not in effect.*

21       (8) *The Office of Personnel Management may provide*  
22 *for exceptions to the limitations imposed by this subsection*  
23 *if the Office determines that such exceptions are necessary*  
24 *to ensure the recruitment or retention of qualified employ-*  
25 *ees.*

1       **(b)** *Notwithstanding subsection (a), the adjustment in*  
2 *rates of basic pay for the statutory pay systems that take*  
3 *place in fiscal year 2019 under sections 5344 and 5348 of*  
4 *title 5, United States Code, shall be—*

5           **(1)** *not less than the percentage received by em-*  
6 *ployees in the same location whose rates of basic pay*  
7 *are adjusted pursuant to the statutory pay systems*  
8 *under sections 5303 and 5304 of title 5, United States*  
9 *Code: Provided, That prevailing rate employees at lo-*  
10 *cations where there are no employees whose pay is in-*  
11 *creased pursuant to sections 5303 and 5304 of title 5,*  
12 *United States Code, and prevailing rate employees de-*  
13 *scribed in section 5343(a)(5) of title 5, United States*  
14 *Code, shall be considered to be located in the pay lo-*  
15 *cality designated as “Rest of United States” pursuant*  
16 *to section 5304 of title 5, United States Code, for pur-*  
17 *poses of this subsection; and*

18           **(2)** *effective as of the first day of the first appli-*  
19 *cable pay period beginning after September 30, 2018.*

20       **SEC. 738. (a)** *The Vice President may not receive a*  
21 *pay raise in calendar year 2019, notwithstanding the rate*  
22 *adjustment made under section 104 of title 3, United States*  
23 *Code, or any other provision of law.*

24       **(b)** *An employee serving in an Executive Schedule po-*  
25 *sition, or in a position for which the rate of pay is fixed*

1 *by statute at an Executive Schedule rate, may not receive*  
2 *a pay rate increase in calendar year 2019, notwithstanding*  
3 *schedule adjustments made under section 5318 of title 5,*  
4 *United States Code, or any other provision of law, except*  
5 *as provided in subsection (g), (h), or (i). This subsection*  
6 *applies only to employees who are holding a position under*  
7 *a political appointment.*

8 *(c) A chief of mission or ambassador at large may not*  
9 *receive a pay rate increase in calendar year 2019, notwith-*  
10 *standing section 401 of the Foreign Service Act of 1980*  
11 *(Public Law 96–465) or any other provision of law, except*  
12 *as provided in subsection (g), (h), or (i).*

13 *(d) Notwithstanding sections 5382 and 5383 of title*  
14 *5, United States Code, a pay rate increase may not be re-*  
15 *ceived in calendar year 2019 (except as provided in sub-*  
16 *section (g), (h), or (i)) by—*

17 *(1) a noncareer appointee in the Senior Execu-*  
18 *tive Service paid a rate of basic pay at or above level*  
19 *IV of the Executive Schedule; or*

20 *(2) a limited term appointee or limited emer-*  
21 *gency appointee in the Senior Executive Service serv-*  
22 *ing under a political appointment and paid a rate of*  
23 *basic pay at or above level IV of the Executive Sched-*  
24 *ule.*

1       (e) Any employee paid a rate of basic pay (including  
2 any locality-based payments under section 5304 of title 5,  
3 United States Code, or similar authority) at or above level  
4 IV of the Executive Schedule who serves under a political  
5 appointment may not receive a pay rate increase in cal-  
6 endar year 2019, notwithstanding any other provision of  
7 law, except as provided in subsection (g), (h), or (i). This  
8 subsection does not apply to employees in the General  
9 Schedule pay system or the Foreign Service pay system, or  
10 to employees appointed under section 3161 of title 5, United  
11 States Code, or to employees in another pay system whose  
12 position would be classified at GS-15 or below if chapter  
13 51 of title 5, United States Code, applied to them.

14       (f) Nothing in subsections (b) through (e) shall prevent  
15 employees who do not serve under a political appointment  
16 from receiving pay increases as otherwise provided under  
17 applicable law.

18       (g) A career appointee in the Senior Executive Service  
19 who receives a Presidential appointment and who makes  
20 an election to retain Senior Executive Service basic pay  
21 entitlements under section 3392 of title 5, United States  
22 Code, is not subject to this section.

23       (h) A member of the Senior Foreign Service who re-  
24 ceives a Presidential appointment to any position in the  
25 executive branch and who makes an election to retain Sen-



1 *ior Foreign Service pay entitlements under section 302(b)*  
2 *of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (Public Law 96–465)*  
3 *is not subject to this section.*

4 *(i) Notwithstanding subsections (b) through (e), an em-*  
5 *ployee in a covered position may receive a pay rate increase*  
6 *upon an authorized movement to a different covered posi-*  
7 *tion with higher-level duties and a pre-established higher*  
8 *level or range of pay, except that any such increase must*  
9 *be based on the rates of pay and applicable pay limitations*  
10 *in effect on December 31, 2013.*

11 *(j) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for an*  
12 *individual who is newly appointed to a covered position*  
13 *during the period of time subject to this section, the initial*  
14 *pay rate shall be based on the rates of pay and applicable*  
15 *pay limitations in effect on December 31, 2013.*

16 *(k) If an employee affected by subsections (b) through*  
17 *(e) is subject to a biweekly pay period that begins in cal-*  
18 *endar year 2019 but ends in calendar year 2020, the bar*  
19 *on the employee’s receipt of pay rate increases shall apply*  
20 *through the end of that pay period.*

21 *SEC. 739. (a) The head of any Executive branch de-*  
22 *partment, agency, board, commission, or office funded by*  
23 *this or any other appropriations Act shall submit annual*  
24 *reports to the Inspector General or senior ethics official for*  
25 *any entity without an Inspector General, regarding the*

1 *costs and contracting procedures related to each conference*  
2 *held by any such department, agency, board, commission,*  
3 *or office during fiscal year 2019 for which the cost to the*  
4 *United States Government was more than \$100,000.*

5 *(b) Each report submitted shall include, for each con-*  
6 *ference described in subsection (a) held during the applica-*  
7 *ble period—*

8 *(1) a description of its purpose;*

9 *(2) the number of participants attending;*

10 *(3) a detailed statement of the costs to the United*  
11 *States Government, including—*

12 *(A) the cost of any food or beverages;*

13 *(B) the cost of any audio-visual services;*

14 *(C) the cost of employee or contractor travel*  
15 *to and from the conference; and*

16 *(D) a discussion of the methodology used to*  
17 *determine which costs relate to the conference;*  
18 *and*

19 *(4) a description of the contracting procedures*  
20 *used including—*

21 *(A) whether contracts were awarded on a*  
22 *competitive basis; and*

23 *(B) a discussion of any cost comparison*  
24 *conducted by the departmental component or of-*

1           *office in evaluating potential contractors for the*  
2           *conference.*

3           *(c) Within 15 days after the end of a quarter, the head*  
4           *of any such department, agency, board, commission, or of-*  
5           *office shall notify the Inspector General or senior ethics offi-*  
6           *cial for any entity without an Inspector General, of the*  
7           *date, location, and number of employees attending a con-*  
8           *ference held by any Executive branch department, agency,*  
9           *board, commission, or office funded by this or any other*  
10           *appropriations Act during fiscal year 2019 for which the*  
11           *cost to the United States Government was more than*  
12           *\$20,000.*

13           *(d) A grant or contract funded by amounts appro-*  
14           *priated by this or any other appropriations Act may not*  
15           *be used for the purpose of defraying the costs of a conference*  
16           *described in subsection (c) that is not directly and program-*  
17           *matically related to the purpose for which the grant or con-*  
18           *tract was awarded, such as a conference held in connection*  
19           *with planning, training, assessment, review, or other rou-*  
20           *tine purposes related to a project funded by the grant or*  
21           *contract.*

22           *(e) None of the funds made available in this or any*  
23           *other appropriations Act may be used for travel and con-*  
24           *ference activities that are not in compliance with Office of*  
25           *Management and Budget Memorandum M-12-12 dated*

1 *May 11, 2012 or any subsequent revisions to that memo-*  
2 *randum.*

3       *SEC. 740. None of the funds made available in this*  
4 *or any other appropriations Act may be used to increase,*  
5 *eliminate, or reduce funding for a program, project, or ac-*  
6 *tivity as proposed in the President’s budget request for a*  
7 *fiscal year until such proposed change is subsequently en-*  
8 *acted in an appropriation Act, or unless such change is*  
9 *made pursuant to the reprogramming or transfer provisions*  
10 *of this or any other appropriations Act.*

11       *SEC. 741. None of the funds made available by this*  
12 *or any other Act may be used to implement, administer,*  
13 *enforce, or apply the rule entitled “Competitive Area” pub-*  
14 *lished by the Office of Personnel Management in the Federal*  
15 *Register on April 15, 2008 (73 Fed. Reg. 20180 et seq.).*

16       *SEC. 742. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
17 *made available by this or any other Act may be used to*  
18 *begin or announce a study or public-private competition*  
19 *regarding the conversion to contractor performance of any*  
20 *function performed by Federal employees pursuant to Office*  
21 *of Management and Budget Circular A–76 or any other ad-*  
22 *ministrative regulation, directive, or policy.*

23       *SEC. 743. (a) None of the funds appropriated or other-*  
24 *wise made available by this or any other Act may be avail-*  
25 *able for a contract, grant, or cooperative agreement with*

1 *an entity that requires employees or contractors of such en-*  
2 *tity seeking to report fraud, waste, or abuse to sign internal*  
3 *confidentiality agreements or statements prohibiting or oth-*  
4 *erwise restricting such employees or contractors from law-*  
5 *fully reporting such waste, fraud, or abuse to a designated*  
6 *investigative or law enforcement representative of a Federal*  
7 *department or agency authorized to receive such informa-*  
8 *tion.*

9       **(b)** *The limitation in subsection (a) shall not con-*  
10 *travene requirements applicable to Standard Form 312,*  
11 *Form 4414, or any other form issued by a Federal depart-*  
12 *ment or agency governing the nondisclosure of classified in-*  
13 *formation.*

14       **SEC. 744.** *(a) No funds appropriated in this or any*  
15 *other Act may be used to implement or enforce the agree-*  
16 *ments in Standard Forms 312 and 4414 of the Government*  
17 *or any other nondisclosure policy, form, or agreement if*  
18 *such policy, form, or agreement does not contain the fol-*  
19 *lowing provisions: “These provisions are consistent with*  
20 *and do not supersede, conflict with, or otherwise alter the*  
21 *employee obligations, rights, or liabilities created by exist-*  
22 *ing statute or Executive order relating to (1) classified in-*  
23 *formation, (2) communications to Congress, (3) the report-*  
24 *ing to an Inspector General of a violation of any law, rule,*  
25 *or regulation, or mismanagement, a gross waste of funds,*

1 *an abuse of authority, or a substantial and specific danger*  
2 *to public health or safety, or (4) any other whistleblower*  
3 *protection. The definitions, requirements, obligations,*  
4 *rights, sanctions, and liabilities created by controlling Ex-*  
5 *ecutive orders and statutory provisions are incorporated*  
6 *into this agreement and are controlling.”: Provided, That*  
7 *notwithstanding the preceding provision of this section, a*  
8 *nondisclosure policy form or agreement that is to be exe-*  
9 *cuted by a person connected with the conduct of an intel-*  
10 *ligence or intelligence-related activity, other than an em-*  
11 *ployee or officer of the United States Government, may con-*  
12 *tain provisions appropriate to the particular activity for*  
13 *which such document is to be used. Such form or agreement*  
14 *shall, at a minimum, require that the person will not dis-*  
15 *close any classified information received in the course of*  
16 *such activity unless specifically authorized to do so by the*  
17 *United States Government. Such nondisclosure forms shall*  
18 *also make it clear that they do not bar disclosures to Con-*  
19 *gress, or to an authorized official of an executive agency*  
20 *or the Department of Justice, that are essential to reporting*  
21 *a substantial violation of law.*

22 *(b) A nondisclosure agreement may continue to be im-*  
23 *plemented and enforced notwithstanding subsection (a) if*  
24 *it complies with the requirements for such agreement that*  
25 *were in effect when the agreement was entered into.*

1       (c) *No funds appropriated in this or any other Act*  
2 *may be used to implement or enforce any agreement entered*  
3 *into during fiscal year 2014 which does not contain sub-*  
4 *stantially similar language to that required in subsection*  
5 *(a).*

6       SEC. 745. *None of the funds made available by this*  
7 *or any other Act may be used to enter into a contract,*  
8 *memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement*  
9 *with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee*  
10 *to, any corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liabil-*  
11 *ity that has been assessed, for which all judicial and admin-*  
12 *istrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and*  
13 *that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an*  
14 *agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the*  
15 *tax liability, where the awarding agency is aware of the*  
16 *unpaid tax liability, unless a Federal agency has considered*  
17 *suspension or debarment of the corporation and has made*  
18 *a determination that this further action is not necessary*  
19 *to protect the interests of the Government.*

20       SEC. 746. *None of the funds made available by this*  
21 *or any other Act may be used to enter into a contract,*  
22 *memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement*  
23 *with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee*  
24 *to, any corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal*  
25 *violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24*

1 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the convic-  
2 tion, unless a Federal agency has considered suspension or  
3 debarment of the corporation and has made a determina-  
4 tion that this further action is not necessary to protect the  
5 interests of the Government.

6       SEC. 747. (a) During fiscal year 2019, on the date on  
7 which a request is made for a transfer of funds in accord-  
8 ance with section 1017 of Public Law 111–203, the Bureau  
9 of Consumer Financial Protection shall notify the Commit-  
10 tees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and  
11 the Senate, the Committee on Financial Services of the  
12 House of Representatives, and the Committee on Banking,  
13 Housing, and Urban Affairs of the Senate of such request.

14       (b) Any notification required by this section shall be  
15 made available on the Bureau’s public Web site.

16       SEC. 748. If, for fiscal year 2019, new budget authority  
17 provided in appropriations Acts exceeds the discretionary  
18 spending limit for any category set forth in section 251(c)  
19 of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act  
20 of 1985 due to estimating differences with the Congressional  
21 Budget Office, an adjustment to the discretionary spending  
22 limit in such category for fiscal year 2019 shall be made  
23 by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget  
24 in the amount of the excess but the total of all such adjust-  
25 ments shall not exceed 0.2 percent of the sum of the adjusted



1 *discretionary spending limits for all categories for that fis-*  
2 *cal year.*

3       *SEC. 749. (a) The adjustment in rates of basic pay*  
4 *for employees under the statutory pay systems that takes*  
5 *effect in fiscal year 2019 under section 5303 of title 5,*  
6 *United States Code, shall be an increase of 1.4 percent, and*  
7 *the overall average percentage of the adjustments taking ef-*  
8 *fect in such fiscal year under sections 5304 and 5304a of*  
9 *such title 5 shall be an increase of 0.5 percent (with com-*  
10 *parability payments to be determined and allocated among*  
11 *pay localities by the President). All adjustments under this*  
12 *subsection shall be effective as of the first day of the first*  
13 *applicable pay period beginning on or after January 1,*  
14 *2019.*

15       *(b) Notwithstanding section 737, the adjustment in*  
16 *rates of basic pay for the statutory pay systems that take*  
17 *place in fiscal year 2019 under sections 5344 and 5348 of*  
18 *title 5, United States Code, shall be no less than the percent-*  
19 *ages in subsection (a) as employees in the same location*  
20 *whose rates of basic pay are adjusted pursuant to the statu-*  
21 *tory pay systems under section 5303, 5304, and 5304a of*  
22 *title 5, United States Code. Prevailing rate employees at*  
23 *locations where there are no employees whose pay is in-*  
24 *creased pursuant to sections 5303, 5304, and 5304a of such*  
25 *title 5 and prevailing rate employees described in section*

1 5343(a)(5) of such title 5 shall be considered to be located  
2 in the pay locality designated as "Rest of U.S." pursuant  
3 to section 5304 of such title 5 for purposes of this subsection.

4 (c) Funds used to carry out this section shall be paid  
5 from appropriations, which are made to each applicable de-  
6 partment or agency for salaries and expenses for fiscal year  
7 2019.

8 SEC. 750. Except as expressly provided otherwise, any  
9 reference to "this Act" contained in any title other than  
10 title IV or VIII shall not apply to such title IV or VIII.

#### 11 TITLE VIII

#### 12 GENERAL PROVISIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

##### 13 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)

14 SEC. 801. There are appropriated from the applicable  
15 funds of the District of Columbia such sums as may be nec-  
16 essary for making refunds and for the payment of legal set-  
17 tlements or judgments that have been entered against the  
18 District of Columbia government.

19 SEC. 802. None of the Federal funds provided in this  
20 Act shall be used for publicity or propaganda purposes or  
21 implementation of any policy including boycott designed to  
22 support or defeat legislation pending before Congress or any  
23 State legislature.

24 SEC. 803. (a) None of the Federal funds provided  
25 under this Act to the agencies funded by this Act, both Fed-

1 *eral and District government agencies, that remain avail-*  
2 *able for obligation or expenditure in fiscal year 2019, or*  
3 *provided from any accounts in the Treasury of the United*  
4 *States derived by the collection of fees available to the agen-*  
5 *cies funded by this Act, shall be available for obligation or*  
6 *expenditures for an agency through a reprogramming of*  
7 *funds which—*

8           (1) *creates new programs;*

9           (2) *eliminates a program, project, or responsi-*  
10 *bility center;*

11           (3) *establishes or changes allocations specifically*  
12 *denied, limited or increased under this Act;*

13           (4) *increases funds or personnel by any means*  
14 *for any program, project, or responsibility center for*  
15 *which funds have been denied or restricted;*

16           (5) *re-establishes any program or project pre-*  
17 *viously deferred through reprogramming;*

18           (6) *augments any existing program, project, or*  
19 *responsibility center through a reprogramming of*  
20 *funds in excess of \$3,000,000 or 10 percent, whichever*  
21 *is less; or*

22           (7) *increases by 20 percent or more personnel as-*  
23 *signed to a specific program, project or responsibility*  
24 *center,*

1 *unless prior approval is received from the Committees on*  
2 *Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the*  
3 *Senate.*

4 *(b) The District of Columbia government is authorized*  
5 *to approve and execute reprogramming and transfer re-*  
6 *quests of local funds under this title through November 7,*  
7 *2019.*

8 *SEC. 804. None of the Federal funds provided in this*  
9 *Act may be used by the District of Columbia to provide*  
10 *for salaries, expenses, or other costs associated with the of-*  
11 *fices of United States Senator or United States Representa-*  
12 *tive under section 4(d) of the District of Columbia State-*  
13 *hood Constitutional Convention Initiatives of 1979 (D.C.*  
14 *Law 3–171; D.C. Official Code, sec. 1–123).*

15 *SEC. 805. Except as otherwise provided in this section,*  
16 *none of the funds made available by this Act or by any*  
17 *other Act may be used to provide any officer or employee*  
18 *of the District of Columbia with an official vehicle unless*  
19 *the officer or employee uses the vehicle only in the perform-*  
20 *ance of the officer’s or employee’s official duties. For pur-*  
21 *poses of this section, the term “official duties” does not in-*  
22 *clude travel between the officer’s or employee’s residence and*  
23 *workplace, except in the case of—*

24 *(1) an officer or employee of the Metropolitan*  
25 *Police Department who resides in the District of Co-*

1 *lumbia or is otherwise designated by the Chief of the*  
2 *Department;*

3 *(2) at the discretion of the Fire Chief, an officer*  
4 *or employee of the District of Columbia Fire and*  
5 *Emergency Medical Services Department who resides*  
6 *in the District of Columbia and is on call 24 hours*  
7 *a day;*

8 *(3) at the discretion of the Director of the De-*  
9 *partment of Corrections, an officer or employee of the*  
10 *District of Columbia Department of Corrections who*  
11 *resides in the District of Columbia and is on call 24*  
12 *hours a day;*

13 *(4) at the discretion of the Chief Medical Exam-*  
14 *iner, an officer or employee of the Office of the Chief*  
15 *Medical Examiner who resides in the District of Co-*  
16 *lumbia and is on call 24 hours a day;*

17 *(5) at the discretion of the Director of the Home-*  
18 *land Security and Emergency Management Agency,*  
19 *an officer or employee of the Homeland Security and*  
20 *Emergency Management Agency who resides in the*  
21 *District of Columbia and is on call 24 hours a day;*

22 *(6) the Mayor of the District of Columbia; and*

23 *(7) the Chairman of the Council of the District*  
24 *of Columbia.*

1        *SEC. 806. (a) None of the Federal funds contained in*  
2 *this Act may be used by the District of Columbia Attorney*  
3 *General or any other officer or entity of the District govern-*  
4 *ment to provide assistance for any petition drive or civil*  
5 *action which seeks to require Congress to provide for voting*  
6 *representation in Congress for the District of Columbia.*

7        *(b) Nothing in this section bars the District of Colum-*  
8 *bia Attorney General from reviewing or commenting on*  
9 *briefs in private lawsuits, or from consulting with officials*  
10 *of the District government regarding such lawsuits.*

11        *SEC. 807. None of the Federal funds contained in this*  
12 *Act may be used to distribute any needle or syringe for the*  
13 *purpose of preventing the spread of blood borne pathogens*  
14 *in any location that has been determined by the local public*  
15 *health or local law enforcement authorities to be inappro-*  
16 *priate for such distribution.*

17        *SEC. 808. Nothing in this Act may be construed to pre-*  
18 *vent the Council or Mayor of the District of Columbia from*  
19 *addressing the issue of the provision of contraceptive cov-*  
20 *erage by health insurance plans, but it is the intent of Con-*  
21 *gress that any legislation enacted on such issue should in-*  
22 *clude a “conscience clause” which provides exceptions for*  
23 *religious beliefs and moral convictions.*

24        *SEC. 809. (a) None of the Federal funds contained in*  
25 *this Act may be used to enact or carry out any law, rule,*

1 *or regulation to legalize or otherwise reduce penalties asso-*  
2 *ciated with the possession, use, or distribution of any sched-*  
3 *ule I substance under the Controlled Substances Act (21*  
4 *U.S.C. 801 et seq.) or any tetrahydrocannabinols deriva-*  
5 *tive.*

6 (b) *No funds available for obligation or expenditure*  
7 *by the District of Columbia government under any author-*  
8 *ity may be used to enact any law, rule, or regulation to*  
9 *legalize or otherwise reduce penalties associated with the*  
10 *possession, use, or distribution of any schedule I substance*  
11 *under the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 801 et seq.)*  
12 *or any tetrahydrocannabinols derivative for recreational*  
13 *purposes.*

14 *SEC. 810. No funds available for obligation or expendi-*  
15 *ture by the District of Columbia government under any au-*  
16 *thority shall be expended for any abortion except where the*  
17 *life of the mother would be endangered if the fetus were car-*  
18 *ried to term or where the pregnancy is the result of an act*  
19 *of rape or incest.*

20 *SEC. 811. (a) No later than 30 calendar days after*  
21 *the date of the enactment of this Act, the Chief Financial*  
22 *Officer for the District of Columbia shall submit to the ap-*  
23 *propriate committees of Congress, the Mayor, and the Coun-*  
24 *cil of the District of Columbia, a revised appropriated funds*  
25 *operating budget in the format of the budget that the Dis-*

1 *trict of Columbia government submitted pursuant to section*  
2 *442 of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act (D.C. Offi-*  
3 *cial Code, sec. 1–204.42), for all agencies of the District of*  
4 *Columbia government for fiscal year 2019 that is in the*  
5 *total amount of the approved appropriation and that re-*  
6 *aligns all budgeted data for personal services and other-*  
7 *than-personal services, respectively, with anticipated actual*  
8 *expenditures.*

9 *(b) This section shall apply only to an agency for*  
10 *which the Chief Financial Officer for the District of Colum-*  
11 *bia certifies that a reallocation is required to address unan-*  
12 *anticipated changes in program requirements.*

13 *SEC. 812. No later than 30 calendar days after the*  
14 *date of the enactment of this Act, the Chief Financial Offi-*  
15 *cer for the District of Columbia shall submit to the appro-*  
16 *priate committees of Congress, the Mayor, and the Council*  
17 *for the District of Columbia, a revised appropriated funds*  
18 *operating budget for the District of Columbia Public*  
19 *Schools that aligns schools budgets to actual enrollment. The*  
20 *revised appropriated funds budget shall be in the format*  
21 *of the budget that the District of Columbia government sub-*  
22 *mitted pursuant to section 442 of the District of Columbia*  
23 *Home Rule Act (D.C. Official Code, sec. 1–204.42).*

24 *SEC. 813. (a) Amounts appropriated in this Act as*  
25 *operating funds may be transferred to the District of Co-*



1 *lumbia's enterprise and capital funds and such amounts,*  
2 *once transferred, shall retain appropriation authority con-*  
3 *sistent with the provisions of this Act.*

4       *(b) The District of Columbia government is authorized*  
5 *to reprogram or transfer for operating expenses any local*  
6 *funds transferred or reprogrammed in this or the four prior*  
7 *fiscal years from operating funds to capital funds, and such*  
8 *amounts, once transferred or reprogrammed, shall retain*  
9 *appropriation authority consistent with the provisions of*  
10 *this Act.*

11       *(c) The District of Columbia government may not*  
12 *transfer or reprogram for operating expenses any funds de-*  
13 *ived from bonds, notes, or other obligations issued for cap-*  
14 *ital projects.*

15       *SEC. 814. None of the Federal funds appropriated in*  
16 *this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the*  
17 *current fiscal year, nor may any be transferred to other*  
18 *appropriations, unless expressly so provided herein.*

19       *SEC. 815. Except as otherwise specifically provided by*  
20 *law or under this Act, not to exceed 50 percent of unobli-*  
21 *gated balances remaining available at the end of fiscal year*  
22 *2019 from appropriations of Federal funds made available*  
23 *for salaries and expenses for fiscal year 2019 in this Act,*  
24 *shall remain available through September 30, 2020, for each*  
25 *such account for the purposes authorized: Provided, That*

1 *a request shall be submitted to the Committees on Appro-*  
2 *priations of the House of Representatives and the Senate*  
3 *for approval prior to the expenditure of such funds: Pro-*  
4 *vided further, That these requests shall be made in compli-*  
5 *ance with reprogramming guidelines outlined in section*  
6 *803 of this Act.*

7       *SEC. 816. (a)(1) During fiscal year 2020, during a*  
8 *period in which neither a District of Columbia continuing*  
9 *resolution or a regular District of Columbia appropriation*  
10 *bill is in effect, local funds are appropriated in the amount*  
11 *provided for any project or activity for which local funds*  
12 *are provided in the Act referred to in paragraph (2) (subject*  
13 *to any modifications enacted by the District of Columbia*  
14 *as of the beginning of the period during which this sub-*  
15 *section is in effect) at the rate set forth by such Act.*

16       *(2) The Act referred to in this paragraph is the Act*  
17 *of the Council of the District of Columbia pursuant to which*  
18 *a proposed budget is approved for fiscal year 2020 which*  
19 *(subject to the requirements of the District of Columbia*  
20 *Home Rule Act) will constitute the local portion of the an-*  
21 *nual budget for the District of Columbia government for*  
22 *fiscal year 2020 for purposes of section 446 of the District*  
23 *of Columbia Home Rule Act (sec. 1–204.46, D.C. Official*  
24 *Code).*

1       **(b)** *Appropriations made by subsection (a) shall cease*  
2 *to be available—*

3           **(1)** *during any period in which a District of Co-*  
4 *lumbia continuing resolution for fiscal year 2020 is*  
5 *in effect; or*

6           **(2)** *upon the enactment into law of the regular*  
7 *District of Columbia appropriation bill for fiscal year*  
8 *2020.*

9       **(c)** *An appropriation made by subsection (a) is pro-*  
10 *vided under the authority and conditions as provided under*  
11 *this Act and shall be available to the extent and in the man-*  
12 *ner that would be provided by this Act.*

13       **(d)** *An appropriation made by subsection (a) shall*  
14 *cover all obligations or expenditures incurred for such*  
15 *project or activity during the portion of fiscal year 2020*  
16 *for which this section applies to such project or activity.*

17       **(e)** *This section shall not apply to a project or activity*  
18 *during any period of fiscal year 2020 if any other provision*  
19 *of law (other than an authorization of appropriations)—*

20           **(1)** *makes an appropriation, makes funds avail-*  
21 *able, or grants authority for such project or activity*  
22 *to continue for such period; or*

23           **(2)** *specifically provides that no appropriation*  
24 *shall be made, no funds shall be made available, or*

1        *no authority shall be granted for such project or ac-*  
2        *tivity to continue for such period.*

3        *(f) Nothing in this section shall be construed to affect*  
4        *obligations of the government of the District of Columbia*  
5        *mandated by other law.*

6        *SEC. 817. Except as expressly provided otherwise, any*  
7        *reference to “this Act” contained in this title or in title*  
8        *IV shall be treated as referring only to the provisions of*  
9        *this title or of title IV.*

10        *This division may be cited as the “Financial Services*  
11        *and General Government Appropriations Act, 2019”.*

12        ***DIVISION C—AGRICULTURE, RURAL DE-***  
13        ***VELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMIN-***  
14        ***ISTRATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES***  
15        ***APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2019***

16        *That the following sums are appropriated, out of any*  
17        *money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for Ag-*  
18        *riculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administra-*  
19        *tion, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year end-*  
20        *ing September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, namely:*

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*TITLE I*

*AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMS*

*PROCESSING, RESEARCH, AND MARKETING*

*OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY*

*(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

*For necessary expenses of the Office of the Secretary, \$46,532,000, of which not to exceed \$5,051,000 shall be available for the immediate Office of the Secretary; not to exceed \$800,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assistant to the Secretary for Rural Development: Provided, That funds made available by this Act to an agency in the Rural Development mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Office; not to exceed \$1,496,000 shall be available for the Office of Homeland Security; not to exceed \$4,711,000 shall be available for the Office of Partnerships and Public Engagement; not to exceed \$23,105,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration, of which \$22,301,000 shall be available for Departmental Administration to provide for necessary expenses for management support services to offices of the Department and for general administration, security, repairs and alterations, and other miscellaneous supplies and expenses not otherwise provided for and necessary for the practical and efficient work of the Department: Provided*

1 *further, That funds made available by this Act to an agency*  
2 *in the Administration mission area for salaries and ex-*  
3 *penses are available to fund up to one administrative sup-*  
4 *port staff for the Office; not to exceed \$3,869,000 shall be*  
5 *available for the Office of Assistant Secretary for Congres-*  
6 *sional Relations to carry out the programs funded by this*  
7 *Act, including programs involving intergovernmental af-*  
8 *fairs and liaison within the executive branch; and not to*  
9 *exceed \$7,500,000 shall be available for the Office of Com-*  
10 *munications: Provided further, That the Secretary of Agri-*  
11 *culture is authorized to transfer funds appropriated for any*  
12 *office of the Office of the Secretary to any other office of*  
13 *the Office of the Secretary: Provided further, That no appro-*  
14 *priation for any office shall be increased or decreased by*  
15 *more than 5 percent: Provided further, That not to exceed*  
16 *\$11,000 of the amount made available under this para-*  
17 *graph for the immediate Office of the Secretary shall be*  
18 *available for official reception and representation expenses,*  
19 *not otherwise provided for, as determined by the Secretary:*  
20 *Provided further, That the amount made available under*  
21 *this heading for Departmental Administration shall be re-*  
22 *imbursed from applicable appropriations in this Act for*  
23 *travel expenses incident to the holding of hearings as re-*  
24 *quired by 5 U.S.C. 551–558: Provided further, That funds*  
25 *made available under this heading for the Office of the As-*

1 *sistant Secretary for Congressional Relations may be trans-*  
2 *ferred to agencies of the Department of Agriculture funded*  
3 *by this Act to maintain personnel at the agency level: Pro-*  
4 *vided further, That no funds made available under this*  
5 *heading for the Office of Assistant Secretary for Congres-*  
6 *sional Relations may be obligated after 30 days from the*  
7 *date of enactment of this Act, unless the Secretary has noti-*  
8 *fied the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of*  
9 *Congress on the allocation of these funds by USDA agency.*

10 *EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS*

11 *OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ECONOMIST*

12 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief Econo-*  
13 *mist, \$19,786,000, of which \$4,000,000 shall be for grants*  
14 *or cooperative agreements for policy research under 7*  
15 *U.S.C. 3155.*

16 *OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS*

17 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Hearings and*  
18 *Appeals, \$15,222,000.*

19 *OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM ANALYSIS*

20 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Budget and Pro-*  
21 *gram Analysis, \$9,525,000.*

22 *OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER*

23 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief Infor-*  
24 *mation Officer, \$63,950,000, of which not less than*

1 \$38,000,000 is for cybersecurity requirements of the depart-  
2 ment.

3 *OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER*

4 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief Finan-*  
5 *cial Officer, \$6,028,000.*

6 *OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CIVIL*

7 *RIGHTS*

8 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Assistant*  
9 *Secretary for Civil Rights, \$901,000: Provided, That funds*  
10 *made available by this Act to an agency in the Civil Rights*  
11 *mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund*  
12 *up to one administrative support staff for the Office.*

13 *OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS*

14 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Civil Rights,*  
15 *\$24,206,000.*

16 *AGRICULTURE BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES*

17 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

18 *For payment of space rental and related costs pursu-*  
19 *ant to Public Law 92–313, including authorities pursuant*  
20 *to the 1984 delegation of authority from the Administrator*  
21 *of General Services to the Department of Agriculture under*  
22 *40 U.S.C. 121, for programs and activities of the Depart-*  
23 *ment which are included in this Act, and for alterations*  
24 *and other actions needed for the Department and its agen-*  
25 *cies to consolidate unneeded space into configurations suit-*



1 *able for release to the Administrator of General Services,*  
2 *and for the operation, maintenance, improvement, and re-*  
3 *pair of Agriculture buildings and facilities, and for related*  
4 *costs, \$58,330,000, to remain available until expended.*

5 *HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MANAGEMENT*

6 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

7 *For necessary expenses of the Department of Agri-*  
8 *culture, to comply with the Comprehensive Environmental*  
9 *Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.*  
10 *9601 et seq.) and the Resource Conservation and Recovery*  
11 *Act (42 U.S.C. 6901 et seq.), \$3,503,000, to remain avail-*  
12 *able until expended: Provided, That appropriations and*  
13 *funds available herein to the Department for Hazardous*  
14 *Materials Management may be transferred to any agency*  
15 *of the Department for its use in meeting all requirements*  
16 *pursuant to the above Acts on Federal and non-Federal*  
17 *lands.*

18 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

19 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
20 *eral, including employment pursuant to the Inspector Gen-*  
21 *eral Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-452; 5 U.S.C. App.),*  
22 *\$98,208,000, including such sums as may be necessary for*  
23 *contracting and other arrangements with public agencies*  
24 *and private persons pursuant to section 6(a)(9) of the In-*  
25 *spector General Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-452; 5 U.S.C.*

1 *App.), and including not to exceed \$125,000 for certain con-*  
2 *fidential operational expenses, including the payment of in-*  
3 *formants, to be expended under the direction of the Inspec-*  
4 *tor General pursuant to the Inspector General Act of 1978*  
5 *(Public Law 95–452; 5 U.S.C. App.) and section 1337 of*  
6 *the Agriculture and Food Act of 1981 (Public Law 97–98).*

7 *OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL*

8 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the General*  
9 *Counsel, \$45,146,000.*

10 *OFFICE OF ETHICS*

11 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Ethics,*  
12 *\$4,136,000.*

13 *OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RESEARCH,*

14 *EDUCATION, AND ECONOMICS*

15 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Sec-*  
16 *retary for Research, Education, and Economics, \$800,000:*  
17 *Provided, That funds made available by this Act to an*  
18 *agency in the Research, Education, and Economics mission*  
19 *area for salaries and expenses are available to fund up to*  
20 *one administrative support staff for the Office.*

21 *ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE*

22 *For necessary expenses of the Economic Research Serv-*  
23 *ice, \$86,757,000.*

1        *NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE*

2        *For necessary expenses of the National Agricultural*  
3 *Statistics Service, \$174,767,000, of which up to \$45,300,000*  
4 *shall be available until expended for the Census of Agri-*  
5 *culture: Provided, That amounts made available for the*  
6 *Census of Agriculture may be used to conduct Current In-*  
7 *dustrial Report surveys subject to 7 U.S.C. 2204g(d) and*  
8 *(f).*

9                    *AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE*10                    *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

11        *For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Research*  
12 *Service and for acquisition of lands by donation, exchange,*  
13 *or purchase at a nominal cost not to exceed \$100, and for*  
14 *land exchanges where the lands exchanged shall be of equal*  
15 *value or shall be equalized by a payment of money to the*  
16 *grantor which shall not exceed 25 percent of the total value*  
17 *of the land or interests transferred out of Federal ownership,*  
18 *\$1,300,966,000, of which \$10,600,000, to remain available*  
19 *until expended, shall be used to carry out the science pro-*  
20 *gram at the National Bio- and Agro-defense Facility lo-*  
21 *cated in Manhattan, Kansas; of which not less than*  
22 *\$2,000,000 shall be available to carry out the dryland agri-*  
23 *culture research program; and of which not less than*  
24 *\$7,000,000 shall be available for purposes of entering into*  
25 *a management, operations, and research support contract*

1 to expedite the hiring of a capable workforce for the commis-  
2 sioning of the Central Utility Plant and in support of oper-  
3 ations and management of the National Bio- and Agro-de-  
4 fense Facility: Provided, That appropriations hereunder  
5 shall be available for the operation and maintenance of air-  
6 craft and the purchase of not to exceed one for replacement  
7 only: Provided further, That appropriations hereunder shall  
8 be available pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2250 for the construction,  
9 alteration, and repair of buildings and improvements, but  
10 unless otherwise provided, the cost of constructing any one  
11 building shall not exceed \$500,000, except for headhouses  
12 or greenhouses which shall each be limited to \$1,800,000,  
13 except for 10 buildings to be constructed or improved at  
14 a cost not to exceed \$1,100,000 each, and except for two  
15 buildings to be constructed at a cost not to exceed  
16 \$3,000,000 each, and the cost of altering any one building  
17 during the fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent of the cur-  
18 rent replacement value of the building or \$500,000, which-  
19 ever is greater: Provided further, That appropriations here-  
20 under shall be available for entering into lease agreements  
21 at any Agricultural Research Service location for the con-  
22 struction of a research facility by a non-Federal entity for  
23 use by the Agricultural Research Service and a condition  
24 of the lease shall be that any facility shall be owned, oper-  
25 ated, and maintained by the non-Federal entity and shall

1 *be removed upon the expiration or termination of the lease*  
2 *agreement: Provided further, That the limitations on alter-*  
3 *ations contained in this Act shall not apply to moderniza-*  
4 *tion or replacement of existing facilities at Beltsville, Mary-*  
5 *land: Provided further, That appropriations hereunder*  
6 *shall be available for granting easements at the Beltsville*  
7 *Agricultural Research Center: Provided further, That the*  
8 *foregoing limitations shall not apply to replacement of*  
9 *buildings needed to carry out the Act of April 24, 1948 (21*  
10 *U.S.C. 113a): Provided further, That appropriations here-*  
11 *under shall be available for granting easements at any Ag-*  
12 *ricultural Research Service location for the construction of*  
13 *a research facility by a non-Federal entity for use by, and*  
14 *acceptable to, the Agricultural Research Service and a con-*  
15 *dition of the easements shall be that upon completion the*  
16 *facility shall be accepted by the Secretary, subject to the*  
17 *availability of funds herein, if the Secretary finds that ac-*  
18 *ceptance of the facility is in the interest of the United*  
19 *States: Provided further, That funds may be received from*  
20 *any State, other political subdivision, organization, or in-*  
21 *dividual for the purpose of establishing or operating any*  
22 *research facility or research project of the Agricultural Re-*  
23 *search Service, as authorized by law.*

1        *NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE*2                    *RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES*

3        *For payments to agricultural experiment stations, for*  
4 *cooperative forestry and other research, for facilities, and*  
5 *for other expenses, \$898,535,000, which shall be for the pur-*  
6 *poses, and in the amounts, specified in the table titled “Na-*  
7 *tional Institute of Food and Agriculture, Research and*  
8 *Education Activities” in the report accompanying this Act:*  
9 *Provided, That funds for research grants for 1994 institu-*  
10 *tions, education grants for 1890 institutions, capacity*  
11 *building for non-land-grant colleges of agriculture, the agri-*  
12 *culture and food research initiative, veterinary medicine*  
13 *loan repayment, multicultural scholars, graduate fellowship*  
14 *and institution challenge grants, and grants management*  
15 *systems shall remain available until expended: Provided*  
16 *further, That each institution eligible to receive funds under*  
17 *the Evans-Allen program receives no less than \$1,000,000:*  
18 *Provided further, That funds for education grants for Alas-*  
19 *ka Native and Native Hawaiian-serving institutions be*  
20 *made available to individual eligible institutions or con-*  
21 *sortia of eligible institutions with funds awarded equally*  
22 *to each of the States of Alaska and Hawaii: Provided fur-*  
23 *ther, That funds for education grants for 1890 institutions*  
24 *shall be made available to institutions eligible to receive*  
25 *funds under 7 U.S.C. 3221 and 3222: Provided further,*

1 *That not more than 5 percent of the amounts made avail-*  
2 *able by this or any other Act to carry out the Agriculture*  
3 *and Food Research Initiative under 7 U.S.C. 450i(b) may*  
4 *be retained by the Secretary of Agriculture to pay adminis-*  
5 *trative costs incurred by the Secretary in carrying out that*  
6 *authority.*

7 *NATIVE AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS ENDOWMENT FUND*

8 *For the Native American Institutions Endowment*  
9 *Fund authorized by Public Law 103–382 (7 U.S.C. 301*  
10 *note), \$11,880,000, to remain available until expended.*

11 *EXTENSION ACTIVITIES*

12 *For payments to States, the District of Columbia,*  
13 *Puerto Rico, Guam, the Virgin Islands, Micronesia, the*  
14 *Northern Marianas, and American Samoa, \$486,692,000,*  
15 *which shall be for the purposes, and in the amounts, speci-*  
16 *fied in the table titled “National Institute of Food and Agri-*  
17 *culture, Extension Activities” in the report accompanying*  
18 *this Act: Provided, That funds for facility improvements at*  
19 *1890 institutions shall remain available until expended:*  
20 *Provided further, That institutions eligible to receive funds*  
21 *under 7 U.S.C. 3221 for cooperative extension receive no*  
22 *less than \$1,000,000: Provided further, That funds for coop-*  
23 *erative extension under sections 3(b) and (c) of the Smith-*  
24 *Lever Act (7 U.S.C. 343(b) and (c)) and section 208(c) of*

1 *Public Law 93–471 shall be available for retirement and*  
2 *employees’ compensation costs for extension agents.*

3 *INTEGRATED ACTIVITIES*

4 *For the integrated research, education, and extension*  
5 *grants programs, including necessary administrative ex-*  
6 *penses, \$38,000,000, which shall be for the purposes, and*  
7 *in the amounts, specified in the table titled “National Insti-*  
8 *tute of Food and Agriculture, Integrated Activities” in the*  
9 *report accompanying this Act: Provided, That funds for the*  
10 *Food and Agriculture Defense Initiative shall remain avail-*  
11 *able until September 30, 2020: Provided further, That not-*  
12 *withstanding any other provision of law, indirect costs shall*  
13 *not be charged against any Extension Implementation Pro-*  
14 *gram Area grant awarded under the Crop Protection/Pest*  
15 *Management Program (7 U.S.C. 7626).*

16 *OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR MARKETING AND*  
17 *REGULATORY PROGRAMS*

18 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Sec-*  
19 *retary for Marketing and Regulatory Programs, \$901,000:*  
20 *Provided, That funds made available by this Act to an*  
21 *agency in the Marketing and Regulatory Programs mission*  
22 *area for salaries and expenses are available to fund up to*  
23 *one administrative support staff for the Office.*



1     *ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE*2                     *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*3                     *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

4     *For necessary expenses of the Animal and Plant*  
5 *Health Inspection Service, including up to \$30,000 for rep-*  
6 *resentation allowances and for expenses pursuant to the*  
7 *Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4085),*  
8 *\$1,000,493,000, of which \$470,000, to remain available*  
9 *until expended, shall be available for the control of out-*  
10 *breaks of insects, plant diseases, animal diseases and for*  
11 *control of pest animals and birds (“contingency fund”) to*  
12 *the extent necessary to meet emergency conditions; of which*  
13 *\$11,520,000, to remain available until expended, shall be*  
14 *used for the cotton pests program for cost share purposes*  
15 *or for debt retirement for active eradication zones; of which*  
16 *\$37,857,000, to remain available until expended, shall be*  
17 *for Animal Health Technical Services; of which \$705,000*  
18 *shall be for activities under the authority of the Horse Pro-*  
19 *tection Act of 1970, as amended (15 U.S.C. 1831); of which*  
20 *\$62,840,000, to remain available until expended, shall be*  
21 *used to support avian health; of which \$4,251,000, to re-*  
22 *main available until expended, shall be for information*  
23 *technology infrastructure; of which \$178,170,000, to remain*  
24 *available until expended, shall be for specialty crop pests;*  
25 *of which, \$11,826,000, to remain available until expended,*

1 shall be for field crop and rangeland ecosystem pests; of  
2 which \$16,523,000, to remain available until expended,  
3 shall be for zoonotic disease management; of which  
4 \$41,466,000, to remain available until expended, shall be  
5 for emergency preparedness and response; of which  
6 \$60,000,000, to remain available until expended, shall be  
7 for tree and wood pests; of which \$5,725,000, to remain  
8 available until expended, shall be for the National Veteri-  
9 nary Stockpile; of which up to \$1,500,000, to remain avail-  
10 able until expended, shall be for the scrapie program for  
11 indemnities; of which \$2,500,000, to remain available until  
12 expended, shall be for the wildlife damage management pro-  
13 gram for aviation safety: Provided, That of amounts avail-  
14 able under this heading for wildlife services methods devel-  
15 opment, \$1,000,000 shall remain available until expended:  
16 Provided further, That of amounts available under this  
17 heading for the screwworm program, \$4,990,000 shall re-  
18 main available until expended; of which \$13,600,000, to re-  
19 main available until expended, shall be used to carry out  
20 the science program at the National Bio- and Agro-defense  
21 Facility located in Manhattan, Kansas: Provided further,  
22 That no funds shall be used to formulate or administer a  
23 brucellosis eradication program for the current fiscal year  
24 that does not require minimum matching by the States of  
25 at least 40 percent: Provided further, That this appropria-

1 tion shall be available for the operation and maintenance  
2 of aircraft and the purchase of not to exceed five, of which  
3 two shall be for replacement only: Provided further, That  
4 in addition, in emergencies which threaten any segment of  
5 the agricultural production industry of the United States,  
6 the Secretary may transfer from other appropriations or  
7 funds available to the agencies or corporations of the De-  
8 partment such sums as may be deemed necessary, to be  
9 available only in such emergencies for the arrest and eradi-  
10 cation of contagious or infectious disease or pests of ani-  
11 mals, poultry, or plants, and for expenses in accordance  
12 with sections 10411 and 10417 of the Animal Health Pro-  
13 tection Act (7 U.S.C. 8310 and 8316) and sections 431 and  
14 442 of the Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7751 and 7772),  
15 and any unexpended balances of funds transferred for such  
16 emergency purposes in the preceding fiscal year shall be  
17 merged with such transferred amounts: Provided further,  
18 That appropriations hereunder shall be available pursuant  
19 to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the repair and alteration of  
20 leased buildings and improvements, but unless otherwise  
21 provided the cost of altering any one building during the  
22 fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent of the current replace-  
23 ment value of the building.

24 In fiscal year 2019, the agency is authorized to collect  
25 fees to cover the total costs of providing technical assistance,

1 *goods, or services requested by States, other political sub-*  
2 *divisions, domestic and international organizations, foreign*  
3 *governments, or individuals, provided that such fees are*  
4 *structured such that any entity's liability for such fees is*  
5 *reasonably based on the technical assistance, goods, or serv-*  
6 *ices provided to the entity by the agency, and such fees shall*  
7 *be reimbursed to this account, to remain available until ex-*  
8 *pended, without further appropriation, for providing such*  
9 *assistance, goods, or services.*

10 *BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES*

11 *For plans, construction, repair, preventive mainte-*  
12 *nance, environmental support, improvement, extension, al-*  
13 *teration, and purchase of fixed equipment or facilities, as*  
14 *authorized by 7 U.S.C. 2250, and acquisition of land as*  
15 *authorized by 7 U.S.C. 428a, \$3,175,000, to remain avail-*  
16 *able until expended.*

17 *AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE*

18 *MARKETING SERVICES*

19 *For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Marketing*  
20 *Service, \$155,845,000, of which \$4,000,000 shall be avail-*  
21 *able for the purposes of section 12306 of Public Law 113-*  
22 *79; and of which \$7,000,000 shall be available for mar-*  
23 *keting activities authorized under section 204(b) of the Ag-*  
24 *ricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1623(b)) to pro-*  
25 *vide to State departments of agriculture, State cooperative*

1 *extension services, institutions of higher education, and*  
2 *nonprofit organizations grants to carry out programs and*  
3 *provide technical assistance to promote innovation, process*  
4 *improvement, and marketing relating to dairy products:*  
5 *Provided, That this appropriation shall be available pursu-*  
6 *ant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the alteration and repair*  
7 *of buildings and improvements, but the cost of altering any*  
8 *one building during the fiscal year shall not exceed 10 per-*  
9 *cent of the current replacement value of the building.*

10 *Fees may be collected for the cost of standardization*  
11 *activities, as established by regulation pursuant to law (31*  
12 *U.S.C. 9701).*

13 *LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES*

14 *Not to exceed \$60,982,000 (from fees collected) shall be*  
15 *obligated during the current fiscal year for administrative*  
16 *expenses: Provided, That if crop size is understated and/*  
17 *or other uncontrollable events occur, the agency may exceed*  
18 *this limitation by up to 10 percent with notification to the*  
19 *Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.*

20 *FUNDS FOR STRENGTHENING MARKETS, INCOME, AND*

21 *SUPPLY (SECTION 32)*

22 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

23 *Funds available under section 32 of the Act of August*  
24 *24, 1935 (7 U.S.C. 612c), shall be used only for commodity*  
25 *program expenses as authorized therein, and other related*

1 *operating expenses, except for: (1) transfers to the Depart-*  
2 *ment of Commerce as authorized by the Fish and Wildlife*  
3 *Act of 1956 (16 U.S.C. 742a et seq.); (2) transfers otherwise*  
4 *provided in this Act; and (3) not more than \$20,489,000*  
5 *for formulation and administration of marketing agree-*  
6 *ments and orders pursuant to the Agricultural Marketing*  
7 *Agreement Act of 1937 and the Agricultural Act of 1961*  
8 *(Public Law 87-128).*

9 *PAYMENTS TO STATES AND POSSESSIONS*

10 *For payments to departments of agriculture, bureaus*  
11 *and departments of markets, and similar agencies for mar-*  
12 *keting activities under section 204(b) of the Agricultural*  
13 *Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1623(b)), \$1,235,000.*

14 *LIMITATION ON INSPECTION AND WEIGHING SERVICES*

15 *EXPENSES*

16 *Not to exceed \$55,000,000 (from fees collected) shall be*  
17 *obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and*  
18 *weighing services: Provided, That if grain export activities*  
19 *require additional supervision and oversight, or other un-*  
20 *controllable factors occur, this limitation may be exceeded*  
21 *by up to 10 percent with notification to the Committees*  
22 *on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.*

23 *OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD SAFETY*

24 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Sec-*  
25 *retary for Food Safety, \$800,000: Provided, That funds*

1 *made available by this Act to an agency in the Food Safety*  
2 *mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund*  
3 *up to one administrative support staff for the Office.*

4 *FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE*

5 *For necessary expenses to carry out services authorized*  
6 *by the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry Products*  
7 *Inspection Act, and the Egg Products Inspection Act, in-*  
8 *cluding not to exceed \$10,000 for representation allowances*  
9 *and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of the Act approved*  
10 *August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 1766), \$1,049,344,000; and in*  
11 *addition, \$1,000,000 may be credited to this account from*  
12 *fees collected for the cost of laboratory accreditation as au-*  
13 *thorized by section 1327 of the Food, Agriculture, Conserva-*  
14 *tion and Trade Act of 1990 (7 U.S.C. 138f): Provided, That*  
15 *funds provided for the Public Health Data Communication*  
16 *Infrastructure system shall remain available until ex-*  
17 *pende: Provided further, That no fewer than 148 full-time*  
18 *equivalent positions shall be employed during fiscal year*  
19 *2019 for purposes dedicated solely to inspections and en-*  
20 *forcement related to the Humane Methods of Slaughter Act*  
21 *(7 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.): Provided further, That the Food*  
22 *Safety and Inspection Service shall continue implementa-*  
23 *tion of section 11016 of Public Law 110–246 as further*  
24 *clarified by the amendments made in section 12106 of Pub-*  
25 *lic Law 113–79: Provided further, That this appropriation*

1 *shall be available pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the*  
2 *alteration and repair of buildings and improvements, but*  
3 *the cost of altering any one building during the fiscal year*  
4 *shall not exceed 10 percent of the current replacement value*  
5 *of the building.*



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*TITLE II*

*FARM PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION*

*PROGRAMS*

*OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FARM*

*PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION*

*For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Secretary for Farm Production and Conservation, \$901,000: Provided, That funds made available by this Act to an agency in the Farm Production and Conservation mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Office.*

*FARM PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION BUSINESS*

*CENTER*

*For necessary expenses of the Farm Production and Conservation Business Center, \$1,028,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That \$149,000 of amounts appropriated for the current fiscal year pursuant to section 1241(a) of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3841(a)) shall be transferred to and merged with this account.*

*FARM SERVICE AGENCY*

*SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

*(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

*For necessary expenses of the Farm Service Agency, \$1,202,146,000: Provided, That not more than 50 percent*

1 of the \$44,691,000 made available under this heading for  
2 information technology related to farm program delivery,  
3 including the Modernize and Innovate the Delivery of Agri-  
4 cultural Systems and other farm program delivery systems,  
5 may be obligated until the Secretary submits to the Com-  
6 mittees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress, and  
7 receives written or electronic notification of receipt from  
8 such Committees of, a plan for expenditure that (1) identi-  
9 fies for each project/investment over \$25,000 (a) the func-  
10 tional and performance capabilities to be delivered and the  
11 mission benefits to be realized, (b) the estimated lifecycle  
12 cost, including estimates for development as well as mainte-  
13 nance and operations, and (c) key milestones to be met; (2)  
14 demonstrates that each project/investment is, (a) consistent  
15 with the Farm Service Agency Information Technology  
16 Roadmap, (b) being managed in accordance with applicable  
17 lifecycle management policies and guidance, and (c) subject  
18 to the applicable Department's capital planning and invest-  
19 ment control requirements; and (3) has been reviewed by  
20 the Government Accountability Office and approved by the  
21 Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress:  
22 Provided further, That the agency shall submit a report by  
23 the end of the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2019 to the Com-  
24 mittees on Appropriations and the Government Account-  
25 ability Office, that identifies for each project/investment

1 *that is operational (a) current performance against key in-*  
2 *dicators of customer satisfaction, (b) current performance*  
3 *of service level agreements or other technical metrics, (c)*  
4 *current performance against a pre-established cost baseline,*  
5 *(d) a detailed breakdown of current and planned spending*  
6 *on operational enhancements or upgrades, and (e) an as-*  
7 *essment of whether the investment continues to meet busi-*  
8 *ness needs as intended as well as alternatives to the invest-*  
9 *ment: Provided further, That the Secretary is authorized*  
10 *to use the services, facilities, and authorities (but not the*  
11 *funds) of the Commodity Credit Corporation to make pro-*  
12 *gram payments for all programs administered by the Agen-*  
13 *cy: Provided further, That other funds made available to*  
14 *the Agency for authorized activities may be advanced to and*  
15 *merged with this account: Provided further, That funds*  
16 *made available to county committees shall remain available*  
17 *until expended: Provided further, That none of the funds*  
18 *available to the Farm Service Agency shall be used to close*  
19 *Farm Service Agency county offices: Provided further, That*  
20 *none of the funds available to the Farm Service Agency*  
21 *shall be used to permanently relocate county based employ-*  
22 *ees that would result in an office with two or fewer employ-*  
23 *ees without prior notification and approval of the Commit-*  
24 *tees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.*

1                    *STATE MEDIATION GRANTS*

2            *For grants pursuant to section 502(b) of the Agricul-*  
3 *tural Credit Act of 1987, as amended (7 U.S.C. 5101–5106),*  
4 *\$3,904,000.*

5                    *GRASSROOTS SOURCE WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM*

6            *For necessary expenses to carry out wellhead or*  
7 *groundwater protection activities under section 12400 of*  
8 *the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839bb–2),*  
9 *\$6,500,000, to remain available until expended.*

10                    *DAIRY INDEMNITY PROGRAM*11                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

12            *For necessary expenses involved in making indemnity*  
13 *payments to dairy farmers and manufacturers of dairy*  
14 *products under a dairy indemnity program, such sums as*  
15 *may be necessary, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
16 *vided, That such program is carried out by the Secretary*  
17 *in the same manner as the dairy indemnity program de-*  
18 *scribed in the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and*  
19 *Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-*  
20 *tions Act, 2001 (Public Law 106–387, 114 Stat. 1549A–*  
21 *12).*



1 *farm operating loans, \$59,670,000 for direct operating*  
2 *loans, \$21,168,000 for unsubsidized guaranteed operating*  
3 *loans, emergency loans, \$1,567,000 and \$2,134,000 for In-*  
4 *dian highly fractionated land loans to remain available*  
5 *until expended.*

6 *In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to*  
7 *carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,*  
8 *\$325,068,000: Provided, That of this amount, \$314,998,000*  
9 *shall be transferred to and merged with the appropriation*  
10 *for “Farm Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses”, of*  
11 *which \$8,000,000 shall be available until September 30,*  
12 *2020.*

13 *Funds appropriated by this Act to the Agricultural*  
14 *Credit Insurance Program Account for farm ownership, op-*  
15 *erating and conservation direct loans and guaranteed loans*  
16 *may be transferred among these programs: Provided, That*  
17 *the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-*  
18 *gress are notified at least 15 days in advance of any trans-*  
19 *fer.*

20 *RISK MANAGEMENT AGENCY*

21 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

22 *For necessary expenses of the Risk Management Agen-*  
23 *cy, \$74,829,000: Provided, That not to exceed \$1,000 shall*  
24 *be available for official reception and representation ex-*  
25 *penses, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 1506(i).*

1        *NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE*2                                *CONSERVATION OPERATIONS*

3        *For necessary expenses for carrying out the provisions*  
4 *of the Act of April 27, 1935 (16 U.S.C. 590a–f), including*  
5 *preparation of conservation plans and establishment of*  
6 *measures to conserve soil and water (including farm irriga-*  
7 *tion and land drainage and such special measures for soil*  
8 *and water management as may be necessary to prevent*  
9 *floods and the siltation of reservoirs and to control agricul-*  
10 *tural related pollutants); operation of conservation plant*  
11 *materials centers; classification and mapping of soil; dis-*  
12 *semination of information; acquisition of lands, water, and*  
13 *interests therein for use in the plant materials program by*  
14 *donation, exchange, or purchase at a nominal cost not to*  
15 *exceed \$100 pursuant to the Act of August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C.*  
16 *428a); purchase and erection or alteration or improvement*  
17 *of permanent and temporary buildings; and operation and*  
18 *maintenance of aircraft, \$879,107,000, to remain available*  
19 *until September 30, 2020: Provided, That appropriations*  
20 *hereunder shall be available pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2250 for*  
21 *construction and improvement of buildings and public im-*  
22 *provements at plant materials centers, except that the cost*  
23 *of alterations and improvements to other buildings and*  
24 *other public improvements shall not exceed \$250,000: Pro-*  
25 *vided further, That when buildings or other structures are*

1 *erected on non-Federal land, that the right to use such land*  
2 *is obtained as provided in 7 U.S.C. 2250a: Provided fur-*  
3 *ther, That of the amounts made available under this head-*  
4 *ing, \$5,600,000, shall remain available until expended for*  
5 *the authorities under 16 U.S.C. 1001–1005 and 1007–1009*  
6 *for authorized ongoing watershed projects with a primary*  
7 *purpose of providing water to rural communities.*

8        *WATERSHED AND FLOOD PREVENTION OPERATIONS*

9        *For necessary expenses to carry out preventive meas-*  
10 *ures, including but not limited to surveys and investiga-*  
11 *tions, engineering operations, works of improvement, and*  
12 *changes in use of land, in accordance with the Watershed*  
13 *Protection and Flood Prevention Act (16 U.S.C. 1001–1005*  
14 *and 1007–1009) and in accordance with the provisions of*  
15 *laws relating to the activities of the Department,*  
16 *\$150,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
17 *vided, That for funds provided by this Act or any other*  
18 *prior Act, the limitation regarding the size of the watershed*  
19 *or subwatershed exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand*  
20 *acres in which such activities can be undertaken shall only*  
21 *apply for activities undertaken for the primary purpose of*  
22 *flood prevention (including structural and land treatment*  
23 *measures): Provided further, That of the amounts made*  
24 *available under this heading, \$50,000,000 shall be allocated*  
25 *to projects and activities that can commence promptly fol-*



1 *lowing enactment; that address regional priorities for flood*  
2 *prevention, agricultural water management, inefficient ir-*  
3 *rigation systems, fish and wildlife habitat, or watershed*  
4 *protection; or that address authorized ongoing projects*  
5 *under the authorities of section 13 of the Flood Control Act*  
6 *of December 22, 1944 (Public Law 78–534) with a primary*  
7 *purpose of watershed protection by preventing floodwater*  
8 *damage and stabilizing stream channels, tributaries, and*  
9 *banks to reduce erosion and sediment transport.*

10 **CORPORATIONS**

11 *The following corporations and agencies are hereby au-*  
12 *thorized to make expenditures, within the limits of funds*  
13 *and borrowing authority available to each such corporation*  
14 *or agency and in accord with law, and to make contracts*  
15 *and commitments without regard to fiscal year limitations*  
16 *as provided by section 104 of the Government Corporation*  
17 *Control Act as may be necessary in carrying out the pro-*  
18 *grams set forth in the budget for the current fiscal year for*  
19 *such corporation or agency, except as hereinafter provided.*

20 **FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION FUND**

21 *For payments as authorized by section 516 of the Fed-*  
22 *eral Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1516), such sums as may*  
23 *be necessary, to remain available until expended.*

1            *COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION FUND*  
2            *REIMBURSEMENT FOR NET REALIZED LOSSES*  
3            *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

4            *For the current fiscal year, such sums as may be nec-*  
5 *essary to reimburse the Commodity Credit Corporation for*  
6 *net realized losses sustained, but not previously reimbursed,*  
7 *pursuant to section 2 of the Act of August 17, 1961 (15*  
8 *U.S.C. 713a–11): Provided, That of the funds available to*  
9 *the Commodity Credit Corporation under section 11 of the*  
10 *Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act (15 U.S.C.*  
11 *714i) for the conduct of its business with the Foreign Agri-*  
12 *cultural Service, up to \$5,000,000 may be transferred to*  
13 *and used by the Foreign Agricultural Service for informa-*  
14 *tion resource management activities of the Foreign Agricul-*  
15 *tural Service that are not related to Commodity Credit Cor-*  
16 *poration business.*

17            *HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT*  
18            *(LIMITATION ON EXPENSES)*

19            *For the current fiscal year, the Commodity Credit Cor-*  
20 *poration shall not expend more than \$5,000,000 for site in-*  
21 *vestigation and cleanup expenses, and operations and*  
22 *maintenance expenses to comply with the requirement of*  
23 *section 107(g) of the Comprehensive Environmental Re-*  
24 *sponse, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.*

1 9607(g)), and section 6001 of the Resource Conservation  
2 and Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. 6961).

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*TITLE III*

4

*RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS*

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*RURAL DEVELOPMENT*

6

*SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

7

*(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

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*For necessary expenses for carrying out the adminis-*  
9 *tration and implementation of Rural Development pro-*  
10 *grams, including activities with institutions concerning the*  
11 *development and operation of agricultural cooperatives; and*  
12 *for cooperative agreements; \$232,835,000: Provided, That*  
13 *notwithstanding any other provision of law, funds appro-*  
14 *priated under this heading may be used for advertising and*  
15 *promotional activities that support Rural Development*  
16 *programs: Provided further, That in addition to any other*  
17 *funds appropriated for purposes authorized by section*  
18 *502(i) of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1472(i)), any*  
19 *amounts collected under such section will immediately be*  
20 *credited to this account and will remain available until ex-*  
21 *pended for such purposes.*

1                                    *RURAL HOUSING SERVICE*  
2                    *RURAL HOUSING INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT*  
3                                    *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

4            *For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-*  
5 *rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by title V of the*  
6 *Housing Act of 1949, to be available from funds in the rural*  
7 *housing insurance fund, as follows: \$1,100,000,000 shall be*  
8 *for direct loans and \$24,000,000,000 shall be for unsub-*  
9 *sidized guaranteed loans; \$28,000,000 for section 504 hous-*  
10 *ing repair loans; \$40,000,000 for section 515 rental hous-*  
11 *ing; \$230,000,000 for section 538 guaranteed multi-family*  
12 *housing loans; \$10,000,000 for credit sales of single family*  
13 *housing acquired property; \$5,000,000 for section 523 self-*  
14 *help housing land development loans; and \$5,000,000 for*  
15 *section 524 site development loans.*

16            *For the cost of direct and guaranteed loans, including*  
17 *the cost of modifying loans, as defined in section 502 of*  
18 *the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as follows: section*  
19 *502 loans, \$53,900,000 shall be for direct loans; section 504*  
20 *housing repair loans, \$3,419,000; section 523 self-help hous-*  
21 *ing land development loans, \$431,000; section 524 site de-*  
22 *velopment loans, \$176,000; and repair, rehabilitation, and*  
23 *new construction of section 515 rental housing, \$9,484,000:*  
24 *Provided, That to support the loan program level for section*  
25 *538 guaranteed loans made available under this heading*

1 *the Secretary may charge or adjust any fees to cover the*  
2 *projected cost of such loan guarantees pursuant to the provi-*  
3 *sions of the Credit Reform Act of 1990 (2 U.S.C. 661 et*  
4 *seq.), and the interest on such loans may not be subsidized:*  
5 *Provided further, That applicants in communities that have*  
6 *a current rural area waiver under section 541 of the Hous-*  
7 *ing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1490q) shall be treated as living*  
8 *in a rural area for purposes of section 502 guaranteed loans*  
9 *provided under this heading: Provided further, That of the*  
10 *amounts available under this paragraph for section 502 di-*  
11 *rect loans, no less than \$5,000,000 shall be available for*  
12 *direct loans for individuals whose homes will be built pur-*  
13 *suant to a program funded with a mutual and self-help*  
14 *housing grant authorized by section 523 of the Housing Act*  
15 *of 1949 until June 1, 2019: Provided further, That the Sec-*  
16 *retary shall implement provisions to provide incentives to*  
17 *nonprofit organizations and public housing authorities to*  
18 *facilitate the acquisition of Rural Housing Service (RHS)*  
19 *multifamily housing properties by such nonprofit organiza-*  
20 *tions and public housing authorities that commit to keep*  
21 *such properties in the RHS multifamily housing program*  
22 *for a period of time as determined by the Secretary, with*  
23 *such incentives to include, but not be limited to, the fol-*  
24 *lowing: allow such nonprofit entities and public housing*  
25 *authorities to earn a Return on Investment on their own*

1 resources to include proceeds from low income housing tax  
2 credit syndication, own contributions, grants, and developer  
3 loans at favorable rates and terms, invested in a deal; and  
4 allow reimbursement of organizational costs associated with  
5 owner's oversight of asset referred to as "Asset Management  
6 Fee" of up to \$7,500 per property.

7       In addition, for the cost of direct loans, grants, and  
8 contracts, as authorized by sections 514 and 516 of the  
9 Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1484, 1486), \$14,281,000,  
10 to remain available until expended, for direct farm labor  
11 housing loans and domestic farm labor housing grants and  
12 contracts: Provided, That any balances available for the  
13 Farm Labor Program Account shall be transferred to and  
14 merged with this account.

15       In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to  
16 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,  
17 \$412,254,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the  
18 appropriation for "Rural Development, Salaries and Ex-  
19 penses".

20                                   RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

21       For rental assistance agreements entered into or re-  
22 newed pursuant to the authority under section 521(a)(2)  
23 of the Housing Act of 1949 or agreements entered into in  
24 lieu of debt forgiveness or payments for eligible households  
25 as authorized by section 502(c)(5)(D) of the Housing Act

1 of 1949, \$1,331,400,000, of which \$40,000,000 shall be  
2 available until September 30, 2020; and in addition such  
3 sums as may be necessary, as authorized by section 521(c)  
4 of the Act, to liquidate debt incurred prior to fiscal year  
5 1992 to carry out the rental assistance program under sec-  
6 tion 521(a)(2) of the Act: Provided, That rental assistance  
7 agreements entered into or renewed during the current fiscal  
8 year shall be funded for a one-year period: Provided further,  
9 That any unexpended balances remaining at the end of such  
10 one-year agreements may be transferred and used for pur-  
11 poses of any debt reduction; maintenance, repair, or reha-  
12 bilitation of any existing projects; preservation; and rental  
13 assistance activities authorized under title V of the Act: Pro-  
14 vided further, That rental assistance provided under agree-  
15 ments entered into prior to fiscal year 2019 for a farm labor  
16 multi-family housing project financed under section 514 or  
17 516 of the Act may not be recaptured for use in another  
18 project until such assistance has remained unused for a pe-  
19 riod of 12 consecutive months, if such project has a waiting  
20 list of tenants seeking such assistance or the project has  
21 rental assistance eligible tenants who are not receiving such  
22 assistance: Provided further, That such recaptured rental  
23 assistance shall, to the extent practicable, be applied to an-  
24 other farm labor multi-family housing project financed  
25 under section 514 or 516 of the Act: Provided further, That

1 *except as provided in the third proviso under this heading*  
2 *and notwithstanding any other provision of the Act, the*  
3 *Secretary may recapture rental assistance provided under*  
4 *agreements entered into prior to fiscal year 2019 for a*  
5 *project that the Secretary determines no longer needs rental*  
6 *assistance and use such recaptured funds for current needs.*

7 *MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING REVITALIZATION PROGRAM*

8 *ACCOUNT*

9 *For the rural housing voucher program as authorized*  
10 *under section 542 of the Housing Act of 1949, but notwith-*  
11 *standing subsection (b) of such section, and for additional*  
12 *costs to conduct a demonstration program for the preserva-*  
13 *tion and revitalization of multi-family rental housing prop-*  
14 *erties described in this paragraph, \$50,000,000, to remain*  
15 *available until expended: Provided, That of the funds made*  
16 *available under this heading, \$26,000,000, shall be avail-*  
17 *able for rural housing vouchers to any low-income household*  
18 *(including those not receiving rental assistance) residing in*  
19 *a property financed with a section 515 loan which has been*  
20 *prepaid after September 30, 2005: Provided further, That*  
21 *the amount of such voucher shall be the difference between*  
22 *comparable market rent for the section 515 unit and the*  
23 *tenant paid rent for such unit: Provided further, That funds*  
24 *made available for such vouchers shall be subject to the*  
25 *availability of annual appropriations: Provided further,*



1 *That the Secretary shall, to the maximum extent prac-*  
2 *ticable, administer such vouchers with current regulations*  
3 *and administrative guidance applicable to section 8 hous-*  
4 *ing vouchers administered by the Secretary of the Depart-*  
5 *ment of Housing and Urban Development: Provided fur-*  
6 *ther, That if the Secretary determines that the amount*  
7 *made available for vouchers in this or any other Act is not*  
8 *needed for vouchers, the Secretary may use such funds for*  
9 *the demonstration program for the preservation and revital-*  
10 *ization of multi-family rental housing properties described*  
11 *in this paragraph: Provided further, That of the funds made*  
12 *available under this heading, \$24,000,000 shall be available*  
13 *for a demonstration program for the preservation and revi-*  
14 *talization of the sections 514, 515, and 516 multi-family*  
15 *rental housing properties to restructure existing USDA*  
16 *multi-family housing loans, as the Secretary deems appro-*  
17 *priate, expressly for the purposes of ensuring the project has*  
18 *sufficient resources to preserve the project for the purpose*  
19 *of providing safe and affordable housing for low-income*  
20 *residents and farm laborers including reducing or elimi-*  
21 *nating interest; deferring loan payments, subordinating, re-*  
22 *ducing or reamortizing loan debt; and other financial as-*  
23 *sistance including advances, payments and incentives (in-*  
24 *cluding the ability of owners to obtain reasonable returns*  
25 *on investment) required by the Secretary: Provided further,*

1 *That the Secretary shall as part of the preservation and*  
2 *revitalization agreement obtain a restrictive use agreement*  
3 *consistent with the terms of the restructuring: Provided fur-*  
4 *ther, That if the Secretary determines that additional funds*  
5 *for vouchers described in this paragraph are needed, funds*  
6 *for the preservation and revitalization demonstration pro-*  
7 *gram may be used for such vouchers: Provided further, That*  
8 *if Congress enacts legislation to permanently authorize a*  
9 *multi-family rental housing loan restructuring program*  
10 *similar to the demonstration program described herein, the*  
11 *Secretary may use funds made available for the demonstra-*  
12 *tion program under this heading to carry out such legisla-*  
13 *tion with the prior approval of the Committees on Appro-*  
14 *priations of both Houses of Congress: Provided further, That*  
15 *in addition to any other available funds, the Secretary may*  
16 *expend not more than \$1,000,000 total, from the program*  
17 *funds made available under this heading, for administra-*  
18 *tive expenses for activities funded under this heading.*

19 *MUTUAL AND SELF-HELP HOUSING GRANTS*

20 *For grants and contracts pursuant to section*  
21 *523(b)(1)(A) of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1490c),*  
22 *\$30,000,000, to remain available until expended.*

23 *RURAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANTS*

24 *For grants for very low-income housing repair and*  
25 *rural housing preservation made by the Rural Housing*

1 *Service, as authorized by 42 U.S.C. 1474, and 1490m,*  
2 *\$40,000,000, to remain available until expended.*

3 *RURAL COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROGRAM ACCOUNT*  
4 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

5 *For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-*  
6 *rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by section 306 and*  
7 *described in section 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated Farm*  
8 *and Rural Development Act, \$3,000,000,000 for direct loans*  
9 *and \$148,287,000 for guaranteed loans.*

10 *For the cost of guaranteed loans, including the cost of*  
11 *modifying loans, as defined in section 502 of the Congres-*  
12 *sional Budget Act of 1974, \$4,285,000, to remain available*  
13 *until expended.*

14 *For the cost of grants for rural community facilities*  
15 *programs as authorized by section 306 and described in sec-*  
16 *tion 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Devel-*  
17 *opment Act, \$47,778,000, to remain available until ex-*  
18 *pended: Provided, That \$6,000,000 of the amount appro-*  
19 *priated under this heading shall be available for a Rural*  
20 *Community Development Initiative: Provided further, That*  
21 *such funds shall be used solely to develop the capacity and*  
22 *ability of private, nonprofit community-based housing and*  
23 *community development organizations, low-income rural*  
24 *communities, and Federally Recognized Native American*  
25 *Tribes to undertake projects to improve housing, community*

1 *facilities, community and economic development projects in*  
2 *rural areas: Provided further, That such funds shall be*  
3 *made available to qualified private, nonprofit and public*  
4 *intermediary organizations proposing to carry out a pro-*  
5 *gram of financial and technical assistance: Provided fur-*  
6 *ther, That such intermediary organizations shall provide*  
7 *matching funds from other sources, including Federal funds*  
8 *for related activities, in an amount not less than funds pro-*  
9 *vided: Provided further, That \$5,778,000 of the amount ap-*  
10 *propriated under this heading shall be to provide grants*  
11 *for facilities in rural communities with extreme unemploy-*  
12 *ment and severe economic depression (Public Law 106-*  
13 *387), with up to 5 percent for administration and capacity*  
14 *building in the State rural development offices: Provided*  
15 *further, That \$4,000,000 of the amount appropriated under*  
16 *this heading shall be available for community facilities*  
17 *grants to tribal colleges, as authorized by section 306(a)(19)*  
18 *of such Act: Provided further, That sections 381E–H and*  
19 *381N of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act*  
20 *are not applicable to the funds made available under this*  
21 *heading.*

1           *RURAL BUSINESS—COOPERATIVE SERVICE*2                   *RURAL BUSINESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT*3                           *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

4           *For the cost of loan guarantees and grants, for the*  
5 *rural business development programs authorized by section*  
6 *310B and described in subsections (a), (c), (f) and (g) of*  
7 *section 310B of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-*  
8 *ment Act, \$69,619,000, to remain available until expended:*  
9 *Provided, That of the amount appropriated under this*  
10 *heading, not to exceed \$500,000 shall be made available for*  
11 *one grant to a qualified national organization to provide*  
12 *technical assistance for rural transportation in order to*  
13 *promote economic development and \$8,000,000 shall be for*  
14 *grants to the Delta Regional Authority (7 U.S.C. 2009aa*  
15 *et seq.), the Northern Border Regional Commission (40*  
16 *U.S.C. 15101 et seq.), and the Appalachian Regional Com-*  
17 *mission (40 U.S.C. 14101 et seq.) for any Rural Commu-*  
18 *nity Advancement Program purpose as described in section*  
19 *381E(d) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development*  
20 *Act, of which not more than 5 percent may be used for ad-*  
21 *ministrative expenses: Provided further, That \$4,000,000 of*  
22 *the amount appropriated under this heading shall be for*  
23 *business grants to benefit Federally Recognized Native*  
24 *American Tribes, including \$250,000 for a grant to a quali-*  
25 *fied national organization to provide technical assistance*

1 *for rural transportation in order to promote economic de-*  
2 *velopment: Provided further, That sections 381E–H and*  
3 *381N of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act*  
4 *are not applicable to funds made available under this head-*  
5 *ing.*

6 *INTERMEDIARY RELENDING PROGRAM FUND ACCOUNT*

7 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

8 *For the principal amount of direct loans, as authorized*  
9 *by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Account (7*  
10 *U.S.C. 1936b), \$18,889,000.*

11 *For the cost of direct loans, \$4,157,000, as authorized*  
12 *by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Account (7*  
13 *U.S.C. 1936b), of which \$557,000 shall be available through*  
14 *June 30, 2019, for Federally Recognized Native American*  
15 *Tribes; and of which \$1,072,000 shall be available through*  
16 *June 30, 2019, for Mississippi Delta Region counties (as*  
17 *determined in accordance with Public Law 100–460): Pro-*  
18 *vided, That such costs, including the cost of modifying such*  
19 *loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional*  
20 *Budget Act of 1974.*

21 *In addition, for administrative expenses to carry out*  
22 *the direct loan programs, \$4,468,000 shall be transferred*  
23 *to and merged with the appropriation for “Rural Develop-*  
24 *ment, Salaries and Expenses”.*

1 *RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOANS PROGRAM*2 *ACCOUNT*

3 *For the principal amount of direct loans, as authorized*  
4 *under section 313 of the Rural Electrification Act, for the*  
5 *purpose of promoting rural economic development and job*  
6 *creation projects, \$45,000,000.*

7 *The cost of grants authorized under section 313 of the*  
8 *Rural Electrification Act, for the purpose of promoting*  
9 *rural economic development and job creation projects shall*  
10 *not exceed \$10,000,000.*

11 *RURAL COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS*

12 *For rural cooperative development grants authorized*  
13 *under section 310B(e) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural*  
14 *Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1932), \$30,050,000, of which*  
15 *\$3,750,000 shall be for cooperative agreements for the ap-*  
16 *propriate technology transfer for rural areas program: Pro-*  
17 *vided, That not to exceed \$3,000,000 shall be for grants for*  
18 *cooperative development centers, individual cooperatives, or*  
19 *groups of cooperatives that serve socially disadvantaged*  
20 *groups and a majority of the boards of directors or gov-*  
21 *erning boards of which are comprised of individuals who*  
22 *are members of socially disadvantaged groups; and of which*  
23 *\$17,500,000, to remain available until expended, shall be*  
24 *for value-added agricultural product market development*  
25 *grants, as authorized by section 231 of the Agricultural*

1 *Risk Protection Act of 2000 (7 U.S.C. 1632a), of which*  
2 *\$2,500,000 shall be for Agriculture Innovation Centers au-*  
3 *thorized pursuant to section 6402 of Public Law 107–171.*

4 *RURAL ENERGY FOR AMERICA PROGRAM*

5 *For the cost of a program of loan guarantees, under*  
6 *the same terms and conditions as authorized by section*  
7 *9007 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of*  
8 *2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107), \$338,000: Provided, That the cost*  
9 *of loan guarantees, including the cost of modifying such*  
10 *loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional*  
11 *Budget Act of 1974.*

12 *RURAL UTILITIES SERVICE*

13 *RURAL WATER AND WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

14 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

15 *For the cost of direct loans, loan guarantees, and*  
16 *grants for the rural water, waste water, waste disposal, and*  
17 *solid waste management programs authorized by sections*  
18 *306, 306A, 306C, 306D, 306E, and 310B and described in*  
19 *sections 306C(a)(2), 306D, 306E, and 381E(d)(2) of the*  
20 *Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act,*  
21 *\$558,183,000, to remain available until expended, of which*  
22 *not to exceed \$1,000,000 shall be available for the rural util-*  
23 *ities program described in section 306(a)(2)(B) of such Act,*  
24 *and of which not to exceed \$993,000 shall be available for*  
25 *the rural utilities program described in section 306E of*



1 *such Act: Provided, That not to exceed \$15,000,000 of the*  
2 *amount appropriated under this heading shall be for grants*  
3 *authorized by section 306A(i)(2) of the Consolidated Farm*  
4 *and Rural Development Act in addition to funding author-*  
5 *ized by section 306A(i)(1) of such Act and such grants may*  
6 *not exceed \$1,000,000 notwithstanding section 306A(f)(1)*  
7 *of such Act: Provided further, That \$68,000,000 of the*  
8 *amount appropriated under this heading shall be for loans*  
9 *and grants including water and waste disposal systems*  
10 *grants authorized by section 306C(a)(2)(B) and section*  
11 *306D of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development*  
12 *Act, and Federally Recognized Native American Tribes au-*  
13 *thorized by 306C(a)(1) of such Act: Provided further, That*  
14 *funding provided for section 306D of the Consolidated*  
15 *Farm and Rural Development Act may be provided to a*  
16 *consortium formed pursuant to section 325 of Public Law*  
17 *105–83: Provided further, That not more than 2 percent*  
18 *of the funding provided for section 306D of the Consolidated*  
19 *Farm and Rural Development Act may be used by the State*  
20 *of Alaska for training and technical assistance programs*  
21 *and not more than 2 percent of the funding provided for*  
22 *section 306D of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-*  
23 *ment Act may be used by a consortium formed pursuant*  
24 *to section 325 of Public Law 105–83 for training and tech-*  
25 *nical assistance programs: Provided further, That not to ex-*

1 *ceed \$40,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this*  
2 *heading shall be for technical assistance grants for rural*  
3 *water and waste systems pursuant to section 306(a)(14) of*  
4 *such Act, unless the Secretary makes a determination of ex-*  
5 *treme need, of which \$8,000,000 shall be made available for*  
6 *a grant to a qualified nonprofit multi-State regional tech-*  
7 *nical assistance organization, with experience in working*  
8 *with small communities on water and waste water prob-*  
9 *lems, the principal purpose of such grant shall be to assist*  
10 *rural communities with populations of 3,300 or less, in im-*  
11 *proving the planning, financing, development, operation,*  
12 *and management of water and waste water systems, and*  
13 *of which not less than \$800,000 shall be for a qualified na-*  
14 *tional Native American organization to provide technical*  
15 *assistance for rural water systems for tribal communities:*  
16 *Provided further, That not to exceed \$19,000,000 of the*  
17 *amount appropriated under this heading shall be for con-*  
18 *tracting with qualified national organizations for a circuit*  
19 *rider program to provide technical assistance for rural*  
20 *water systems: Provided further, That not to exceed*  
21 *\$4,000,000 shall be for solid waste management grants: Pro-*  
22 *vided further, That \$10,000,000 of the amount appropriated*  
23 *under this heading shall be transferred to, and merged with,*  
24 *the Rural Utilities Service, High Energy Cost Grants Ac-*  
25 *count to provide grants authorized under section 19 of the*

1 *Rural Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 918a): Provided*  
2 *further, That any prior year balances for high-energy cost*  
3 *grants authorized by section 19 of the Rural Electrification*  
4 *Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 918a) shall be transferred to and*  
5 *merged with the Rural Utilities Service, High Energy Cost*  
6 *Grants Account: Provided further, That sections 381E–H*  
7 *and 381N of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-*  
8 *ment Act are not applicable to the funds made available*  
9 *under this heading.*

10 *RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS*

11 *LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

12 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

13 *The principal amount of direct and guaranteed loans*  
14 *as authorized by sections 305, 306, and 317 of the Rural*  
15 *Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 935, 936, and 940g)*  
16 *shall be made as follows: loans made pursuant to sections*  
17 *305, 306, and 317, notwithstanding 317(c), of that Act,*  
18 *rural electric, \$5,500,000,000; guaranteed underwriting*  
19 *loans pursuant to section 313A, \$750,000,000; 5 percent*  
20 *rural telecommunications loans, cost of money rural tele-*  
21 *communications loans, and for loans made pursuant to sec-*  
22 *tion 306 of that Act, rural telecommunications loans,*  
23 *\$690,000,000: Provided, That up to \$2,000,000,000 shall be*  
24 *used for the construction, acquisition, design and engineer-*  
25 *ing or improvement of fossil-fueled electric generating*

1 *plants (whether new or existing) that utilize carbon sub-*  
2 *surface utilization and storage systems.*

3 *For the cost of direct loans as authorized by section*  
4 *305 of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 935),*  
5 *including the cost of modifying loans, as defined in section*  
6 *502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, cost of money*  
7 *rural telecommunications loans, \$1,725,000.*

8 *In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to*  
9 *carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,*  
10 *\$33,270,000, which shall be transferred to and merged with*  
11 *the appropriation for “Rural Development, Salaries and*  
12 *Expenses”.*

13 *DISTANCE LEARNING, TELEMEDICINE, AND BROADBAND*  
14 *PROGRAM*

15 *For the principal amount of broadband telecommuni-*  
16 *cation loans, \$29,851,000.*

17 *For grants for telemedicine and distance learning serv-*  
18 *ices in rural areas, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 950aaa et*  
19 *seq., \$33,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
20 *vided, That \$3,000,000 shall be made available for grants*  
21 *authorized by 379G of the Consolidated Farm and Rural*  
22 *Development Act: Provided further, That funding provided*  
23 *under this heading for grants under 379G of the Consoli-*  
24 *dated Farm and Rural Development Act may only be pro-*

1 vided to entities that meet all of the eligibility criteria for  
2 a consortium as established by this section.

3 For the cost of broadband loans, as authorized by sec-  
4 tion 601 of the Rural Electrification Act, \$5,830,000, to re-  
5 main available until expended: Provided, That the cost of  
6 direct loans shall be as defined in section 502 of the Con-  
7 gressional Budget Act of 1974.

8 In addition, \$30,000,000, to remain available until ex-  
9 pended, for a grant program to finance broadband trans-  
10 mission in rural areas eligible for Distance Learning and  
11 Telemedicine Program benefits authorized by 7 U.S.C.  
12 950aaa.

13 *RURAL HEALTH AND SAFETY EDUCATION PROGRAMS*

14 Any funds provided by this Act for rural health and  
15 safety education programs authorized under section 502(i)  
16 of the Rural Development Act of 1972 (7 U.S.C. 2662(i))  
17 may be used under those programs to address the opioid  
18 abuse epidemic and to combat opioid abuse in rural com-  
19 munities.

20 *TITLE IV*

21 *DOMESTIC FOOD PROGRAMS*

22 *OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOOD,*

23 *NUTRITION, AND CONSUMER SERVICES*

24 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Sec-  
25 retary for Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services,

1 \$800,000: *Provided, That funds made available by this Act*  
2 *to an agency in the Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services*  
3 *mission area for salaries and expenses are available to fund*  
4 *up to one administrative support staff for the Office.*

5 *FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE*

6 *CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS*

7 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

8 *For necessary expenses to carry out the Richard B.*  
9 *Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.),*  
10 *except section 21, and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42*  
11 *U.S.C. 1771 et seq.), except sections 17 and 21;*  
12 *\$23,184,012,000 to remain available through September 30,*  
13 *2020, of which such sums as are made available under sec-*  
14 *tion 14222(b)(1) of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act*  
15 *of 2008 (Public Law 110–246), as amended by this Act,*  
16 *shall be merged with and available for the same time period*  
17 *and purposes as provided herein: Provided, That of the total*  
18 *amount available, \$17,004,000 shall be available to carry*  
19 *out section 19 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C.*  
20 *1771 et seq.): Provided further, That of the total amount*  
21 *available, \$30,000,000 shall be available to provide competi-*  
22 *tive grants to State agencies for subgrants to local edu-*  
23 *cational agencies and schools to purchase the equipment,*  
24 *with a value of greater than \$1,000, needed to serve*  
25 *healthier meals, improve food safety, and to help support*

1 *the establishment, maintenance, or expansion of the school*  
2 *breakfast program: Provided further, That of the total*  
3 *amount available, \$28,000,000 shall remain available until*  
4 *expended to carry out section 749(g) of the Agriculture Ap-*  
5 *propriations Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–80): Provided*  
6 *further, That section 26(d) of the Richard B. Russell Na-*  
7 *tional School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1769g(d)) is amended*  
8 *in the first sentence by striking “2010 through 2018” and*  
9 *inserting “2010 through 2019”:* *Provided further, That sec-*  
10 *tion 9(h)(3) of the Richard B. Russell National School*  
11 *Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1758(h)(3)) is amended in the first*  
12 *sentence by striking “for fiscal year 2018” and inserting*  
13 *“for fiscal year 2019”:* *Provided further, That section*  
14 *9(h)(4) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch*  
15 *Act (42 U.S.C. 1758(h)(4)) is amended in the first sentence*  
16 *by striking “for fiscal year 2018” and inserting “for fiscal*  
17 *year 2019”.*

18 *SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR*

19 *WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN (WIC)*

20 *For necessary expenses to carry out the special supple-*  
21 *mental nutrition program as authorized by section 17 of*  
22 *the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786),*  
23 *\$6,150,000,000, to remain available through September 30,*  
24 *2020, of which \$25,000,000 shall be placed in reserve, to*  
25 *remain available until expended, to be allocated as the Sec-*

1 *retary deemed necessary, notwithstanding section 17(i) of*  
2 *such Act, to support participation should cost or participa-*  
3 *tion exceed budget estimates: Provided, That notwith-*  
4 *standing section 17(h)(10) of the Child Nutrition Act of*  
5 *1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786(h)(10)), not less than \$67,500,000*  
6 *shall be used for breastfeeding peer counselors and other re-*  
7 *lated activities, and \$19,000,000 shall be used for infra-*  
8 *structure, of which \$5,000,000 shall be for competitive*  
9 *grants to promote breastfeeding and improved nutritional*  
10 *health through technologies and services, including telemedi-*  
11 *cine: Provided further, That none of the funds provided in*  
12 *this account shall be available for the purchase of infant*  
13 *formula except in accordance with the cost containment and*  
14 *competitive bidding requirements specified in section 17 of*  
15 *such Act: Provided further, That none of the funds provided*  
16 *shall be available for activities that are not fully reimbursed*  
17 *by other Federal Government departments or agencies un-*  
18 *less authorized by section 17 of such Act: Provided further,*  
19 *That upon termination of a federally mandated vendor*  
20 *moratorium and subject to terms and conditions established*  
21 *by the Secretary, the Secretary may waive the requirement*  
22 *at 7 CFR 246.12(g)(6) at the request of a State agency.*

23 *SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM*

24 *For necessary expenses to carry out the Food and Nu-*  
25 *trition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2011 et seq.), \$73,219,274,000,*



1 of which \$3,000,000,000, to remain available through De-  
2 cember 31, 2020, shall be placed in reserve for use only in  
3 such amounts and at such times as may become necessary  
4 to carry out program operations: Provided, That funds pro-  
5 vided herein shall be expended in accordance with section  
6 16 of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008: Provided further,  
7 That of the funds made available under this heading,  
8 \$998,000 may be used to provide nutrition education serv-  
9 ices to State agencies and Federally Recognized Tribes par-  
10 ticipating in the Food Distribution Program on Indian  
11 Reservations: Provided further, That this appropriation  
12 shall be subject to any work registration or workfare re-  
13 quirements as may be required by law: Provided further,  
14 That funds made available for Employment and Training  
15 under this heading shall remain available through Sep-  
16 tember 30, 2020: Provided further, That funds made avail-  
17 able under this heading for section 28(d)(1), section 4(b),  
18 and section 27(a) of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008  
19 shall remain available through September 30, 2020: Pro-  
20 vided further, That none of the funds made available under  
21 this heading may be obligated or expended in contravention  
22 of section 213A of the Immigration and Nationality Act  
23 (8 U.S.C. 1183A): Provided further, That funds made avail-  
24 able under this heading may be used to enter into contracts  
25 and employ staff to conduct studies, evaluations, or to con-

1 duct activities related to program integrity provided that  
2 such activities are authorized by the Food and Nutrition  
3 Act of 2008.

4 COMMODITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

5 For necessary expenses to carry out disaster assistance  
6 and the Commodity Supplemental Food Program as au-  
7 thorized by section 4(a) of the Agriculture and Consumer  
8 Protection Act of 1973 (7 U.S.C. 612c note); the Emergency  
9 Food Assistance Act of 1983; special assistance for the nu-  
10 clear affected islands, as authorized by section 103(f)(2) of  
11 the Compact of Free Association Amendments Act of 2003  
12 (Public Law 108–188); and the Farmers’ Market Nutrition  
13 Program, as authorized by section 17(m) of the Child Nutri-  
14 tion Act of 1966, \$322,139,000, to remain available through  
15 September 30, 2020: Provided, That none of these funds  
16 shall be available to reimburse the Commodity Credit Cor-  
17 poration for commodities donated to the program: Provided  
18 further, That notwithstanding any other provision of law,  
19 effective with funds made available in fiscal year 2019 to  
20 support the Seniors Farmers’ Market Nutrition Program,  
21 as authorized by section 4402 of the Farm Security and  
22 Rural Investment Act of 2002, such funds shall remain  
23 available through September 30, 2020: Provided further,  
24 That of the funds made available under section 27(a) of  
25 the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2036(a)),

1 *the Secretary may use up to 15 percent for costs associated*  
2 *with the distribution of commodities.*

3 *NUTRITION PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION*

4 *For necessary administrative expenses of the Food and*  
5 *Nutrition Service for carrying out any domestic nutrition*  
6 *assistance program, \$164,688,000: Provided, That of the*  
7 *funds provided herein, \$2,000,000 shall be used for the pur-*  
8 *poses of section 4404 of Public Law 107-171, as amended*  
9 *by section 4401 of Public Law 110-246.*

1 *TITLE V*  
2 *FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS*  
3 *OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR TRADE AND*  
4 *FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS*

5 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under Sec-*  
6 *retary for Trade and Foreign Agricultural Affairs,*  
7 *\$875,000: Provided, That funds made available by this Act*  
8 *to any agency in the Trade and Foreign Agricultural Af-*  
9 *fairs mission area for salaries and expenses are available*  
10 *to fund up to one administrative support staff for the Office.*

11 *OFFICE OF CODEX ALIMENTARIUS*  
12 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Codex*  
13 *Alimentarius, \$3,976,000, including not to exceed \$40,000*  
14 *for official reception and representation expenses.*

15 *FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICE*  
16 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*  
17 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*  
18 *For necessary expenses of the Foreign Agricultural*  
19 *Service, including not to exceed \$250,000 for representation*  
20 *allowances and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of the*  
21 *Act approved August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 1766),*  
22 *\$212,230,000, of which no more than 6 percent shall remain*  
23 *available until September 30, 2020, for overseas operations*  
24 *to include the payment of locally employed staff: Provided,*  
25 *That the Service may utilize advances of funds, or reim-*

1 *burse this appropriation for expenditures made on behalf*  
 2 *of Federal agencies, public and private organizations and*  
 3 *institutions under agreements executed pursuant to the ag-*  
 4 *ricultural food production assistance programs (7 U.S.C.*  
 5 *1737) and the foreign assistance programs of the United*  
 6 *States Agency for International Development: Provided fur-*  
 7 *ther, That funds made available for middle-income country*  
 8 *training programs, funds made available for the Borlaug*  
 9 *International Agricultural Science and Technology Fellow-*  
 10 *ship program, and up to \$2,000,000 of the Foreign Agricul-*  
 11 *tural Service appropriation solely for the purpose of offset-*  
 12 *ting fluctuations in international currency exchange rates,*  
 13 *subject to documentation by the Foreign Agricultural Serv-*  
 14 *ice, shall remain available until expended.*

15 *FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE I DIRECT CREDIT AND FOOD FOR*  
 16 *PROGRESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT*  
 17 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

18 *For administrative expenses to carry out the credit*  
 19 *program of title I, Food for Peace Act (Public Law 83-*  
 20 *480) and the Food for Progress Act of 1985, \$142,000, shall*  
 21 *be transferred to and merged with the appropriation for*  
 22 *“Farm Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses”.*

23 *FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE II GRANTS*

24 *For expenses during the current fiscal year, not other-*  
 25 *wise recoverable, and unrecovered prior years' costs, includ-*

1 *ing interest thereon, under the Food for Peace Act (Public*  
2 *Law 83–480), for commodities supplied in connection with*  
3 *dispositions abroad under title II of said Act,*  
4 *\$1,716,000,000, to remain available until expended.*

5 *MCGOVERN-DOLE INTERNATIONAL FOOD FOR EDUCATION*  
6 *AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM GRANTS*

7 *For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of*  
8 *section 3107 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment*  
9 *Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 1736o–1), \$210,255,000, to remain*  
10 *available until expended: Provided, That the Commodity*  
11 *Credit Corporation is authorized to provide the services, fa-*  
12 *cilities, and authorities for the purpose of implementing*  
13 *such section, subject to reimbursement from amounts pro-*  
14 *vided herein: Provided further, That of the amount made*  
15 *available under this heading, \$15,000,000, shall remain*  
16 *available until expended for necessary expenses to carry out*  
17 *the provisions of section 3207 of the Agricultural Act of*  
18 *2014 (7 U.S.C. 1726c).*

19 *COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION EXPORT (LOANS)*  
20 *CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCOUNT*  
21 *(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

22 *For administrative expenses to carry out the Com-*  
23 *modity Credit Corporation’s Export Guarantee Program,*  
24 *GSM 102 and GSM 103, \$8,845,000; to cover common over-*  
25 *head expenses as permitted by section 11 of the Commodity*

1 *Credit Corporation Charter Act and in conformity with the*  
2 *Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990, of which \$6,382,000*  
3 *shall be transferred to and merged with the appropriation*  
4 *for “Foreign Agricultural Service, Salaries and Expenses”,*  
5 *and of which \$2,463,000 shall be transferred to and merged*  
6 *with the appropriation for “Farm Service Agency, Salaries*  
7 *and Expenses”.*

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*TITLE VI*

*RELATED AGENCY AND FOOD AND DRUG*

*ADMINISTRATION*

*DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES*

*FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION*

*SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

*For necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Adminis-*  
*tration, including hire and purchase of passenger motor ve-*  
*hicles; for payment of space rental and related costs pursu-*  
*ant to Public Law 92–313 for programs and activities of*  
*the Food and Drug Administration which are included in*  
*this Act; for rental of special purpose space in the District*  
*of Columbia or elsewhere; in addition to amounts appro-*  
*priated to the FDA Innovation Account, for carrying out*  
*the activities described in section 1002(b)(4) of the 21st*  
*Century Cures Act (Public Law 114–255); for miscellaneous*  
*and emergency expenses of enforcement activities, author-*  
*ized and approved by the Secretary and to be accounted*  
*for solely on the Secretary’s certificate, not to exceed*  
*\$25,000; and notwithstanding section 521 of Public Law*  
*107–188; \$5,419,299,000: Provided, That of the amount*  
*provided under this heading, \$960,568,000 shall be derived*  
*from prescription drug user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C.*  
*379h, and shall be credited to this account and remain*  
*available until expended; \$196,668,000 shall be derived*



1 *from medical device user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j,*  
2 *and shall be credited to this account and remain available*  
3 *until expended; \$501,396,000 shall be derived from human*  
4 *generic drug user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-42, and*  
5 *shall be credited to this account and remain available until*  
6 *expended; \$40,922,000 shall be derived from biosimilar bio-*  
7 *logical product user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-52,*  
8 *and shall be credited to this account and remain available*  
9 *until expended; \$30,331,000 shall be derived from animal*  
10 *drug user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-12, and shall*  
11 *be credited to this account and remain available until ex-*  
12 *pended; \$18,336,000 shall be derived from generic new ani-*  
13 *mal drug user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-21, and*  
14 *shall be credited to this account and remain available until*  
15 *expended; \$712,000,000 shall be derived from tobacco prod-*  
16 *uct user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 387s, and shall be*  
17 *credited to this account and remain available until ex-*  
18 *pended: Provided further, That in addition to and notwith-*  
19 *standing any other provision under this heading, amounts*  
20 *collected for prescription drug user fees, medical device user*  
21 *fees, human generic drug user fees, biosimilar biological*  
22 *product user fees, animal drug user fees, and generic new*  
23 *animal drug user fees that exceed the respective fiscal year*  
24 *2019 limitations are appropriated and shall be credited to*  
25 *this account and remain available until expended: Provided*

1 further, That fees derived from prescription drug, medical  
2 device, human generic drug, biosimilar biological product,  
3 animal drug, and generic new animal drug assessments for  
4 fiscal year 2019, including any such fees collected prior to  
5 fiscal year 2019 but credited for fiscal year 2019, shall be  
6 subject to the fiscal year 2019 limitations: Provided further,  
7 That the Secretary may accept payment during fiscal year  
8 2019 of user fees specified under this heading and author-  
9 ized for fiscal year 2020, prior to the due date for such fees,  
10 and that amounts of such fees assessed for fiscal year 2020  
11 for which the Secretary accepts payment in fiscal year 2019  
12 shall not be included in amounts under this heading: Pro-  
13 vided further, That none of these funds shall be used to de-  
14 velop, establish, or operate any program of user fees author-  
15 ized by 31 U.S.C. 9701: Provided further, That of the total  
16 amount appropriated: (1) \$1,052,315,000 shall be for the  
17 Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition and related  
18 field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs, of which  
19 no less than \$15,000,000 shall be used for inspections of  
20 foreign seafood manufacturers and field examinations of  
21 imported seafood; (2) \$1,720,807,000 shall be for the Center  
22 for Drug Evaluation and Research and related field activi-  
23 ties in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (3) \$369,857,000  
24 shall be for the Center for Biologics Evaluation and Re-  
25 search and for related field activities in the Office of Regu-

1 latory Affairs; (4) \$216,914,000 shall be for the Center for  
2 Veterinary Medicine and for related field activities in the  
3 Office of Regulatory Affairs; (5) \$495,988,000 shall be for  
4 the Center for Devices and Radiological Health and for re-  
5 lated field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (6)  
6 \$65,531,000 shall be for the National Center for Toxi-  
7 cological Research; (7) \$662,043,000 shall be for the Center  
8 for Tobacco Products and for related field activities in the  
9 Office of Regulatory Affairs; (8) not to exceed \$174,751,000  
10 shall be for Rent and Related activities, of which  
11 \$50,987,000 is for White Oak Consolidation, other than the  
12 amounts paid to the General Services Administration for  
13 rent; (9) not to exceed \$240,887,000 shall be for payments  
14 to the General Services Administration for rent; and (10)  
15 \$420,206,000 shall be for other activities, including the Of-  
16 fice of the Commissioner of Food and Drugs, the Office of  
17 Foods and Veterinary Medicine, the Office of Medical and  
18 Tobacco Products, the Office of Global and Regulatory Pol-  
19 icy, the Office of Operations, the Office of the Chief Sci-  
20 entist, and central services for these offices: Provided fur-  
21 ther, That not to exceed \$25,000 of this amount shall be  
22 for official reception and representation expenses, not other-  
23 wise provided for, as determined by the Commissioner: Pro-  
24 vided further, That any transfer of funds pursuant to sec-  
25 tion 770(n) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act

1 *(21 U.S.C. 379dd(n)) shall only be from amounts made*  
2 *available under this heading for other activities: Provided*  
3 *further, That of the amounts that are made available under*  
4 *this heading for “other activities”, and that are not derived*  
5 *from user fees, \$1,500,000 shall be transferred to and*  
6 *merged with the appropriation for “Department of Health*  
7 *and Human Services—Office of Inspector General” for*  
8 *oversight of the programs and operations of the Food and*  
9 *Drug Administration and shall be in addition to funds oth-*  
10 *erwise made available for oversight of the Food and Drug*  
11 *Administration: Provided further, That funds may be*  
12 *transferred from one specified activity to another with the*  
13 *prior approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both*  
14 *Houses of Congress.*

15 *In addition, mammography user fees authorized by 42*  
16 *U.S.C. 263b, export certification user fees authorized by 21*  
17 *U.S.C. 381, priority review user fees authorized by 21*  
18 *U.S.C. 360n and 360ff, food and feed recall fees, food rein-*  
19 *spection fees, and voluntary qualified importer program*  
20 *fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j–31, outsourcing facility*  
21 *fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j–62, prescription drug*  
22 *wholesale distributor licensing and inspection fees author-*  
23 *ized by 21 U.S.C. 353(e)(3), third-party logistics provider*  
24 *licensing and inspection fees authorized by 21 U.S.C.*  
25 *360eee–3(c)(1), third-party auditor fees authorized by 21*

1 *U.S.C. 384d(c)(8), and medical countermeasure priority re-*  
2 *view voucher user fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 360bbb–4a,*  
3 *shall be credited to this account, to remain available until*  
4 *expended.*

5 *BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES*

6 *For plans, construction, repair, improvement, exten-*  
7 *sion, alteration, demolition, and purchase of fixed equip-*  
8 *ment or facilities of or used by the Food and Drug Adminis-*  
9 *tration, where not otherwise provided, \$11,788,000, to re-*  
10 *main available until expended.*

11 *FDA INNOVATION ACCOUNT, CURES ACT*

12 *For necessary expenses to carry out the purposes de-*  
13 *scribed under section 1002(b)(4) of the 21st Century Cures*  
14 *Act, in addition to amounts available for such purposes*  
15 *under the heading “Salaries and Expenses”, \$70,000,000,*  
16 *to remain available until expended: Provided, That*  
17 *amounts appropriated in this paragraph are appropriated*  
18 *pursuant to section 1002(b)(3) of the 21st Century Cures*  
19 *Act, are to be derived from amounts transferred under sec-*  
20 *tion 1002(b)(2)(A) of such Act, and may be transferred by*  
21 *the Commissioner of Food and Drugs to the appropriation*  
22 *for “Department of Health and Human Services—Food*  
23 *and Drug Administration—Salaries and Expenses” solely*  
24 *for the purposes provided in such Act: Provided further,*  
25 *That upon a determination by the Commissioner that funds*

1 transferred pursuant to the previous proviso are not nec-  
2 essary for the purposes provided, such amounts may be  
3 transferred back to the account: Provided further, That such  
4 transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer au-  
5 thority provided by law.

6 *INDEPENDENT AGENCY*

7 *FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION*

8 *LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES*

9 *Not to exceed \$74,600,000 (from assessments collected*  
10 *from farm credit institutions, including the Federal Agri-*  
11 *cultural Mortgage Corporation) shall be obligated during*  
12 *the current fiscal year for administrative expenses as au-*  
13 *thorized under 12 U.S.C. 2249: Provided, That this limita-*  
14 *tion shall not apply to expenses associated with receiver-*  
15 *ships: Provided further, That the agency may exceed this*  
16 *limitation by up to 10 percent with notification to the Com-*  
17 *mittees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.*

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*TITLE VII*

*GENERAL PROVISIONS*

*(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS AND TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)*

*SEC. 701. Within the unit limit of cost fixed by law, appropriations and authorizations made for the Department of Agriculture for the current fiscal year under this Act shall be available for the purchase, in addition to those specifically provided for, of not to exceed 71 passenger motor vehicles of which 68 shall be for replacement only, and for the hire of such vehicles: Provided, That notwithstanding this section, the only purchase of new passenger vehicles shall be for those determined by the Secretary to be necessary for transportation safety, to reduce operational costs, and for the protection of life, property, and public safety.*

*SEC. 702. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may transfer unobligated balances of discretionary funds appropriated by this Act or any other available unobligated discretionary balances that are remaining available of the Department of Agriculture to the Working Capital Fund for the acquisition of plant and capital equipment necessary for the delivery of financial, administrative, and information technology services of primary benefit to the agencies of the Department of Agriculture, such transferred funds to remain available*

1 *until expended: Provided, That none of the funds made*  
2 *available by this Act or any other Act shall be transferred*  
3 *to the Working Capital Fund without the prior approval*  
4 *of the agency administrator: Provided further, That none*  
5 *of the funds transferred to the Working Capital Fund pur-*  
6 *suant to this section shall be available for obligation with-*  
7 *out written notification to and the prior approval of the*  
8 *Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress:*  
9 *Provided further, That none of the funds appropriated by*  
10 *this Act or made available to the Department's Working*  
11 *Capital Fund shall be available for obligation or expendi-*  
12 *ture to make any changes to the Department's National Fi-*  
13 *nance Center without written notification to and prior ap-*  
14 *proval of the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses*  
15 *of Congress as required by section 717 of this Act: Provided*  
16 *further, That none of the funds appropriated by this Act*  
17 *or made available to the Department's Working Capital*  
18 *Fund shall be available for obligation or expenditure to ini-*  
19 *tiate, plan, develop, implement, or make any changes to re-*  
20 *move or relocate any systems, missions, or functions of the*  
21 *offices of the Chief Financial Officer or any personnel from*  
22 *the National Finance Center prior to written notification*  
23 *to and prior approval of the Committee on Appropriations*  
24 *of both Houses of Congress and in accordance with the re-*  
25 *quirements of section 717 of this Act: Provided further, That*



1 *the Secretary of Agriculture and the offices of the Chief Fi-*  
2 *ancial Officer shall actively market to existing and new*  
3 *Departments and other government agencies National Fi-*  
4 *nance Center shared services including, but not limited to,*  
5 *payroll, financial management, and human capital shared*  
6 *services and allow the National Finance Center to perform*  
7 *technology upgrades: Provided further, That of annual in-*  
8 *come amounts in the Working Capital Fund of the Depart-*  
9 *ment of Agriculture attributable to the amounts in excess*  
10 *of the true costs of the shared services provided by the Na-*  
11 *tional Finance Center and budgeted for the National Fi-*  
12 *nance Center, the Secretary shall reserve not more than 4*  
13 *percent for the replacement or acquisition of capital equip-*  
14 *ment, including equipment for the improvement, delivery,*  
15 *and implementation of financial, administrative, and in-*  
16 *formation technology services, and other systems of the Na-*  
17 *tional Finance Center or to pay any unforeseen, extraor-*  
18 *dinary cost of the National Finance Center: Provided fur-*  
19 *ther, That none of the amounts reserved shall be available*  
20 *for obligation unless the Secretary submits written notifica-*  
21 *tion of the obligation to the Committees on Appropriations*  
22 *of both Houses of Congress: Provided further, That the limi-*  
23 *tations on the obligation of funds pending notification to*  
24 *Congressional Committees shall not apply to any obligation*  
25 *that, as determined by the Secretary, is necessary to re-*

1 *spond to a declared state of emergency that significantly*  
2 *impacts the operations of the National Finance Center; or*  
3 *to evacuate employees of the National Finance Center to*  
4 *a safe haven to continue operations of the National Finance*  
5 *Center.*

6       *SEC. 703. No part of any appropriation contained in*  
7 *this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the*  
8 *current fiscal year unless expressly so provided herein.*

9       *SEC. 704. No funds appropriated by this Act may be*  
10 *used to pay negotiated indirect cost rates on cooperative*  
11 *agreements or similar arrangements between the United*  
12 *States Department of Agriculture and nonprofit institu-*  
13 *tions in excess of 10 percent of the total direct cost of the*  
14 *agreement when the purpose of such cooperative arrange-*  
15 *ments is to carry out programs of mutual interest between*  
16 *the two parties. This does not preclude appropriate pay-*  
17 *ment of indirect costs on grants and contracts with such*  
18 *institutions when such indirect costs are computed on a*  
19 *similar basis for all agencies for which appropriations are*  
20 *provided in this Act.*

21       *SEC. 705. Appropriations to the Department of Agri-*  
22 *culture for the cost of direct and guaranteed loans made*  
23 *available in the current fiscal year shall remain available*  
24 *until expended to disburse obligations made in the current*  
25 *fiscal year for the following accounts: the Rural Develop-*

1 *ment Loan Fund program account, the Rural Electrifica-*  
2 *tion and Telecommunication Loans program account, and*  
3 *the Rural Housing Insurance Fund program account.*

4       *SEC. 706. None of the funds made available to the De-*  
5 *partment of Agriculture by this Act may be used to acquire*  
6 *new information technology systems or significant up-*  
7 *grades, as determined by the Office of the Chief Information*  
8 *Officer, without the approval of the Chief Information Offi-*  
9 *cer and the concurrence of the Executive Information Tech-*  
10 *nology Investment Review Board: Provided, That notwith-*  
11 *standing any other provision of law, none of the funds ap-*  
12 *propriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be*  
13 *transferred to the Office of the Chief Information Officer*  
14 *without written notification to and the prior approval of*  
15 *the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-*  
16 *gress: Provided further, That, notwithstanding section*  
17 *11319 of title 40, United States Code, none of the funds*  
18 *available to the Department of Agriculture for information*  
19 *technology shall be obligated for projects, contracts, or other*  
20 *agreements over \$25,000 prior to receipt of written ap-*  
21 *proval by the Chief Information Officer: Provided further,*  
22 *That the Chief Information Officer may authorize an agen-*  
23 *cy to obligate funds without written approval from the*  
24 *Chief Information Officer for projects, contracts, or other*  
25 *agreements up to \$250,000 based upon the performance of*

1 *an agency measured against the performance plan require-*  
2 *ments described in the explanatory statement accom-*  
3 *panying Public Law 113–235.*

4 *SEC. 707. Funds made available under section 524(b)*  
5 *of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1524(b)) in*  
6 *the current fiscal year shall remain available until ex-*  
7 *pendent to disburse obligations made in the current fiscal*  
8 *year.*

9 *SEC. 708. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
10 *any former RUS borrower that has repaid or prepaid an*  
11 *insured, direct or guaranteed loan under the Rural Elec-*  
12 *trification Act of 1936, or any not-for-profit utility that*  
13 *is eligible to receive an insured or direct loan under such*  
14 *Act, shall be eligible for assistance under section*  
15 *313(b)(2)(B) of such Act in the same manner as a borrower*  
16 *under such Act.*

17 *SEC. 709. Except as otherwise specifically provided by*  
18 *law, not more than \$20,000,000 in unobligated balances*  
19 *from appropriations made available for salaries and ex-*  
20 *penses in this Act for the Farm Service Agency shall remain*  
21 *available through September 30, 2020, for information tech-*  
22 *nology expenses: Provided, That except as otherwise specifi-*  
23 *cally provided by law, unobligated balances from appro-*  
24 *priations made available for salaries and expenses in this*  
25 *Act for the Rural Development mission area shall remain*

1 *available through September 30, 2020, for information tech-*  
2 *nology expenses.*

3 *SEC. 710. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
4 *made available by this Act may be used for first-class travel*  
5 *by the employees of agencies funded by this Act in con-*  
6 *travention of sections 301–10.122 through 301–10.124 of*  
7 *title 41, Code of Federal Regulations.*

8 *SEC. 711. In the case of each program established or*  
9 *amended by the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–*  
10 *79), other than by title I or subtitle A of title III of such*  
11 *Act, or programs for which indefinite amounts were pro-*  
12 *vided in that Act, that is authorized or required to be car-*  
13 *ried out using funds of the Commodity Credit Corpora-*  
14 *tion—*

15 *(1) such funds shall be available for salaries and*  
16 *related administrative expenses, including technical*  
17 *assistance, associated with the implementation of the*  
18 *program, without regard to the limitation on the total*  
19 *amount of allotments and fund transfers contained in*  
20 *section 11 of the Commodity Credit Corporation*  
21 *Charter Act (15 U.S.C. 714i); and*

22 *(2) the use of such funds for such purpose shall*  
23 *not be considered to be a fund transfer or allotment*  
24 *for purposes of applying the limitation on the total*

1        *amount of allotments and fund transfers contained in*  
2        *such section.*

3        *SEC. 712. Of the funds made available by this Act, not*  
4        *more than \$2,900,000 shall be used to cover necessary ex-*  
5        *penses of activities related to all advisory committees, pan-*  
6        *els, commissions, and task forces of the Department of Agri-*  
7        *culture, except for panels used to comply with negotiated*  
8        *rule makings and panels used to evaluate competitively*  
9        *awarded grants.*

10        *SEC. 713. None of the funds in this Act shall be avail-*  
11        *able to pay indirect costs charged against any agricultural*  
12        *research, education, or extension grant awards issued by the*  
13        *National Institute of Food and Agriculture that exceed 30*  
14        *percent of total Federal funds provided under each award:*  
15        *Provided, That notwithstanding section 1462 of the Na-*  
16        *tional Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Pol-*  
17        *icy Act of 1977 (7 U.S.C. 3310), funds provided by this*  
18        *Act for grants awarded competitively by the National Insti-*  
19        *tute of Food and Agriculture shall be available to pay full*  
20        *allowable indirect costs for each grant awarded under sec-*  
21        *tion 9 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 638).*

22        *SEC. 714. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
23        *Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer net-*  
24        *work unless such network blocks the viewing, downloading,*  
25        *and exchanging of pornography.*

1       (b) *Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of*  
2 *funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law*  
3 *enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-*  
4 *nal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities.*

5       *SEC. 715. Notwithstanding subsection (b) of section*  
6 *14222 of Public Law 110–246 (7 U.S.C. 612c–6; in this*  
7 *section referred to as “section 14222”), none of the funds*  
8 *appropriated or otherwise made available by this or any*  
9 *other Act shall be used to pay the salaries and expenses of*  
10 *personnel to carry out a program under section 32 of the*  
11 *Act of August 24, 1935 (7 U.S.C. 612c; in this section re-*  
12 *ferred to as “section 32”) in excess of \$1,299,600,000 (exclu-*  
13 *sive of carryover appropriations from prior fiscal years),*  
14 *as follows: Child Nutrition Programs Entitlement Commod-*  
15 *ities—\$485,000,000; State Option Contracts— \$5,000,000;*  
16 *Removal of Defective Commodities— \$2,500,000; Adminis-*  
17 *tration of Section 32 Commodity Purchases—\$35,853,000:*  
18 *Provided, That of the total funds made available in the mat-*  
19 *ter preceding this proviso that remain unobligated on Octo-*  
20 *ber 1, 2019, such unobligated balances shall carryover into*  
21 *fiscal year 2020 and shall remain available until expended*  
22 *for any of the purposes of section 32, except that any such*  
23 *carryover funds used in accordance with clause (3) of sec-*  
24 *tion 32 may not exceed \$350,000,000 and may not be obli-*  
25 *gated until the Secretary of Agriculture provides written*

1 notification of the expenditures to the Committees on Ap-  
2 propriations of both Houses of Congress at least two weeks  
3 in advance: Provided further, That, with the exception of  
4 any available carryover funds authorized in any prior ap-  
5 propriations Act to be used for the purposes of clause (3)  
6 of section 32, none of the funds appropriated or otherwise  
7 made available by this or any other Act shall be used to  
8 pay the salaries or expenses of any employee of the Depart-  
9 ment of Agriculture to carry out clause (3) of section 32.

10       SEC. 716. None of the funds appropriated by this or  
11 any other Act shall be used to pay the salaries and expenses  
12 of personnel who prepare or submit appropriations lan-  
13 guage as part of the President's budget submission to the  
14 Congress for programs under the jurisdiction of the Appro-  
15 priations Subcommittees on Agriculture, Rural Develop-  
16 ment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agen-  
17 cies that assumes revenues or reflects a reduction from the  
18 previous year due to user fees proposals that have not been  
19 enacted into law prior to the submission of the budget unless  
20 such budget submission identifies which additional spend-  
21 ing reductions should occur in the event the user fees pro-  
22 posals are not enacted prior to the date of the convening  
23 of a committee of conference for the fiscal year 2020 appro-  
24 priations Act.



1        *SEC. 717. (a) None of the funds provided by this Act,*  
2 *or provided by previous appropriations Acts to the agencies*  
3 *funded by this Act that remain available for obligation or*  
4 *expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from any*  
5 *accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of fees*  
6 *available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be avail-*  
7 *able for obligation or expenditure through a reprogram-*  
8 *ming, transfer of funds, or reimbursements as authorized*  
9 *by the Economy Act, or in the case of the Department of*  
10 *Agriculture, through use of the authority provided by sec-*  
11 *tion 702(b) of the Department of Agriculture Organic Act*  
12 *of 1944 (7 U.S.C. 2257) or section 8 of Public Law 89-*  
13 *106 (7 U.S.C. 2263), that—*

- 14            *(1) creates new programs;*  
15            *(2) eliminates a program, project, or activity;*  
16            *(3) increases funds or personnel by any means*  
17 *for any project or activity for which funds have been*  
18 *denied or restricted;*  
19            *(4) relocates an office or employees;*  
20            *(5) reorganizes offices, programs, or activities; or*  
21            *(6) contracts out or privatizes any functions or*  
22 *activities presently performed by Federal employees;*  
23 *unless the Secretary of Agriculture, or the Secretary of*  
24 *Health and Human Services (as the case may be) notifies*  
25 *in writing and receives approval from the Committees on*

1 *Appropriations of both Houses of Congress at least 30 days*  
2 *in advance of the reprogramming of such funds or the use*  
3 *of such authority.*

4       *(b) None of the funds provided by this Act, or provided*  
5 *by previous Appropriations Acts to the agencies funded by*  
6 *this Act that remain available for obligation or expenditure*  
7 *in the current fiscal year, or provided from any accounts*  
8 *in the Treasury derived by the collection of fees available*  
9 *to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be available for*  
10 *obligation or expenditure for activities, programs, or*  
11 *projects through a reprogramming or use of the authorities*  
12 *referred to in subsection (a) involving funds in excess of*  
13 *\$500,000 or 10 percent, whichever is less, that—*

14           *(1) augments existing programs, projects, or ac-*  
15 *tivities;*

16           *(2) reduces by 10 percent funding for any exist-*  
17 *ing program, project, or activity, or numbers of per-*  
18 *sonnel by 10 percent as approved by Congress; or*

19           *(3) results from any general savings from a re-*  
20 *duction in personnel which would result in a change*  
21 *in existing programs, activities, or projects as ap-*  
22 *proved by Congress; unless the Secretary of Agri-*  
23 *culture or the Secretary of Health and Human Serv-*  
24 *ices (as the case may be) notifies in writing and re-*  
25 *ceives approval from the Committees on Appropria-*

1        *tions of both Houses of Congress at least 30 days in*  
2        *advance of the reprogramming or transfer of such*  
3        *funds or the use of such authority.*

4        *(c) The Secretary of Agriculture or the Secretary of*  
5        *Health and Human Services shall notify in writing and*  
6        *receive approval from the Committees on Appropriations of*  
7        *both Houses of Congress before implementing any program*  
8        *or activity not carried out during the previous fiscal year*  
9        *unless the program or activity is funded by this Act or spe-*  
10       *cifically funded by any other Act.*

11       *(d) None of the funds provided by this Act, or provided*  
12       *by previous Appropriations Acts to the agencies funded by*  
13       *this Act that remain available for obligation or expenditure*  
14       *in the current fiscal year, or provided from any accounts*  
15       *in the Treasury derived by the collection of fees available*  
16       *to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be available for—*

17                *(1) modifying major capital investments funding*  
18        *levels, including information technology systems, that*  
19        *involves increasing or decreasing funds in the current*  
20        *fiscal year for the individual investment in excess of*  
21        *\$500,000 or 10 percent of the total cost, whichever is*  
22        *less;*

23                *(2) realigning or reorganizing new, current, or*  
24        *vacant positions or agency activities or functions to*

1     *establish a center, office, branch, or similar entity*  
2     *with five or more personnel; or*

3             *(3) carrying out activities or functions that were*  
4     *not described in the budget request; unless the agencies*  
5     *funded by this Act notify, in writing, the Committees*  
6     *on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress at least*  
7     *30 days in advance of using the funds for these pur-*  
8     *poses.*

9             *(e) As described in this section, no funds may be used*  
10    *for any activities unless the Secretary of Agriculture or the*  
11    *Secretary of Health and Human Services receives from the*  
12    *Committee on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress*  
13    *written or electronic mail confirmation of receipt of the no-*  
14    *tification as required in this section.*

15            *SEC. 718. Notwithstanding section 310B(g)(5) of the*  
16    *Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C.*  
17    *1932(g)(5)), the Secretary may assess a one-time fee for any*  
18    *guaranteed business and industry loan in an amount that*  
19    *does not exceed 3 percent of the guaranteed principal por-*  
20    *tion of the loan.*

21            *SEC. 719. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
22    *made available to the Department of Agriculture, the Food*  
23    *and Drug Administration, or the Farm Credit Administra-*  
24    *tion shall be used to transmit or otherwise make available*  
25    *reports, questions, or responses to questions that are a result*

1 of information requested for the appropriations hearing  
2 process to any non-Department of Agriculture, non-Depart-  
3 ment of Health and Human Services, or non-Farm Credit  
4 Administration employee.

5       *SEC. 720. Unless otherwise authorized by existing law,*  
6 *none of the funds provided in this Act, may be used by an*  
7 *executive branch agency to produce any prepackaged news*  
8 *story intended for broadcast or distribution in the United*  
9 *States unless the story includes a clear notification within*  
10 *the text or audio of the prepackaged news story that the*  
11 *prepackaged news story was prepared or funded by that ex-*  
12 *ecutive branch agency.*

13       *SEC. 721. No employee of the Department of Agri-*  
14 *culture may be detailed or assigned from an agency or office*  
15 *funded by this Act or any other Act to any other agency*  
16 *or office of the Department for more than 60 days in a*  
17 *fiscal year unless the individual's employing agency or of-*  
18 *fice is fully reimbursed by the receiving agency or office*  
19 *for the salary and expenses of the employee for the period*  
20 *of assignment.*

21       *SEC. 722. There is hereby appropriated \$2,000,000 for*  
22 *a pilot program to provide competitive grants to State de-*  
23 *partments of agriculture, State cooperative extension serv-*  
24 *ices, and nonprofit organizations to carry out programs to*  
25 *address farmer stress and suicide.*

1        *SEC. 723. Not later than 30 days after the date of en-*  
2 *actment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture, the Com-*  
3 *missioner of the Food and Drug Administration, and the*  
4 *Chairman of the Farm Credit Administration shall submit*  
5 *to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-*  
6 *gress a detailed spending plan by program, project, and ac-*  
7 *tivity for all the funds made available under this Act in-*  
8 *cluding appropriated user fees, as defined in the report ac-*  
9 *companying this Act.*

10        *SEC. 724. Of the unobligated balances from amounts*  
11 *made available for the supplemental nutrition program as*  
12 *authorized by section 17 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966*  
13 *(42 U.S.C. 1786), \$400,000,000 are hereby rescinded.*

14        *SEC. 725. The Secretary shall continue an inter-*  
15 *mediary loan packaging program based on the pilot pro-*  
16 *gram in effect for fiscal year 2013 for packaging and re-*  
17 *viewing section 502 single family direct loans. The Sec-*  
18 *retary shall continue agreements with current intermediary*  
19 *organizations and with additional qualified intermediary*  
20 *organizations. The Secretary shall work with these organi-*  
21 *zations to increase effectiveness of the section 502 single*  
22 *family direct loan program in rural communities and shall*  
23 *set aside and make available from the national reserve sec-*  
24 *tion 502 loans an amount necessary to support the work*

1 of such intermediaries and provide a priority for review  
2 of such loans.

3       *SEC. 726. For loans and loan guarantees that do not*  
4 *require budget authority and the program level has been*  
5 *established in this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may*  
6 *increase the program level for such loans and loan guaran-*  
7 *tees by not more than 25 percent: Provided, That prior to*  
8 *the Secretary implementing such an increase, the Secretary*  
9 *notifies, in writing, the Committees on Appropriations of*  
10 *both Houses of Congress at least 15 days in advance.*

11       *SEC. 727. None of the credit card refunds or rebates*  
12 *transferred to the Working Capital Fund pursuant to sec-*  
13 *tion 729 of the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and*  
14 *Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-*  
15 *tions Act, 2002 (7 U.S.C. 2235a; Public Law 107-76) shall*  
16 *be available for obligation without written notification to,*  
17 *and the prior approval of, the Committees on Appropria-*  
18 *tions of both Houses of Congress: Provided, That the refunds*  
19 *or rebates so transferred shall be available for obligation*  
20 *only for the acquisition of plant and capital equipment nec-*  
21 *essary for the delivery of financial, administrative, and in-*  
22 *formation technology services of primary benefit to the*  
23 *agencies of the Department of Agriculture.*

24       *SEC. 728. None of the funds made available by this*  
25 *Act may be used to implement, administer, or enforce the*

1 “variety” requirements of the final rule entitled “Enhanc-  
2 ing Retailer Standards in the Supplemental Nutrition As-  
3 sistance Program (SNAP)” published by the Department  
4 of Agriculture in the Federal Register on December 15, 2016  
5 (81 Fed. Reg. 90675) until the Secretary of Agriculture  
6 amends the definition of the term “variety” as de fined in  
7 section 278.1(b)(1)(ii)(C) of title 7, Code of Federal Regula-  
8 tions, and “variety” as applied in the definition of the term  
9 “staple food” as defined in section 271.2 of title 7, Code  
10 of Federal Regulations, to increase the number of items that  
11 qualify as acceptable varieties in each staple food category  
12 so that the total number of such items in each staple food  
13 category exceeds the number of such items in each staple  
14 food category included in the final rule as published on De-  
15 cember 15, 2016: Provided, That until the Secretary pro-  
16 mulgates such regulatory amendments, the Secretary shall  
17 apply the requirements regarding acceptable varieties and  
18 breadth of stock to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Pro-  
19 gram retailers that were in effect on the day before the date  
20 of the enactment of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public  
21 Law 113–79).

22 SEC. 729. None of the funds made available by this  
23 Act or any other Act may be used—

24 (1) in contravention of section 7606 of the Agri-  
25 cultural Act of 2014 (7 U.S.C. 5940); or



1           (2) to prohibit the transportation, processing,  
2           sale, or use of industrial hemp, or seeds of such plant,  
3           that is grown or cultivated in accordance with sub-  
4           section section 7606 of the Agricultural Act of 2014,  
5           within or outside the State in which the industrial  
6           hemp is grown or cultivated.

7           SEC. 730. Funds provided by this or any prior Appro-  
8           priations Act for the Agriculture and Food Research Initia-  
9           tive under 7 U.S.C. 450i(b) shall be made available without  
10          regard to section 7128 of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (7  
11          U.S.C. 3371 note), under the matching requirements in  
12          laws in effect on the date before the date of enactment of  
13          such section: Provided, That the requirements of 7 U.S.C.  
14          450i(b)(9) shall continue to apply.

15          SEC. 731. In carrying out subsection (h) of section 502  
16          of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C. 1472), the Secretary  
17          of Agriculture shall have the same authority with respect  
18          to loans guaranteed under such section and eligible lenders  
19          for such loans as the Secretary has under subsections (h)  
20          and (j) of section 538 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1490p-2) with  
21          respect to loans guaranteed under such section 538 and eli-  
22          gible lenders for such loans.

23          SEC. 732. None of the funds made available by this  
24          Act may be used to propose, promulgate, or implement any  
25          rule, or take any other action with respect to, allowing or

1 *requiring information intended for a prescribing health*  
2 *care professional, in the case of a drug or biological product*  
3 *subject to section 503(b)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and*  
4 *Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 353(b)(1)), to be distributed to*  
5 *such professional electronically (in lieu of in paper form)*  
6 *unless and until a Federal law is enacted to allow or re-*  
7 *quire such distribution.*

8       *SEC. 733. None of the funds made available by this*  
9 *Act may be used to notify a sponsor or otherwise acknowl-*  
10 *edge receipt of a submission for an exemption for investiga-*  
11 *tional use of a drug or biological product under section*  
12 *505(i) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21*  
13 *U.S.C. 355(i)) or section 351(a)(3) of the Public Health*  
14 *Service Act (42 U.S.C. 262(a)(3)) in research in which a*  
15 *human embryo is intentionally created or modified to in-*  
16 *clude a heritable genetic modification. Any such submission*  
17 *shall be deemed to have not been received by the Secretary,*  
18 *and the exemption may not go into effect.*

19       *SEC. 734. None of the funds made available by this*  
20 *or any other Act may be used to carry out the final rule*  
21 *promulgated by the Food and Drug Administration and*  
22 *put into effect November 16, 2015, in regards to the hazard*  
23 *analysis and risk-based preventive control requirements of*  
24 *the current good manufacturing practice, hazard analysis,*  
25 *and risk-based preventive controls for food for animals rule*

1 *with respect to the regulation of the production, distribu-*  
2 *tion, sale, or receipt of dried spent grain byproducts of the*  
3 *alcoholic beverage production process.*

4       *SEC. 735. There is hereby appropriated \$1,996,000 to*  
5 *carry out section 1621 of Public Law 110–246.*

6       *SEC. 736. No partially hydrogenated oils as defined*  
7 *in the order published by the Food and Drug Administra-*  
8 *tion in the Federal Register on June 17, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg.*  
9 *34650 et seq.) shall be deemed unsafe within the meaning*  
10 *of section 409(a) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic*  
11 *Act (21 U.S.C. 348(a)) and no food that is introduced or*  
12 *delivered for introduction into interstate commerce that*  
13 *bears or contains a partially hydrogenated oil shall be*  
14 *deemed adulterated under sections 402(a)(1) or*  
15 *402(a)(2)(C)(i) of this Act by virtue of bearing or con-*  
16 *taining a partially hydrogenated oil until the compliance*  
17 *date as specified in such order (June 18, 2018).*

18       *SEC. 737. There is hereby appropriated \$10,000,000,*  
19 *to remain available until expended, to carry out section*  
20 *6407 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of*  
21 *2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107a): Provided, That the Secretary may*  
22 *allow eligible entities to offer loans to customers in any part*  
23 *of their service territory and to offer loans to replace a man-*  
24 *ufactured housing unit with another manufactured housing*

1 unit, if replacement would be more cost effective in saving  
2 energy.

3       *SEC. 738. For fiscal years 2019 through 2025, the Ad-*  
4 *ministrators of the Agricultural Research Service and the*  
5 *Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service may make not*  
6 *to exceed 50 appointments in any fiscal year for employees*  
7 *of such agencies at the National Bio- and Agro-defense Fa-*  
8 *cility (NBAF) in Manhattan, Kansas: Provided, That such*  
9 *appointments may be made in the manner provided by 7*  
10 *U.S.C. 7657(b)(4)(A)(i-v): Provided further, That such ap-*  
11 *pointments may be made at a rate of basic pay that exceeds*  
12 *the rate payable for such positions under the General Sched-*  
13 *ule or the Executive Schedule, or other applicable schedule,*  
14 *as appropriate.*

15       *SEC. 739. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000 for*  
16 *the Secretary to carry out a pilot program that provides*  
17 *forestry inventory analysis, forest management and eco-*  
18 *nomie outcomes modelling for certain currently enrolled*  
19 *Conservation Reserve Program participants. The Secretary*  
20 *shall allow the Commodity Credit Corporation to enter into*  
21 *agreements with and provide grants to qualified non-profit*  
22 *organizations dedicated to conservation, forestry and wild-*  
23 *life habitats, that also have experience in conducting accu-*  
24 *rate forest inventory analysis through the use of advanced,*  
25 *cost-effective technology. The Secretary shall focus the anal-*

1 *ysis on lands enrolled for at least eight years and located*  
2 *in areas with a substantial concentration of acres enrolled*  
3 *under conservation practices devoted to multiple bottom-*  
4 *land hardwood tree species including CP03, CP03A, CP11,*  
5 *CP22, CP31 and CP40.*

6 *SEC. 740. During fiscal year 2019, the Food and Drug*  
7 *Administration shall not allow the introduction or delivery*  
8 *for introduction into interstate commerce of any food that*  
9 *contains genetically engineered salmon until the FDA pub-*  
10 *lishes final labeling guidelines for informing consumers of*  
11 *such content.*

12 *SEC. 741. In addition to amounts otherwise made*  
13 *available by this Act and notwithstanding the last sentence*  
14 *of 16 U.S.C. 1310, there is appropriated \$4,000,000, to re-*  
15 *main available until expended, to implement non-renewable*  
16 *agreements on eligible lands, including flooded agricultural*  
17 *lands, as determined by the Secretary, under the Water*  
18 *Bank Act (16 U.S.C. 1301–1311).*

19 *SEC. 742. (a)(1) No Federal funds made available for*  
20 *this fiscal year for the rural water, waste water, waste dis-*  
21 *posal, and solid waste management programs authorized by*  
22 *sections 306, 306A, 306C, 306D, 306E, and 310B of the*  
23 *Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C.*  
24 *1926 et seq.) shall be used for a project for the construction,*  
25 *alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water or*

1 *wastewater system unless all of the iron and steel products*  
2 *used in the project are produced in the United States.*

3       (2) *In this section, the term “iron and steel products”*  
4 *means the following products made primarily of iron or*  
5 *steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers*  
6 *and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe*  
7 *clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced*  
8 *precast concrete, and construction materials.*

9       (b) *Subsection (a) shall not apply in any case or cat-*  
10 *egory of cases in which the Secretary of Agriculture (in this*  
11 *section referred to as the “Secretary”) or the designee of*  
12 *the Secretary finds that—*

13           (1) *applying subsection (a) would be inconsistent*  
14 *with the public interest;*

15           (2) *iron and steel products are not produced in*  
16 *the United States in sufficient and reasonably avail-*  
17 *able quantities or of a satisfactory quality; or*

18           (3) *inclusion of iron and steel products produced*  
19 *in the United States will increase the cost of the over-*  
20 *all project by more than 25 percent.*

21       (c) *If the Secretary or the designee receives a request*  
22 *for a waiver under this section, the Secretary or the designee*  
23 *shall make available to the public on an informal basis a*  
24 *copy of the request and information available to the Sec-*  
25 *retary or the designee concerning the request, and shall*

1 *allow for informal public input on the request for at least*  
2 *15 days prior to making a finding based on the request.*  
3 *The Secretary or the designee shall make the request and*  
4 *accompanying information available by electronic means,*  
5 *including on the official public Internet Web site of the De-*  
6 *partment.*

7       *(d) This section shall be applied in a manner con-*  
8 *sistent with United States obligations under international*  
9 *agreements.*

10       *(e) The Secretary may retain up to 0.25 percent of*  
11 *the funds appropriated in this Act for “Rural Utilities*  
12 *Service—Rural Water and Waste Disposal Program Ac-*  
13 *count” for carrying out the provisions described in sub-*  
14 *section (a)(1) for management and oversight of the require-*  
15 *ments of this section.*

16       *(f) Subsection (a) shall not apply with respect to a*  
17 *project for which the engineering plans and specifications*  
18 *include use of iron and steel products otherwise prohibited*  
19 *by such subsection if the plans and specifications have re-*  
20 *ceived required approvals from State agencies prior to the*  
21 *date of enactment of this Act.*

22       *(g) For purposes of this section, the terms “United*  
23 *States” and “State” shall include each of the several States,*  
24 *the District of Columbia, and each federally recognized In-*  
25 *dian tribe.*

1        *SEC. 743. The Secretary shall set aside for Rural Eco-*  
2 *nomic Area Partnership (REAP) Zones, until August 15,*  
3 *2019, an amount of funds made available in title III under*  
4 *the headings of Rural Housing Insurance Fund Program*  
5 *Account, Mutual and Self-Help Housing Grants, Rural*  
6 *Housing Assistance Grants, Rural Community Facilities*  
7 *Program Account, Rural Business Program Account, Rural*  
8 *Development Loan Fund Program Account, and Rural*  
9 *Water and Waste Disposal Program Account, equal to the*  
10 *amount obligated in REAP Zones with respect to funds*  
11 *provided under such headings in the most recent fiscal year*  
12 *any such funds were obligated under such headings for*  
13 *REAP Zones.*

14        *SEC. 744. For the purposes of determining eligibility*  
15 *or level of program assistance for Rural Development pro-*  
16 *grams the Secretary shall not include incarcerated prison*  
17 *populations.*

18        *SEC. 745. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000, to*  
19 *remain available until expended, for a pilot program for*  
20 *the Secretary to provide grants to qualified non-profit orga-*  
21 *nizations and public housing authorities to provide tech-*  
22 *nical assistance, including financial and legal services, to*  
23 *RHS multi-family housing borrowers to facilitate the ac-*  
24 *quisition of RHS multi-family housing properties in areas*  
25 *where the Secretary determines a risk of loss of affordable*



1 *housing, by non-profit housing organizations and public*  
2 *housing authorities as authorized by law that commit to*  
3 *keep such properties in the RHS multi-family housing pro-*  
4 *gram for a period of time as determined by the Secretary.*

5       *SEC. 746. None of the funds appropriated by this Act*  
6 *may be used in any way, directly or indirectly, to influence*  
7 *congressional action on any legislation or appropriation*  
8 *matters pending before Congress, other than to commu-*  
9 *nicate to Members of Congress as described in 18 U.S.C.*  
10 *1913.*

11       *SEC. 747. (a) The Secretary of Agriculture (referred*  
12 *to in this section as the “Secretary”) shall carry out a pilot*  
13 *program during fiscal year 2019 with respect to the 2018*  
14 *crop year for county-level agriculture risk coverage pay-*  
15 *ments under section 1117(b)(1) of the Agricultural Act of*  
16 *2014 (7 U.S.C. 9017(b)(1)), that provides all or some of*  
17 *the State Farm Service Agency offices in each State the op-*  
18 *portunity to provide agricultural producers in the State a*  
19 *supplemental payment described in subsection (c) based on*  
20 *the alternate calculation method described in subsection (b)*  
21 *for 1 or more counties in a State if the office for that State*  
22 *determines that the alternate calculation method is nec-*  
23 *essary to ensure that, to the maximum extent practicable,*  
24 *there are not significant yield calculation disparities be-*  
25 *tween comparable counties in the State.*

1       **(b)** *The alternate calculation method referred to in sub-*  
2 *section (a) is a method of calculating the actual yield for*  
3 *the 2018 crop year for county-level agriculture risk coverage*  
4 *payments under section 1117(b)(1) of the Agricultural Act*  
5 *of 2014 (7 U.S.C. 9017(b)(1)), under which—*

6           **(1)** *county data of the National Agricultural*  
7 *Statistics Service (referred to in this section as*  
8 *“NASS data”) is used for the calculations;*

9           **(2)** *if there is insufficient NASS data for a coun-*  
10 *ty (as determined under standards of the Secretary in*  
11 *effect as of the date of enactment of this Act) or the*  
12 *available NASS data produces a substantially dis-*  
13 *parate result, the calculation of the county yield is de-*  
14 *termined using comparable contiguous county NASS*  
15 *data as determined by the Farm Service Agency office*  
16 *in the applicable State; and*

17           **(3)** *if there is insufficient NASS data for a com-*  
18 *parable contiguous county (as determined under*  
19 *standards of the Secretary in effect as of the date of*  
20 *enactment of this Act), the calculation of the county*  
21 *yield is determined using reliable yield data from*  
22 *other sources, such as Risk Management Agency data,*  
23 *National Agricultural Statistics Service district data,*  
24 *National Agricultural Statistics Service State yield*

1        *data, or other data as determined by the Farm Serv-*  
2        *ice Agency office in the applicable State.*

3        *(c)(1) A supplemental payment made under the pilot*  
4        *program established under this section may be made to an*  
5        *agricultural producer who is subject to the alternate cal-*  
6        *culatation method described in subsection (b) if that agricul-*  
7        *tural producer would otherwise receive a county-level agri-*  
8        *culture risk coverage payment for the 2018 crop year in*  
9        *an amount that is less than the payment that the agricul-*  
10       *tural producer would receive under the alternate calculation*  
11       *method.*

12       *(2) The amount of a supplemental payment to an agri-*  
13       *cultural producer under this section may not exceed the dif-*  
14       *ference between—*

15            *(A) the payment that the agricultural producer*  
16            *would have received without the alternate calculation*  
17            *method described in subsection (b); and*

18            *(B) the payment that the agricultural producer*  
19            *would receive using the alternate calculation method.*

20        *(d)(1) There is appropriated to the Secretary, out of*  
21        *funds of the Treasury not otherwise appropriated,*  
22        *\$5,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020,*  
23        *to carry out the pilot program described in this section.*

1       (2) *Of the funds appropriated, the Secretary shall use*  
2 *not more than \$5,000,000 to carry out the pilot program*  
3 *described in this section.*

4       (e)(1) *To the maximum extent practicable, the Sec-*  
5 *retary shall select States to participate in the pilot program*  
6 *under this section so the cost of the pilot program equals*  
7 *the amount provided under subsection (d).*

8       (2) *To the extent that the cost of the pilot program*  
9 *exceeds the amount made available, the Secretary shall re-*  
10 *duce all payments under the pilot program on a pro rata*  
11 *basis.*

12       (f) *Nothing in this section affects the calculation of ac-*  
13 *tual yield for purposes of county-level agriculture risk cov-*  
14 *erage payments under section 1117(b)(1) of the Agricultural*  
15 *Act of 2014 (7 U.S.C. 9017(b)(1)) other than payments*  
16 *made in accordance with the pilot program under this sec-*  
17 *tion.*

18       (g) *A calculation of actual yield made using the alter-*  
19 *nate calculation method described in subsection (b) shall not*  
20 *be used as a basis for any agriculture risk coverage payment*  
21 *determinations under section 1117 of the Agricultural Act*  
22 *of 2014 (7 U.S.C. 9017) other than for purposes of the pilot*  
23 *program under this section.*

24       SEC. 748. *The Secretary of Agriculture and the Sec-*  
25 *retary's designees are hereby granted the same access to in-*

1 formation and subject to the same requirements applicable  
2 to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development as  
3 provided in section 453 of the Social Security Act (42  
4 U.S.C. 653) and section 6103(1)(7)(D)(ix) of the Internal  
5 Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 1603(1)(7)(D)(ix)) to  
6 verify the income for individuals participating in sections  
7 502, 504, 521, and 542 of the Housing Act of 1949 (42  
8 U.S.C. 1472, 1474, 1490a, and 1490r), notwithstanding sec-  
9 tion 453(l)(1) of the Social Security Act.

10       SEC. 749. In addition to any other funds made avail-  
11 able in this Act or any other Act, there is appropriated  
12 \$5,000,000 to carry out section 18(g)(8) of the Richard B.  
13 Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1769(g)), to  
14 remain available until expended.

15       SEC. 750. None of the funds made available by this  
16 Act may be used by the Food and Drug Administration to  
17 develop, issue, promote, or advance any regulations appli-  
18 cable to food manufacturers for population-wide sodium re-  
19 duction actions or to develop, issue, promote or advance  
20 final guidance applicable to food manufacturers for long  
21 term population-wide sodium reduction actions until the  
22 date on which a dietary reference intake report with respect  
23 to sodium is completed.

24       SEC. 751. There is hereby appropriated \$1,000,000, to  
25 remain available until September 30, 2020, for the cost of

1 *loans and grants that is consistent with section 4206 of the*  
2 *Agricultural Act of 2014, for necessary expenses of the Sec-*  
3 *retary to support projects that provide access to healthy food*  
4 *in underserved areas, to create and preserve quality jobs,*  
5 *and to revitalize low-income communities.*

6       *SEC. 752. For an additional amount for “Animal and*  
7 *Plant Health Inspection Service—Salaries and Expenses”,*  
8 *\$7,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020,*  
9 *for one-time control and management and associated activi-*  
10 *ties directly related to the multiple-agency response to citrus*  
11 *greening.*

12       *SEC. 753. None of the funds made available by this*  
13 *or any other Act may be used to enforce the final rule pro-*  
14 *mulgated by the Food and Drug Administration entitled*  
15 *“Standards for the Growing, Harvesting, Packing, and*  
16 *Holding of Produce for Human Consumption,” and pub-*  
17 *lished on November 27, 2015, with respect to the regulation*  
18 *of the production, distribution, sale, or receipt of grape*  
19 *varietals that are grown, harvested and used solely for wine*  
20 *and receive commercial processing that adequately reduces*  
21 *the presence of microorganisms of public health signifi-*  
22 *cance.*

23       *SEC. 754. There is hereby appropriated \$20,000,000,*  
24 *to remain available until expended, for an additional*  
25 *amount for telemedicine and distance learning services in*

1 *rural areas, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 950aaa et seq., to*  
2 *help address the opioid epidemic in rural America.*

3 *SEC. 755. There is hereby appropriated \$5,000,000, to*  
4 *remain available until September 30, 2020, for a pilot pro-*  
5 *gram for the National Institute of Food and Agriculture*  
6 *to provide grants to nonprofit organizations for programs*  
7 *and services to establish and enhance farming and ranching*  
8 *opportunities for military veterans.*

9 *SEC. 756. There is hereby appropriated \$425,000,000,*  
10 *to remain available until expended, for an additional*  
11 *amount for Sec. 779 of Public Law 115–141.*

12 *SEC. 757. For an additional amount for the cost of*  
13 *direct loans and grants made under the “Rural Water and*  
14 *Waste Disposal Program Account”, \$400,000,000, to re-*  
15 *main available until expended.*

16 *SEC. 758. None of the funds made available by this*  
17 *Act may be used to pay the salaries or expenses of per-*  
18 *sonnel—*

19 *(1) to inspect horses under section 3 of the Fed-*  
20 *eral Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 603);*

21 *(2) to inspect horses under section 903 of the*  
22 *Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of*  
23 *1996 (7 U.S.C. 1901 note; Public Law 104–127); or*

1           (3) to implement or enforce section 352.19 of  
2           title 9, Code of Federal Regulations (or a successor  
3           regulation).

4           SEC. 759. None of the funds made available by this  
5           Act may be used to revoke an exception made—

6           (1) pursuant to the final rule of the Department  
7           of Agriculture entitled “Exceptions to Geographic  
8           Areas for Official Agencies Under the USGSA” (68  
9           Fed. Reg. 19137 (April 18, 2003)); and

10          (2) on a date before April 14, 2017.

11          SEC. 760. The Secretary of Agriculture shall provide  
12          to any State or county impacted by a volcanic eruption  
13          covered by a major disaster declared by the President in  
14          calendar year 2018 in accordance with section 401 of the  
15          Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assist-  
16          ance Act (42 U.S.C. 5170) technical assistance—

17          (1) to assess damage to agricultural production  
18          and rural infrastructure; and

19          (2) to develop recovery plans for impacted farm-  
20          ers, ranchers, and rural communities.

21                                   RESEARCH ON OCEAN AGRICULTURE

22          SEC. 761. (a) The Secretary of Agriculture, in coordi-  
23          nation with the Administrator of the National Oceanic and  
24          Atmospheric Administration, shall establish a working  
25          group (referred to in this section as the “working group”)—



1           (1) *to study how mangroves, kelp forests, tidal*  
2 *marshes, and seagrass meadows could help deacidify*  
3 *the oceans;*

4           (2) *to study emerging ocean farming practices*  
5 *that use kelp and seagrass to deacidify the oceans*  
6 *while providing feedstock for agriculture and other*  
7 *commercial and industrial inputs; and*

8           (3) *to coordinate and conduct research to develop*  
9 *and enhance pilot-scale research for farming of kelp*  
10 *and seagrass in order—*

11                   (A) *to deacidify ocean environments;*

12                   (B) *to produce a feedstock for agriculture;*

13                   *and*

14                   (C) *to develop other scalable commercial ap-*  
15 *plications for kelp, seagrass, or products derived*  
16 *from kelp or seagrass.*

17           (b) *The working group shall include—*

18                   (1) *the Secretary of Agriculture;*

19                   (2) *the Administrator of the National Oceanic*  
20 *and Atmospheric Administration;*

21                   (3) *representatives of any relevant offices within*  
22 *the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administra-*  
23 *tion; and*

24                   (4) *the Assistant Secretary of Energy for Energy*  
25 *Efficiency and Renewable Energy.*

1       (c) Not later than 2 years after the date of enactment  
2 of this Act, the working group shall submit to Congress a  
3 report that includes—

4           (1) the findings of the research described in sub-  
5 section (a);

6           (2) the results of the pilot-scale research described  
7 in subsection (a)(3); and

8           (3) any policy recommendations based on those  
9 findings and results.

10       SEC. 762. Not later than 180 days after the date of  
11 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall  
12 submit to Congress a report describing the ways in which  
13 conservation programs administered by the Natural Re-  
14 sources Conservation Service may be better used for the con-  
15 servation of ocelots (*Leopardus pardalis*) and any action  
16 taken by the Chief of the Natural Resources Conservation  
17 Service relating to the conservation of ocelots.

18       SEC. 763. Not later than 1 year after the date of enact-  
19 ment of this Act, the Rural Housing Service of the Depart-  
20 ment of Agriculture shall submit to Congress a report in-  
21 cluding—

22           (1) a description of—

23               (A) the number of properties assisted under  
24 title V of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C.

1           1471 et seq.) that are reaching the end of their  
2           loan term;

3                   (B) the location of each property described  
4           in subparagraph (A);

5                   (C) the number of units in each property  
6           described in subparagraph (A); and

7                   (D) the date on which each the loan for each  
8           property described in subparagraph (A) is ex-  
9           pected to reach maturity;

10           (2) the strategy of the Rural Housing Service to  
11           preserve the long-term affordability of the properties  
12           described in paragraph (1)(A) when the loan matures;  
13           and

14                   (3) a description of the resources and tools that  
15           the Rural Housing Service needs from Congress in  
16           order to preserve the long-term affordability of the  
17           properties described in paragraph (1) (A).

18           SEC. 764. Out of amounts appropriated to the Food  
19           and Drug Administration under title VI, the Secretary of  
20           Health and Human Services, acting through the Commis-  
21           sioner of Food and Drugs, shall, not later than July 1,  
22           2019, and following the review required under Executive  
23           Order 12866 (5 U.S.C. 601 note; relating to regulatory  
24           planning and review), issue advice revising the advice pro-  
25           vided in the notice of availability entitled “Advice About

1 *Eating Fish, From the Environmental Protection Agency*  
2 *and Food and Drug Administration; Revised Fish Advice;*  
3 *Availability” (82 Fed. Reg. 6571 (January 19, 2017)), in*  
4 *a manner that is consistent with nutrition science recog-*  
5 *nized by the Food and Drug Administration on the net ef-*  
6 *fects of seafood consumption.*

7 *SEC. 765. In administering the pilot program estab-*  
8 *lished by section 779 of division A of the Consolidated Ap-*  
9 *propriations Act, 2018 (Public Law 115–141), the Sec-*  
10 *retary of Agriculture shall—*

11 *(1) ensure that applicants that are determined to*  
12 *be ineligible for the pilot program have a means of*  
13 *appealing or otherwise challenging that determination*  
14 *in a timely fashion; and*

15 *(2) in determining whether an entity may over-*  
16 *build or duplicate broadband expansion efforts made*  
17 *by any entity that has received a broadband loan*  
18 *from the Rural Utilities Service, not consider loans*  
19 *that were rescinded or defaulted on, or loans the terms*  
20 *and conditions of which were not met, if the entity*  
21 *under consideration has not previously defaulted on,*  
22 *or failed to meet the terms and conditions of, a Rural*  
23 *Utilities Service loan or had a Rural Utilities Service*  
24 *loan rescinded.*



1        *This division may be cited as the “Agriculture, Rural*  
2 *Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related*  
3 *Agencies Appropriations Act, 2019”.*

1 ***DIVISION D—TRANSPORTATION, HOUSING***  
2 ***AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AND RE-***  
3 ***LATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS***  
4 ***ACT, 2019***

5 *That the following sums are appropriated, out of any*  
6 *money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the*  
7 *Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban*  
8 *Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending*  
9 *September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, namely:*

10 ***TITLE I***

11 ***DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION***

12 ***OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY***

13 ***SALARIES AND EXPENSES***

14 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Secretary,*  
15 *\$113,535,000, of which not to exceed \$3,001,000 shall be*  
16 *available for the immediate Office of the Secretary; not to*  
17 *exceed \$1,040,000 shall be available for the immediate Of-*  
18 *fice of the Deputy Secretary; not to exceed \$20,428,000 shall*  
19 *be available for the Office of the General Counsel; not to*  
20 *exceed \$10,265,000 shall be available for the Office of the*  
21 *Under Secretary of Transportation for Policy; not to exceed*  
22 *\$14,019,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assistant*  
23 *Secretary for Budget and Programs; not to exceed*  
24 *\$2,550,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assistant*  
25 *Secretary for Governmental Affairs; not to exceed*

1 \$29,244,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assistant  
2 Secretary for Administration; not to exceed \$2,142,000 shall  
3 be available for the Office of Public Affairs; not to exceed  
4 \$1,835,000 shall be available for the Office of the Executive  
5 Secretariat; not to exceed \$12,325,000 shall be available for  
6 the Office of Intelligence, Security, and Emergency Re-  
7 sponse; and not to exceed \$16,686,000 shall be available for  
8 the Office of the Chief Information Officer: Provided, That  
9 the Secretary of Transportation is authorized to transfer  
10 funds appropriated for any office of the Office of the Sec-  
11 retary to any other office of the Office of the Secretary: Pro-  
12 vided further, That no appropriation for any office shall  
13 be increased or decreased by more than 5 percent by all  
14 such transfers: Provided further, That notice of any change  
15 in funding greater than 5 percent shall be submitted for  
16 approval to the House and Senate Committees on Appro-  
17 priations: Provided further, That not to exceed \$60,000  
18 shall be for allocation within the Department for official  
19 reception and representation expenses as the Secretary may  
20 determine: Provided further, That notwithstanding any  
21 other provision of law, excluding fees authorized in Public  
22 Law 107-71, there may be credited to this appropriation  
23 up to \$2,500,000 in funds received in user fees: Provided  
24 further, That none of the funds provided in this Act shall



1 *be available for the position of Assistant Secretary for Pub-*  
2 *lic Affairs.*

3 *RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY*

4 *For necessary expenses related to the Office of the As-*  
5 *stant Secretary for Research and Technology, \$8,471,000,*  
6 *of which \$2,218,000 shall remain available until September*  
7 *30, 2021: Provided, That there may be credited to this ap-*  
8 *propriation, to be available until expended, funds received*  
9 *from States, counties, municipalities, other public authori-*  
10 *ties, and private sources for expenses incurred for training:*  
11 *Provided further, That any reference in law, regulation, ju-*  
12 *dicial proceedings, or elsewhere to the Research and Innova-*  
13 *tive Technology Administration shall continue to be deemed*  
14 *to be a reference to the Office of the Assistant Secretary*  
15 *for Research and Technology of the Department of Trans-*  
16 *portation.*

17 *NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENTS*

18 *For capital investments in surface transportation in-*  
19 *frastructure, \$1,000,000,000, to remain available through*  
20 *September 30, 2021: Provided, That the Secretary of Trans-*  
21 *portation shall distribute funds provided under this heading*  
22 *as discretionary grants to be awarded to a State, local gov-*  
23 *ernment, transit agency, port authority, or a collaboration*  
24 *among such entities on a competitive basis for projects that*  
25 *will have a significant local or regional impact: Provided*

1 *further, That projects eligible for funding provided under*  
2 *this heading shall include, but not be limited to, highway*  
3 *or bridge projects eligible under title 23, United States*  
4 *Code; public transportation projects eligible under chapter*  
5 *53 of title 49, United States Code; passenger and freight*  
6 *rail transportation projects; and port infrastructure invest-*  
7 *ments (including inland port infrastructure and land ports*  
8 *of entry): Provided further, That of the amount made avail-*  
9 *able under this heading, the Secretary may use an amount*  
10 *not to exceed \$15,000,000 for the planning, preparation or*  
11 *design of projects eligible for funding under this heading:*  
12 *Provided further, That grants awarded under the previous*  
13 *proviso shall not be subject to a minimum grant size: Pro-*  
14 *vided further, That the Secretary may use up to 20 percent*  
15 *of the funds made available under this heading for the pur-*  
16 *pose of paying the subsidy and administrative costs of*  
17 *projects eligible for Federal credit assistance under chapter*  
18 *6 of title 23, United States Code, or sections 501 through*  
19 *504 of the Railroad Revitalization and Regulatory Reform*  
20 *Act of 1976 (Public Law 94–210), as amended, if the Sec-*  
21 *retary finds that such use of the funds would advance the*  
22 *purposes of this paragraph: Provided further, That in dis-*  
23 *tributing funds provided under this heading, the Secretary*  
24 *shall take such measures so as to ensure an equitable geo-*  
25 *graphic distribution of funds, an appropriate balance in*

1 *addressing the needs of urban and rural areas, and the in-*  
2 *vestment in a variety of transportation modes: Provided*  
3 *further, That a grant funded under this heading shall be*  
4 *not less than \$5,000,000 and not greater than \$25,000,000:*  
5 *Provided further, That not more than 10 percent of the*  
6 *funds made available under this heading may be awarded*  
7 *to projects in a single State: Provided further, That the Fed-*  
8 *eral share of the costs for which an expenditure is made*  
9 *under this heading shall be, at the option of the recipient,*  
10 *up to 80 percent: Provided further, That the Secretary shall*  
11 *give priority to projects that require a contribution of Fed-*  
12 *eral funds in order to complete an overall financing pack-*  
13 *age: Provided further, That not less than 30 percent of the*  
14 *funds provided under this heading shall be for projects lo-*  
15 *cated in rural areas: Provided further, That for projects lo-*  
16 *cated in rural areas, the minimum grant size shall be*  
17 *\$1,000,000 and the Secretary may increase the Federal*  
18 *share of costs above 80 percent: Provided further, That*  
19 *projects conducted using funds provided under this heading*  
20 *must comply with the requirements of subchapter IV of*  
21 *chapter 31 of title 40, United States Code: Provided further,*  
22 *That the Secretary shall conduct a new competition to select*  
23 *the grants and credit assistance awarded under this head-*  
24 *ing: Provided further, That the Secretary may retain up*  
25 *to \$25,000,000 of the funds provided under this heading,*

1 *and may transfer portions of those funds to the Administra-*  
2 *tors of the Federal Highway Administration, the Federal*  
3 *Transit Administration, the Federal Railroad Administra-*  
4 *tion, and the Maritime Administration to fund the award*  
5 *and oversight of grants and credit assistance made under*  
6 *the National Infrastructure Investments program: Provided*  
7 *further, That none of the funds provided in the previous*  
8 *proviso may be used to hire additional personnel: Provided*  
9 *further, That the Secretary shall consider and award*  
10 *projects based solely on the selection criteria from the fiscal*  
11 *year 2016 Notice of Funding Opportunity: Provided fur-*  
12 *ther, That the Secretary shall not use the Federal share or*  
13 *an applicant's ability to generate non-Federal revenue as*  
14 *a selection criteria in awarding projects: Provided further,*  
15 *That the Secretary shall issue the Notice of Funding Oppor-*  
16 *tunity no later than 60 days after enactment of this Act:*  
17 *Provided further, That the Notice of Funding Opportunity*  
18 *shall require application submissions 90 days after the pub-*  
19 *lishing of such Notice: Provided further, That of the appli-*  
20 *cations submitted under the previous two provisos, the Sec-*  
21 *retary shall make grants no later than 270 days after enact-*  
22 *ment of this Act in such amounts that the Secretary deter-*  
23 *mines: Provided further, That such sums provided for na-*  
24 *tional infrastructure investments for passenger rail trans-*  
25 *portation projects under title I of division C of the Consoli-*

1 *dated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2012*  
2 *(Public Law 112–55; 125 Stat. 641), shall remain available*  
3 *for expenditure through fiscal year 2019 for the liquidation*  
4 *of valid obligations of active grants incurred in fiscal year*  
5 *2012: Provided further, That such sums provided for na-*  
6 *tional infrastructure investments for port infrastructure*  
7 *projects under title VIII of division F of the Consolidated*  
8 *and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2013 (Public*  
9 *Law 113–6; 127 Stat. 432) shall remain available through*  
10 *fiscal year 2020 for the liquidation of valid obligations of*  
11 *active grants incurred in fiscal year 2013: Provided further,*  
12 *That the 2 preceding provisos shall be applied as if they*  
13 *were in effect on September 30, 2018: Provided further,*  
14 *That after calculating the distribution of obligation limita-*  
15 *tion for Federal-aid highways for fiscal year 2019 under*  
16 *section 120(a), the obligation limitation shall be reduced*  
17 *by \$52,000,000 to a total of \$45,216,596,000: Provided fur-*  
18 *ther, That the reduction in the preceding proviso shall be*  
19 *applied to the obligation limitation determined under sec-*  
20 *tion 120(a)(4) for the TIFIA program (as defined in section*  
21 *601(a) of title 23, United States Code).*

22 *NATIONAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION AND INNOVATIVE*  
23 *FINANCE BUREAU*

24 *For necessary expenses of the National Surface Trans-*  
25 *portation and Innovative Finance Bureau as authorized by*

1 49 U.S.C. 116, \$2,987,000, to remain available until ex-  
2 pended.

3 *FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT CAPITAL*

4 *For necessary expenses for upgrading and enhancing*  
5 *the Department of Transportation's financial systems and*  
6 *re-engineering business processes, \$2,000,000, to remain*  
7 *available through September 30, 2020.*

8 *CYBER SECURITY INITIATIVES*

9 *For necessary expenses for cyber security initiatives,*  
10 *including necessary upgrades to wide area network and in-*  
11 *formation technology infrastructure, improvement of net-*  
12 *work perimeter controls and identity management, testing*  
13 *and assessment of information technology against business,*  
14 *security, and other requirements, implementation of Fed-*  
15 *eral cyber security initiatives and information infrastruc-*  
16 *ture enhancements, and implementation of enhanced secu-*  
17 *rity controls on network devices, \$15,000,000, to remain*  
18 *available through September 30, 2020.*

19 *OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS*

20 *For necessary expenses of the Office of Civil Rights,*  
21 *\$9,470,000.*

22 *TRANSPORTATION PLANNING, RESEARCH, AND*

23 *DEVELOPMENT*

24 *For necessary expenses for conducting transportation*  
25 *planning, research, systems development, development ac-*

1 *tivities, and making grants, \$7,879,000, to remain avail-*  
2 *able until expended: Provided, That of such amount,*  
3 *\$1,000,000 shall be for necessary expenses for the Inter-*  
4 *agency Infrastructure Permitting Improvement Center*  
5 *(IIPIC): Provided further, That there may be transferred*  
6 *to this appropriation, to remain available until expended,*  
7 *amounts transferred from other Federal agencies for ex-*  
8 *penses incurred under this heading for IIPIC activities not*  
9 *related to transportation infrastructure: Provided further,*  
10 *That the tools and analysis developed by the IIPIC shall*  
11 *be available to other Federal agencies for the permitting and*  
12 *review of major infrastructure projects not related to trans-*  
13 *portation only to the extent that other Federal agencies pro-*  
14 *vide funding to the Department as provided for under the*  
15 *previous proviso.*

16 *WORKING CAPITAL FUND*

17 *For necessary expenses for operating costs and capital*  
18 *outlays of the Working Capital Fund, not to exceed*  
19 *\$203,883,000, shall be paid from appropriations made*  
20 *available to the Department of Transportation: Provided,*  
21 *That such services shall be provided on a competitive basis*  
22 *to entities within the Department of Transportation: Pro-*  
23 *vided further, That the above limitation on operating ex-*  
24 *penses shall not apply to non-DOT entities: Provided fur-*  
25 *ther, That no funds appropriated in this Act to an agency*

1 *of the Department shall be transferred to the Working Cap-*  
2 *ital Fund without majority approval of the Working Cap-*  
3 *ital Fund Steering Committee and approval of the Sec-*  
4 *retary: Provided further, That no assessments may be levied*  
5 *against any program, budget activity, subactivity or project*  
6 *funded by this Act unless notice of such assessments and*  
7 *the basis therefor are presented to the House and Senate*  
8 *Committees on Appropriations and are approved by such*  
9 *Committees.*

10 *MINORITY BUSINESS RESOURCE CENTER PROGRAM*

11 *For necessary expenses of the Minority Business Re-*  
12 *source Center, the provision of financial education outreach*  
13 *activities to eligible transportation-related small businesses,*  
14 *the monitoring of existing loans in the guaranteed loan pro-*  
15 *gram, and the modification of such loans of the Minority*  
16 *Business Resource Center, \$249,000, as authorized by 49*  
17 *U.S.C. 332: Provided, That notwithstanding that section,*  
18 *these funds may be for business opportunities related to any*  
19 *mode of transportation.*

20 *SMALL AND DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS UTILIZATION AND*  
21 *OUTREACH*

22 *For necessary expenses for small and disadvantaged*  
23 *business utilization and outreach activities, \$3,488,000, to*  
24 *remain available until September 30, 2020: Provided, That*  
25 *notwithstanding 49 U.S.C. 332, these funds may be used*



1 *for business opportunities related to any mode of transpor-*  
2 *tation.*

3 *PAYMENTS TO AIR CARRIERS*

4 *(AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND)*

5 *In addition to funds made available from any other*  
6 *source to carry out the essential air service program under*  
7 *49 U.S.C. 41731 through 41742, \$175,000,000, to be derived*  
8 *from the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, to remain avail-*  
9 *able until expended: Provided, That in determining between*  
10 *or among carriers competing to provide service to a commu-*  
11 *nity, the Secretary may consider the relative subsidy re-*  
12 *quirements of the carriers: Provided further, That basic es-*  
13 *sential air service minimum requirements shall not include*  
14 *the 15-passenger capacity requirement under subsection*  
15 *41732(b)(3) of title 49, United States Code: Provided fur-*  
16 *ther, That none of the funds in this Act or any other Act*  
17 *shall be used to enter into a new contract with a community*  
18 *located less than 40 miles from the nearest small hub air-*  
19 *port before the Secretary has negotiated with the commu-*  
20 *nity over a local cost share: Provided further, That amounts*  
21 *authorized to be distributed for the essential air service pro-*  
22 *gram under subsection 41742(b) of title 49, United States*  
23 *Code, shall be made available immediately from amounts*  
24 *otherwise provided to the Administrator of the Federal*  
25 *Aviation Administration: Provided further, That the Ad-*

1 *ministrator may reimburse such amounts from fees credited*  
2 *to the account established under section 45303 of title 49,*  
3 *United States Code.*

4 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY*  
5 *OF TRANSPORTATION*

6 *SEC. 101. None of the funds made available in this*  
7 *Act to the Department of Transportation may be obligated*  
8 *for the Office of the Secretary of Transportation to approve*  
9 *assessments or reimbursable agreements pertaining to funds*  
10 *appropriated to the modal administrations in this Act, ex-*  
11 *cept for activities underway on the date of enactment of*  
12 *this Act, unless such assessments or agreements have com-*  
13 *pleted the normal reprogramming process for Congressional*  
14 *notification.*

15 *SEC. 102. The Secretary shall post on the Web site of*  
16 *the Department of Transportation a schedule of all meetings*  
17 *of the Council on Credit and Finance, including the agenda*  
18 *for each meeting, and require the Council on Credit and*  
19 *Finance to record the decisions and actions of each meeting.*

20 *SEC. 103. In addition to authority provided by section*  
21 *327 of title 49, United States Code, the Department's Work-*  
22 *ing Capital Fund is hereby authorized to provide partial*  
23 *or full payments in advance and accept subsequent reim-*  
24 *bursements from all Federal agencies from available funds*  
25 *for transit benefit distribution services that are necessary*

1 *to carry out the Federal transit pass transportation fringe*  
2 *benefit program under Executive Order No. 13150 and sec-*  
3 *tion 3049 of Public Law 109–59: Provided, That the De-*  
4 *partment shall maintain a reasonable operating reserve in*  
5 *the Working Capital Fund, to be expended in advance to*  
6 *provide uninterrupted transit benefits to Government em-*  
7 *ployees: Provided further, That such reserve will not exceed*  
8 *one month of benefits payable and may be used only for*  
9 *the purpose of providing for the continuation of transit ben-*  
10 *efits: Provided further, That the Working Capital Fund will*  
11 *be fully reimbursed by each customer agency from available*  
12 *funds for the actual cost of the transit benefit.*

13 *FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION*

14 *OPERATIONS*

15 *(AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND)*

16 *For necessary expenses of the Federal Aviation Admin-*  
17 *istration, not otherwise provided for, including operations*  
18 *and research activities related to commercial space trans-*  
19 *portation, administrative expenses for research and develop-*  
20 *ment, establishment of air navigation facilities, the oper-*  
21 *ation (including leasing) and maintenance of aircraft, sub-*  
22 *sidizing the cost of aeronautical charts and maps sold to*  
23 *the public, the lease or purchase of passenger motor vehicles*  
24 *for replacement only, in addition to amounts made avail-*  
25 *able by Public Law 112–95, \$10,410,758,000, to remain*

1 available until September 30, 2020, of which  
2 \$9,833,400,000 shall be derived from the Airport and Air-  
3 way Trust Fund, of which not to exceed \$7,843,427,000  
4 shall be available for air traffic organization activities; not  
5 to exceed \$1,334,377,000 shall be available for aviation safe-  
6 ty activities; not to exceed \$24,981,000 shall be available  
7 for commercial space transportation activities; not to exceed  
8 \$816,562,000 shall be available for finance and manage-  
9 ment activities; not to exceed \$61,796,000 shall be available  
10 for NextGen and operations planning activities; not to ex-  
11 ceed \$114,312,000 shall be available for security and haz-  
12 ardous materials safety; and not to exceed \$215,303,000  
13 shall be available for staff offices: Provided, That not to ex-  
14 ceed 5 percent of any budget activity, except for aviation  
15 safety budget activity, may be transferred to any budget  
16 activity under this heading: Provided further, That no  
17 transfer may increase or decrease any appropriation by  
18 more than 5 percent: Provided further, That any transfer  
19 in excess of 5 percent shall be treated as a reprogramming  
20 of funds under section 405 of this Act and shall not be avail-  
21 able for obligation or expenditure except in compliance with  
22 the procedures set forth in that section: Provided further,  
23 That not later than March 31 of each fiscal year hereafter,  
24 the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration  
25 shall transmit to Congress an annual update to the report

1 *submitted to Congress in December 2004 pursuant to sec-*  
2 *tion 221 of Public Law 108–176: Provided further, That*  
3 *the amount herein appropriated shall be reduced by*  
4 *\$100,000 for each day after March 31 that such report has*  
5 *not been submitted to the Congress: Provided further, That*  
6 *not later than March 31 of each fiscal year hereafter, the*  
7 *Administrator shall transmit to Congress a companion re-*  
8 *port that describes a comprehensive strategy for staffing,*  
9 *hiring, and training flight standards and aircraft certifi-*  
10 *cation staff in a format similar to the one utilized for the*  
11 *controller staffing plan, including stated attrition estimates*  
12 *and numerical hiring goals by fiscal year: Provided further,*  
13 *That the amount herein appropriated shall be reduced by*  
14 *\$100,000 per day for each day after March 31 that such*  
15 *report has not been submitted to Congress: Provided further,*  
16 *That funds may be used to enter into a grant agreement*  
17 *with a nonprofit standard-setting organization to assist in*  
18 *the development of aviation safety standards: Provided fur-*  
19 *ther, That none of the funds in this Act shall be available*  
20 *for new applicants for the second career training program:*  
21 *Provided further, That none of the funds in this Act shall*  
22 *be available for the Federal Aviation Administration to fi-*  
23 *nalize or implement any regulation that would promulgate*  
24 *new aviation user fees not specifically authorized by law*  
25 *after the date of the enactment of this Act: Provided further,*

1 *That there may be credited to this appropriation, as offset-*  
2 *ting collections, funds received from States, counties, mu-*  
3 *nicipalities, foreign authorities, other public authorities,*  
4 *and private sources for expenses incurred in the provision*  
5 *of agency services, including receipts for the maintenance*  
6 *and operation of air navigation facilities, and for issuance,*  
7 *renewal or modification of certificates, including airman,*  
8 *aircraft, and repair station certificates, or for tests related*  
9 *thereto, or for processing major repair or alteration forms:*  
10 *Provided further, That of the funds appropriated under this*  
11 *heading, not less than \$168,000,000 shall be used to fund*  
12 *direct operations of the current 254 air traffic control tow-*  
13 *ers in the contract tower program, including the contract*  
14 *tower cost share program, and any airport that is currently*  
15 *qualified or that will qualify for the program during the*  
16 *fiscal year: Provided further, That none of the funds in this*  
17 *Act for aeronautical charting and cartography are available*  
18 *for activities conducted by, or coordinated through, the*  
19 *Working Capital Fund: Provided further, That none of the*  
20 *funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act*  
21 *or any other Act may be used to eliminate the Contract*  
22 *Weather Observers program at any airport: Provided fur-*  
23 *ther, That of the amount appropriated under this heading,*  
24 *up to \$6,000,000 shall be used for providing matching funds*  
25 *to qualified commercial entities seeking to demonstrate or*

1 *validate technologies that the Federal Aviation Administra-*  
2 *tion considers essential to the safe integration of unmanned*  
3 *aircraft systems (UAS) in the National Airspace System*  
4 *at Federal Aviation Administration designated UAS test*  
5 *sites: Provided further, That not later than 60 days after*  
6 *the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of the*  
7 *Federal Aviation Administration shall identify essential in-*  
8 *tegration technologies that could be demonstrated or vali-*  
9 *dated at test sites designated in accordance with the pre-*  
10 *ceding proviso.*

11 *FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*

12 *(AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND)*

13 *For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, for*  
14 *acquisition, establishment, technical support services, im-*  
15 *provement by contract or purchase, and hire of national*  
16 *airspace systems and experimental facilities and equip-*  
17 *ment, as authorized under part A of subtitle VII of title*  
18 *49, United States Code, including initial acquisition of nec-*  
19 *essary sites by lease or grant; engineering and service test-*  
20 *ing, including construction of test facilities and acquisition*  
21 *of necessary sites by lease or grant; construction and fur-*  
22 *nishing of quarters and related accommodations for officers*  
23 *and employees of the Federal Aviation Administration sta-*  
24 *tioned at remote localities where such accommodations are*  
25 *not available; and the purchase, lease, or transfer of aircraft*

1 *from funds available under this heading, including aircraft*  
2 *for aviation regulation and certification; to be derived from*  
3 *the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, \$3,000,000,000, of*  
4 *which \$512,823,000 shall remain available until September*  
5 *30, 2020, \$2,362,977,000 shall remain available until Sep-*  
6 *tember 30, 2021, and \$124,200,000 shall remain available*  
7 *until expended: Provided, That there may be credited to this*  
8 *appropriation funds received from States, counties, munici-*  
9 *palities, other public authorities, and private sources, for*  
10 *expenses incurred in the establishment, improvement, and*  
11 *modernization of national airspace systems: Provided fur-*  
12 *ther, That no later than March 31, the Secretary of Trans-*  
13 *portation shall transmit to the Congress an investment plan*  
14 *for the Federal Aviation Administration which includes*  
15 *funding for each budget line item for fiscal years 2020*  
16 *through 2024, with total funding for each year of the plan*  
17 *constrained to the funding targets for those years as esti-*  
18 *mated and approved by the Office of Management and*  
19 *Budget.*

20 *RESEARCH, ENGINEERING, AND DEVELOPMENT*

21 *(AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND)*

22 *For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for, for*  
23 *research, engineering, and development, as authorized*  
24 *under part A of subtitle VII of title 49, United States Code,*  
25 *including construction of experimental facilities and acqui-*



1 *sition of necessary sites by lease or grant, \$191,000,000, to*  
 2 *be derived from the Airport and Airway Trust Fund and*  
 3 *to remain available until September 30, 2021: Provided,*  
 4 *That there may be credited to this appropriation as offset-*  
 5 *ting collections, funds received from States, counties, mu-*  
 6 *nicipalities, other public authorities, and private sources,*  
 7 *which shall be available for expenses incurred for research,*  
 8 *engineering, and development.*

9                                   GRANTS-IN-AID FOR AIRPORTS  
 10                   (LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)  
 11                                   (LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)  
 12                                   (AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND)  
 13                                   (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

14       *For liquidation of obligations incurred for grants-in-*  
 15 *aid for airport planning and development, and noise com-*  
 16 *patibility planning and programs as authorized under sub-*  
 17 *chapter I of chapter 471 and subchapter I of chapter 475*  
 18 *of title 49, United States Code, and under other law author-*  
 19 *izing such obligations; for procurement, installation, and*  
 20 *commissioning of runway incursion prevention devices and*  
 21 *systems at airports of such title; for grants authorized under*  
 22 *section 41743 of title 49, United States Code; and for in-*  
 23 *spection activities and administration of airport safety pro-*  
 24 *grams, including those related to airport operating certifi-*  
 25 *cates under section 44706 of title 49, United States Code,*

1 \$3,000,000,000, to be derived from the Airport and Airway  
2 Trust Fund and to remain available until expended: Pro-  
3 vided, That none of the funds under this heading shall be  
4 available for the planning or execution of programs the obli-  
5 gations for which are in excess of \$3,350,000,000 in fiscal  
6 year 2019, notwithstanding section 47117(g) of title 49,  
7 United States Code: Provided further, That none of the  
8 funds under this heading shall be available for the replace-  
9 ment of baggage conveyor systems, reconfiguration of ter-  
10 minal baggage areas, or other airport improvements that  
11 are necessary to install bulk explosive detection systems:  
12 Provided further, That notwithstanding section 47109(a) of  
13 title 49, United States Code, the Government's share of al-  
14 lowable project costs under paragraph (2) for subgrants or  
15 paragraph (3) of that section shall be 95 percent for a  
16 project at other than a large or medium hub airport that  
17 is a successive phase of a multi-phased construction project  
18 for which the project sponsor received a grant in fiscal year  
19 2011 for the construction project: Provided further, That  
20 notwithstanding any other provision of law, of funds lim-  
21 ited under this heading, not more than \$112,600,000 shall  
22 be available for administration, not less than \$15,000,000  
23 shall be available for the Airport Cooperative Research Pro-  
24 gram, not less than \$33,210,000 shall be available for Air-  
25 port Technology Research, and \$10,000,000, to remain

1 *available until expended, shall be available and transferred*  
2 *to “Office of the Secretary, Salaries and Expenses” to carry*  
3 *out the Small Community Air Service Development Pro-*  
4 *gram: Provided further, That in addition to airports eligi-*  
5 *ble under section 41743 of title 49, United States Code, such*  
6 *program may include the participation of an airport that*  
7 *serves a community or consortium that is not larger than*  
8 *a small hub airport, according to FAA hub classifications*  
9 *effective at the time the Office of the Secretary issues a re-*  
10 *quest for proposals.*

11 *GRANTS-IN-AID FOR AIRPORTS*

12 *For an additional amount for “Grants-In-Aid for Air-*  
13 *ports”, to enable the Secretary of Transportation to make*  
14 *grants for projects as authorized by subchapter 1 of chapter*  
15 *471 and subchapter 1 of chapter 475 of title 49, United*  
16 *States Code, \$750,000,000, to remain available through*  
17 *September 30, 2021: Provided, That amounts made avail-*  
18 *able under this heading shall be derived from the general*  
19 *fund, and such funds shall not be subject to apportionment*  
20 *formulas, special apportionment categories, or minimum*  
21 *percentages under chapter 471: Provided further, That the*  
22 *Secretary shall distribute funds provided under this head-*  
23 *ing as discretionary grants to airports: Provided further,*  
24 *That the amount made available under this heading shall*  
25 *not be subject to any limitation on obligations for the*

1 *Grants-in-Aid for Airports program set forth in any Act:*  
2 *Provided further, That the Administrator of the Federal*  
3 *Aviation Administration may retain up to 0.5 percent of*  
4 *the funds provided under this heading to fund the award*  
5 *and oversight by the Administrator of grants made under*  
6 *this heading.*

7 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FEDERAL AVIATION*

8 *ADMINISTRATION*

9 *SEC. 110. None of the funds in this Act may be used*  
10 *to compensate in excess of 600 technical staff-years under*  
11 *the federally funded research and development center con-*  
12 *tract between the Federal Aviation Administration and the*  
13 *Center for Advanced Aviation Systems Development during*  
14 *fiscal year 2019.*

15 *SEC. 111. None of the funds in this Act shall be used*  
16 *to pursue or adopt guidelines or regulations requiring air-*  
17 *port sponsors to provide to the Federal Aviation Adminis-*  
18 *tration without cost building construction, maintenance,*  
19 *utilities and expenses, or space in airport sponsor-owned*  
20 *buildings for services relating to air traffic control, air*  
21 *navigation, or weather reporting: Provided, That the prohi-*  
22 *bition of funds in this section does not apply to negotiations*  
23 *between the agency and airport sponsors to achieve agree-*  
24 *ment on “below-market” rates for these items or to grant*  
25 *assurances that require airport sponsors to provide land*

1 *without cost to the Federal Aviation Administration for air*  
2 *traffic control facilities.*

3       *SEC. 112. The Administrator of the Federal Aviation*  
4 *Administration may reimburse amounts made available to*  
5 *satisfy 49 U.S.C. 41742(a)(1) from fees credited under 49*  
6 *U.S.C. 45303 and any amount remaining in such account*  
7 *at the close of that fiscal year may be made available to*  
8 *satisfy section 41742(a)(1) for the subsequent fiscal year.*

9       *SEC. 113. Amounts collected under section 40113(e) of*  
10 *title 49, United States Code, shall be credited to the appro-*  
11 *priation current at the time of collection, to be merged with*  
12 *and available for the same purposes of such appropriation.*

13       *SEC. 114. None of the funds in this Act shall be avail-*  
14 *able for paying premium pay under subsection 5546(a) of*  
15 *title 5, United States Code, to any Federal Aviation Admin-*  
16 *istration employee unless such employee actually performed*  
17 *work during the time corresponding to such premium pay.*

18       *SEC. 115. None of the funds in this Act may be obli-*  
19 *gated or expended for an employee of the Federal Aviation*  
20 *Administration to purchase a store gift card or gift certifi-*  
21 *cate through use of a Government-issued credit card.*

22       *SEC. 116. None of the funds in this Act may be obli-*  
23 *gated or expended for retention bonuses for an employee of*  
24 *the Federal Aviation Administration without the prior*

1 *written approval of the Assistant Secretary for Administra-*  
2 *tion of the Department of Transportation.*

3       *SEC. 117. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
4 *none of the funds made available under this Act or any*  
5 *prior Act may be used to implement or to continue to im-*  
6 *plement any limitation on the ability of any owner or oper-*  
7 *ator of a private aircraft to obtain, upon a request to the*  
8 *Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, a*  
9 *blocking of that owner's or operator's aircraft registration*  
10 *number from any display of the Federal Aviation Adminis-*  
11 *tration's Aircraft Situational Display to Industry data*  
12 *that is made available to the public, except data made*  
13 *available to a Government agency, for the noncommercial*  
14 *flights of that owner or operator.*

15       *SEC. 118. None of the funds in this Act shall be avail-*  
16 *able for salaries and expenses of more than eight political*  
17 *and Presidential appointees in the Federal Aviation Ad-*  
18 *ministration.*

19       *SEC. 119. None of the funds made available under this*  
20 *Act may be used to increase fees pursuant to section 44721*  
21 *of title 49, United States Code, until the Federal Aviation*  
22 *Administration provides to the House and Senate Commit-*  
23 *tees on Appropriations a report that justifies all fees related*  
24 *to aeronautical navigation products and explains how such*  
25 *fees are consistent with Executive Order 13642.*

1        *SEC. 119A. None of the funds in this Act may be used*  
2 *to close a regional operations center of the Federal Aviation*  
3 *Administration or reduce its services unless the Adminis-*  
4 *trator notifies the House and Senate Committees on Appro-*  
5 *priations not less than 90 full business days in advance.*

6        *SEC. 119B. None of the funds appropriated or limited*  
7 *by this Act may be used to change weight restrictions or*  
8 *prior permission rules at Teterboro airport in Teterboro,*  
9 *New Jersey.*

10        *SEC. 119C. None of the funds provided under this Act*  
11 *may be used by the Administrator of the Federal Aviation*  
12 *Administration to withhold from consideration and ap-*  
13 *proval any new application for participation in the Con-*  
14 *tract Tower Program, or for reevaluation of Cost-share Pro-*  
15 *gram participants, as long as the Federal Aviation Admin-*  
16 *istration has received an application from the airport, and*  
17 *as long as the Administrator determines such tower is eligi-*  
18 *ble using the factors set forth in the Federal Aviation Ad-*  
19 *ministration report, Establishment and Discontinuance*  
20 *Criteria for Airport Traffic Control Towers (FAA–APO–*  
21 *90–7 as of August, 1990).*

22        *SEC. 119D. Notwithstanding any other provision of*  
23 *law, none of the funds made available in this Act may be*  
24 *obligated or expended to limit the use of an Organization*  
25 *Designation Authorization’s (ODA) delegated functions doc-*

1 *umented in its procedures manual on a type certification*  
2 *project unless the Administrator documents a systemic air-*  
3 *worthiness noncompliance performance issue as a result of*  
4 *inspection or oversight that the safety of air commerce re-*  
5 *quires a limitation with regard to a specific authorization*  
6 *or where an ODA's capability has not been previously es-*  
7 *tablished in terms of a new compliance method or design*  
8 *feature: Provided, That in such cases the Federal Aviation*  
9 *Administration shall work with the ODA holder if requested*  
10 *to develop the capability to execute that function safely, effi-*  
11 *ciently and effectively.*

12       *SEC. 119E. (a) TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST.—*  
13 *The Administrator shall permit an air carrier operation*  
14 *under part 121 of title 14, Code of Federal Regulations,*  
15 *to operate to a destination determined to be under visual*  
16 *flight rules without a Terminal Aerodrome Forecast or Me-*  
17 *teorological Aerodrome Report if a current Area Forecast,*  
18 *supplemented by other local weather observations or reports,*  
19 *is available, and an alternate airport that has an available*  
20 *Terminal Aerodrome Forecast and weather report is speci-*  
21 *fied. The air carrier shall have approved procedures for dis-*  
22 *patch and en route weather evaluation and shall operate*  
23 *under instrument flight rules en route to the destination.*

24       *(b) LIMITATION.—Without a written finding of neces-*  
25 *sity, based on objective and historical evidence of imminent*



1 *threat to safety, the Administrator shall not promulgate*  
2 *any operation specification, policy, or guidance document*  
3 *that is more restrictive than, or requires procedures that*  
4 *are not expressly stated in, the regulations.*

5       *SEC. 119F. Of the funds provided under the heading*  
6 *“Grants-in-aid for Airports”, up to \$3,500,000 shall be for*  
7 *necessary expenses, including an independent verification*  
8 *regime, to provide reimbursement to airport sponsors that*  
9 *do not provide gateway operations and providers of general*  
10 *aviation ground support services located at those airports*  
11 *closed during a temporary flight restriction (TFR) for any*  
12 *residence of the President that is designated or identified*  
13 *to be secured by the United States Secret Service, and for*  
14 *direct and incremental financial losses incurred while such*  
15 *airports are closed solely due to the actions of the Federal*  
16 *Government: Provided, That no funds shall be obligated or*  
17 *distributed to airport sponsors that do not provide gateway*  
18 *operations and providers of general aviation ground sup-*  
19 *port services until an independent audit is completed: Pro-*  
20 *vided further, That losses incurred as a result of violations*  
21 *of law, or through fault or negligence, of such operators and*  
22 *service providers or of third parties (including airports) are*  
23 *not eligible for reimbursements: Provided further, That obli-*  
24 *gation and expenditure of funds are conditional upon full*

1 *release of the United States Government for all claims for*  
2 *financial losses resulting from such actions.*

3 *REPORT ON NEXTGEN IMPLEMENTATION*

4 *SEC. 119G. (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year*  
5 *after the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator*  
6 *shall submit to Congress a report on the implementation*  
7 *of NextGen at commercial service airports in the United*  
8 *States.*

9 *(b) ELEMENTS.—The report required by subsection (a)*  
10 *shall include the following:*

11 *(1) The number and percentage of commercial*  
12 *service airports in the United States that have fully*  
13 *implemented NextGen.*

14 *(2) The percentage completion of NextGen imple-*  
15 *mentation at each commercial service airport in the*  
16 *United States.*

17 *(c) DEVELOPMENT OF STANDARD TO DETERMINE PER-*  
18 *CENTAGE IMPLEMENTATION OF NEXTGEN.—*

19 *(1) IN GENERAL.—The Administrator shall de-*  
20 *velop a standard for determining under subsection*  
21 *(b)(2) the percentage completion of NextGen imple-*  
22 *mentation at commercial service airports in the*  
23 *United States based on factors that may include an*  
24 *accounting of efficiency benefits achieved, the degree of*

1     *NextGen technology and infrastructure installed, and*  
 2     *the extent of controller training on NextGen.*

3             (2) *INCLUSION IN REPORT.—The Administrator*  
 4     *shall include in the report submitted under subsection*  
 5     *(a) the standard developed under paragraph (1).*

6     (d) *DEFINITIONS.—In this section:*

7             (1) *ADMINISTRATOR.—The term “Adminis-*  
 8     *trator” means the Administrator of the Federal Avia-*  
 9     *tion Administration.*

10            (2) *NEXTGEN.—The term “NextGen” means the*  
 11     *Next Generation Air Transportation System.*

12                     *FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION*

13                     *LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES*

14                     *(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

15                     *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

16     *Not to exceed \$446,444,304, together with advances*  
 17     *and reimbursements received by the Federal Highway Ad-*  
 18     *ministration, shall be obligated for necessary expenses for*  
 19     *administration and operation of the Federal Highway Ad-*  
 20     *ministration. In addition, \$3,248,000 shall be transferred*  
 21     *to the Appalachian Regional Commission in accordance*  
 22     *with section 104(a) of title 23, United States Code.*

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*FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS*  
*(LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)*  
*(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

*Funds available for the implementation or execution of Federal-aid highway and highway safety construction programs authorized under titles 23 and 49, United States Code, and the provisions of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act shall not exceed total obligations of \$45,268,596,000 for fiscal year 2019: Provided, That the Secretary may collect and spend fees, as authorized by title 23, United States Code, to cover the costs of services of expert firms, including counsel, in the field of municipal and project finance to assist in the underwriting and servicing of Federal credit instruments and all or a portion of the costs to the Federal Government of servicing such credit instruments: Provided further, That such fees are available until expended to pay for such costs: Provided further, That such amounts are in addition to administrative expenses that are also available for such purpose, and are not subject to any obligation limitation or the limitation on administrative expenses under section 608 of title 23, United States Code.*

1           (LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)

2                           (HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)

3           For the payment of obligations incurred in carrying  
4 out Federal-aid highway and highway safety construction  
5 programs authorized under title 23, United States Code,  
6 \$46,007,596,000 derived from the Highway Trust Fund  
7 (other than the Mass Transit Account), to remain available  
8 until expended.

9                           HIGHWAY INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAMS

10          There is hereby appropriated to the Secretary of  
11 Transportation \$3,300,000,000: Provided, That the  
12 amounts made available under this heading shall be derived  
13 from the general fund, shall be in addition to any funds  
14 provided for fiscal year 2019 in this or any other Act for  
15 “Federal-aid Highways” under chapter 1 of title 23, United  
16 States Code, and shall not affect the distribution or amount  
17 of funds provided in any other Act: Provided further, That  
18 section 1101(b) of Public Law 114–94 shall apply to funds  
19 made available under this heading: Provided further, That  
20 of the funds made available under this heading,  
21 \$2,389,200,000 shall be set aside for activities eligible under  
22 section 133(b)(1)(A) of title 23, United States Code,  
23 \$15,800,000 shall be set aside for activities eligible under  
24 the Puerto Rico Highway Program as described in section  
25 165(b)(2)(C) of such title, \$5,000,000 shall be set aside for

1 activities eligible under the Territorial Highway Program,  
2 as described in section 165(c)(6) of such title, \$90,000,000  
3 shall be set aside for the elimination of hazards and instal-  
4 lation of protective devices at railway-highway crossings,  
5 as described in section 130(e)(1)(A) of such title, and  
6 \$800,000,000 shall be set aside for a bridge replacement and  
7 rehabilitation program for States: Provided further, That  
8 for purposes of this heading, the term “State” means any  
9 of the 50 States or the District of Columbia: Provided fur-  
10 ther, That the funds made available under this heading for  
11 activities eligible under section 133(b)(1)(A) of title 23,  
12 United States Code, shall be suballocated in the manner de-  
13 scribed in section 133(d) of such title, except that the set-  
14 aside described in section 133(h) of such title shall not  
15 apply to funds made available under this heading: Provided  
16 further, That the funds made available under this heading  
17 for (1) activities eligible under section 133(b)(1)(A) of such  
18 title (2) the elimination of hazards and installation of pro-  
19 tective devices at railway-highway crossings, and (3) a  
20 bridge replacement and rehabilitation program shall be ad-  
21 ministered as if apportioned under chapter 1 of such title  
22 and shall remain available through September 30, 2022:  
23 Provided further, That the funds made available under this  
24 heading for activities eligible under section 133(b)(1)(A) of  
25 title 23, United States Code, shall be apportioned to the

1 *States in the same ratio as the obligation limitation for*  
2 *fiscal year 2019 is distributed among the States in section*  
3 *120(a)(5) of this Act: Provided further, That, except as pro-*  
4 *vided in the following proviso, the funds made available*  
5 *under this heading for activities eligible under the Puerto*  
6 *Rico Highway Program and activities eligible under the*  
7 *Territorial Highway Program shall be administered as if*  
8 *allocated under sections 165(b) and 165(c), respectively, of*  
9 *such title and shall remain available through September 30,*  
10 *2022: Provided further, That the funds made available*  
11 *under this heading for activities eligible under the Puerto*  
12 *Rico Highway Program shall not be subject to the require-*  
13 *ments of sections 165(b)(2)(A) or 165(b)(2)(B) of such title:*  
14 *Provided further, That the funds made available under this*  
15 *heading for the elimination of hazards and installation of*  
16 *protective devices at railway-highway crossings shall be ap-*  
17 *portioned to the States as described in sections 130(f)(1)*  
18 *and (f)(2) of such title: Provided further, That at least one-*  
19 *half of the funds made available to a State under this head-*  
20 *ing for the elimination of hazards and installation of pro-*  
21 *TECTIVE DEVICES AT RAILWAY-HIGHWAY CROSSINGS SHALL BE AVAIL-*  
22 *ABLE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF PROTECTIVE DEVICES AT RAILWAY-*  
23 *HIGHWAY CROSSINGS: Provided further, That the funds made*  
24 *available under this heading for the elimination of hazards*  
25 *and installation of protective devices at railway-highway*

1 crossings shall be subject to the special rule described in sec-  
2 tion 130(e)(2) of such title: Provided further, That projects  
3 carried out with funds made available under this heading  
4 for the elimination of hazards and installation of protective  
5 devices at railway-highway crossings shall be (1) subject to  
6 sections 130(b), (c), and (j) of such title, (2) included in  
7 the annual report described in section 130(g) of such title,  
8 and (3) subject to the Federal share requirement described  
9 in section 130(f)(3) of such title: Provided further, That the  
10 funds made available under this heading for the elimination  
11 of hazards and installation of protective devices at railway-  
12 highway crossings shall be (1) available for matching, as  
13 described in section 130(h) of such title, subject to the re-  
14 quirements of such section, (2) available for incentive pay-  
15 ments, as described in section 130(i) of such title, subject  
16 to the requirements of such section, and (3) subject to the  
17 limitation in section 130(k) of such title: Provided further,  
18 That the funds made available under this heading for a  
19 bridge replacement and rehabilitation program shall be  
20 used for highway bridge replacement or rehabilitation  
21 projects on public roads: Provided further, That except as  
22 provided in the following proviso the funds made available  
23 under this heading for a bridge replacement and rehabilita-  
24 tion program shall be used in areas of a State that have  
25 a population of 200,000 or fewer individuals: Provided fur-



1 *ther, That if a State has no bridges located in areas with*  
2 *a population of 200,000 or fewer individuals, or if a State*  
3 *has no bridge replacement or rehabilitation needs in areas*  
4 *of the State with a population of 200,000 or fewer individ-*  
5 *uals, the funds made available under this heading for a*  
6 *bridge replacement and rehabilitation program may be used*  
7 *for highway bridge replacement or rehabilitation projects*  
8 *on public roads in any area of the State: Provided further,*  
9 *That the Secretary shall distribute funds made available*  
10 *under this heading for the bridge replacement and rehabili-*  
11 *tation program to each State by the proportion that the*  
12 *percentage of total deck area of bridges classified as in poor*  
13 *condition in each State bears to the sum of the percentages*  
14 *of total deck area of bridges classified as in poor condition*  
15 *in all States: Provided further, That for purposes of this*  
16 *heading for the bridge replacement and rehabilitation pro-*  
17 *gram, the Secretary shall (1) calculate population based on*  
18 *the latest available data from the decennial census con-*  
19 *ducted under section 141(a) of title 13, United States Code,*  
20 *and (2) calculate the percentages of total deck area of*  
21 *bridges classified as in poor condition based on the National*  
22 *Bridge Inventory as of December 31, 2017.*

1 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FEDERAL HIGHWAY*2 *ADMINISTRATION*

3 *SEC. 120. (a) For fiscal year 2019, the Secretary of*  
4 *Transportation shall—*

5 *(1) not distribute from the obligation limitation*  
6 *for Federal-aid highways—*

7 *(A) amounts authorized for administrative*  
8 *expenses and programs by section 104(a) of title*  
9 *23, United States Code; and*

10 *(B) amounts authorized for the Bureau of*  
11 *Transportation Statistics;*

12 *(2) not distribute an amount from the obligation*  
13 *limitation for Federal-aid highways that is equal to*  
14 *the unobligated balance of amounts—*

15 *(A) made available from the Highway Trust*  
16 *Fund (other than the Mass Transit Account) for*  
17 *Federal-aid highway and highway safety con-*  
18 *struction programs for previous fiscal years the*  
19 *funds for which are allocated by the Secretary*  
20 *(or apportioned by the Secretary under sections*  
21 *202 or 204 of title 23, United States Code); and*

22 *(B) for which obligation limitation was*  
23 *provided in a previous fiscal year;*

24 *(3) determine the proportion that—*

1           (A) *the obligation limitation for Federal-aid*  
2           *highways, less the aggregate of amounts not dis-*  
3           *tributed under paragraphs (1) and (2) of this*  
4           *subsection; bears to*

5           (B) *the total of the sums authorized to be*  
6           *appropriated for the Federal-aid highway and*  
7           *highway safety construction programs (other*  
8           *than sums authorized to be appropriated for pro-*  
9           *visions of law described in paragraphs (1)*  
10          *through (11) of subsection (b) and sums author-*  
11          *ized to be appropriated for section 119 of title*  
12          *23, United States Code, equal to the amount re-*  
13          *ferred to in subsection (b)(12) for such fiscal*  
14          *year), less the aggregate of the amounts not dis-*  
15          *tributed under paragraphs (1) and (2) of this*  
16          *subsection;*

17          (4) *distribute the obligation limitation for Fed-*  
18          *eral-aid highways, less the aggregate amounts not dis-*  
19          *tributed under paragraphs (1) and (2), for each of the*  
20          *programs (other than programs to which paragraph*  
21          *(1) applies) that are allocated by the Secretary under*  
22          *the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act and*  
23          *title 23, United States Code, or apportioned by the*  
24          *Secretary under sections 202 or 204 of that title, by*  
25          *multiplying—*

1           (A) the proportion determined under para-  
2           graph (3); by

3           (B) the amounts authorized to be appro-  
4           priated for each such program for such fiscal  
5           year; and

6           (5) distribute the obligation limitation for Fed-  
7           eral-aid highways, less the aggregate amounts not dis-  
8           tributed under paragraphs (1) and (2) and the  
9           amounts distributed under paragraph (4), for Fed-  
10          eral-aid highway and highway safety construction  
11          programs that are apportioned by the Secretary  
12          under title 23, United States Code, (other than the  
13          amounts apportioned for the National Highway Per-  
14          formance Program in section 119 of title 23, United  
15          States Code, that are exempt from the limitation  
16          under subsection (b)(12) and the amounts appor-  
17          tioned under sections 202 and 204 of that title) in the  
18          proportion that—

19               (A) amounts authorized to be appropriated  
20               for the programs that are apportioned under title  
21               23, United States Code, to each State for such  
22               fiscal year; bears to

23               (B) the total of the amounts authorized to  
24               be appropriated for the programs that are ap-

1            *portioned under title 23, United States Code, to*  
2            *all States for such fiscal year.*

3            *(b) EXCEPTIONS FROM OBLIGATION LIMITATION.—*  
4            *The obligation limitation for Federal-aid highways shall*  
5            *not apply to obligations under or for—*

6            *(1) section 125 of title 23, United States Code;*

7            *(2) section 147 of the Surface Transportation As-*  
8            *istance Act of 1978 (23 U.S.C. 144 note; 92 Stat.*  
9            *2714);*

10           *(3) section 9 of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of*  
11           *1981 (95 Stat. 1701);*

12           *(4) subsections (b) and (j) of section 131 of the*  
13           *Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982 (96*  
14           *Stat. 2119);*

15           *(5) subsections (b) and (c) of section 149 of the*  
16           *Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation As-*  
17           *istance Act of 1987 (101 Stat. 198);*

18           *(6) sections 1103 through 1108 of the Intermodal*  
19           *Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 (105*  
20           *Stat. 2027);*

21           *(7) section 157 of title 23, United States Code*  
22           *(as in effect on June 8, 1998);*

23           *(8) section 105 of title 23, United States Code*  
24           *(as in effect for fiscal years 1998 through 2004, but*

1     *only in an amount equal to \$639,000,000 for each of*  
2     *those fiscal years);*

3             *(9) Federal-aid highway programs for which ob-*  
4     *ligation authority was made available under the*  
5     *Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (112*  
6     *Stat. 107) or subsequent Acts for multiple years or to*  
7     *remain available until expended, but only to the ex-*  
8     *tent that the obligation authority has not lapsed or*  
9     *been used;*

10            *(10) section 105 of title 23, United States Code*  
11     *(as in effect for fiscal years 2005 through 2012, but*  
12     *only in an amount equal to \$639,000,000 for each of*  
13     *those fiscal years);*

14            *(11) section 1603 of SAFETEA-LU (23 U.S.C.*  
15     *118 note; 119 Stat. 1248), to the extent that funds ob-*  
16     *ligated in accordance with that section were not sub-*  
17     *ject to a limitation on obligations at the time at*  
18     *which the funds were initially made available for ob-*  
19     *ligation; and*

20            *(12) section 119 of title 23, United States Code*  
21     *(but, for each of fiscal years 2013 through 2019, only*  
22     *in an amount equal to \$639,000,000).*

23     *(c) REDISTRIBUTION OF UNUSED OBLIGATION AU-*  
24     *THORITY.—Notwithstanding subsection (a), the Secretary*  
25     *shall, after August 1 of such fiscal year—*

1           (1) *revise a distribution of the obligation limita-*  
2           *tion made available under subsection (a) if an*  
3           *amount distributed cannot be obligated during that*  
4           *fiscal year; and*

5           (2) *redistribute sufficient amounts to those States*  
6           *able to obligate amounts in addition to those pre-*  
7           *viously distributed during that fiscal year, giving pri-*  
8           *ority to those States having large unobligated bal-*  
9           *ances of funds apportioned under sections 144 (as in*  
10          *effect on the day before the date of enactment of Pub-*  
11          *lic Law 112–141) and 104 of title 23, United States*  
12          *Code.*

13          (d) *APPLICABILITY OF OBLIGATION LIMITATIONS TO*  
14          *TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH PROGRAMS.—*

15           (1) *IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para-*  
16           *graph (2), the obligation limitation for Federal-aid*  
17           *highways shall apply to contract authority for trans-*  
18           *portation research programs carried out under—*

19                   (A) *chapter 5 of title 23, United States*  
20                   *Code; and*

21                   (B) *title VI of the Fixing America’s Surface*  
22                   *Transportation Act.*

23           (2) *EXCEPTION.—Obligation authority made*  
24           *available under paragraph (1) shall—*

1           (A) remain available for a period of 4 fiscal  
2           years; and

3           (B) be in addition to the amount of any  
4           limitation imposed on obligations for Federal-  
5           aid highway and highway safety construction  
6           programs for future fiscal years.

7       (e) *REDISTRIBUTION OF CERTAIN AUTHORIZED*  
8 *FUNDS.—*

9           (1) *IN GENERAL.—*Not later than 30 days after  
10          the date of distribution of obligation limitation under  
11          subsection (a), the Secretary shall distribute to the  
12          States any funds (excluding funds authorized for the  
13          program under section 202 of title 23, United States  
14          Code) that—

15               (A) are authorized to be appropriated for  
16               such fiscal year for Federal-aid highway pro-  
17               grams; and

18               (B) the Secretary determines will not be al-  
19               located to the States (or will not be apportioned  
20               to the States under section 204 of title 23,  
21               United States Code), and will not be available  
22               for obligation, for such fiscal year because of the  
23               imposition of any obligation limitation for such  
24               fiscal year.



1           (2) *RATIO.*—*Funds shall be distributed under*  
2           *paragraph (1) in the same proportion as the distribu-*  
3           *tion of obligation authority under subsection (a)(5).*

4           (3) *AVAILABILITY.*—*Funds distributed to each*  
5           *State under paragraph (1) shall be available for any*  
6           *purpose described in section 133(b) of title 23, United*  
7           *States Code.*

8           *SEC. 121. Notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302, funds re-*  
9           *ceived by the Bureau of Transportation Statistics from the*  
10          *sale of data products, for necessary expenses incurred pur-*  
11          *suant to chapter 63 of title 49, United States Code, may*  
12          *be credited to the Federal-aid highways account for the pur-*  
13          *pose of reimbursing the Bureau for such expenses: Provided,*  
14          *That such funds shall be subject to the obligation limitation*  
15          *for Federal-aid highway and highway safety construction*  
16          *programs.*

17          *SEC. 122. Not less than 15 days prior to waiving,*  
18          *under his or her statutory authority, any Buy America re-*  
19          *quirement for Federal-aid highways projects, the Secretary*  
20          *of Transportation shall make an informal public notice and*  
21          *comment opportunity on the intent to issue such waiver and*  
22          *the reasons therefor: Provided, That the Secretary shall pro-*  
23          *vide an annual report to the House and Senate Committees*  
24          *on Appropriations on any waivers granted under the Buy*  
25          *America requirements.*

1       *SEC. 123. None of the funds provided in this Act to*  
2 *the Department of Transportation may be used to provide*  
3 *credit assistance unless not less than 3 days before any ap-*  
4 *plication approval to provide credit assistance under sec-*  
5 *tions 603 and 604 of title 23, United States Code, the Sec-*  
6 *retary of Transportation provides notification in writing*  
7 *to the following committees: the House and Senate Commit-*  
8 *tees on Appropriations; the Committee on Environment and*  
9 *Public Works and the Committee on Banking, Housing and*  
10 *Urban Affairs of the Senate; and the Committee on Trans-*  
11 *portation and Infrastructure of the House of Representa-*  
12 *tives: Provided, That such notification shall include, but not*  
13 *be limited to, the name of the project sponsor; a description*  
14 *of the project; whether credit assistance will be provided as*  
15 *a direct loan, loan guarantee, or line of credit; and the*  
16 *amount of credit assistance.*

17       *SEC. 124. None of the funds in this Act may be used*  
18 *to make a grant for a project under section 117 of title 23,*  
19 *United States Code, unless the Secretary, at least 60 days*  
20 *before making a grant under that section, provides written*  
21 *notification to the House and Senate Committees on Appro-*  
22 *priations of the proposed grant, including an evaluation*  
23 *and justification for the project and the amount of the pro-*  
24 *posed grant award: Provided, That the written notification*

1 *required in the previous proviso shall be made no later than*  
2 *180 days after enactment of this Act.*

3       *SEC. 125. (a) A State or territory, as defined in section*  
4 *165 of title 23, United States Code, may use for any project*  
5 *eligible under section 133(b) of title 23 or section 165 of*  
6 *title 23 and located within the boundary of the State or*  
7 *territory any earmarked amount, and any associated obli-*  
8 *gation limitation: Provided, That the Department of Trans-*  
9 *portation for the State or territory for which the earmarked*  
10 *amount was originally designated or directed notifies the*  
11 *Secretary of Transportation of its intent to use its authority*  
12 *under this section and submits a quarterly report to the*  
13 *Secretary identifying the projects to which the funding*  
14 *would be applied. Notwithstanding the original period of*  
15 *availability of funds to be obligated under this section, such*  
16 *funds and associated obligation limitation shall remain*  
17 *available for obligation for a period of 3 fiscal years after*  
18 *the fiscal year in which the Secretary of Transportation*  
19 *is notified. The Federal share of the cost of a project carried*  
20 *out with funds made available under this section shall be*  
21 *the same as associated with the earmark.*

22       *(b) In this section, the term “earmarked amount”*  
23 *means—*

24               *(1) congressionally directed spending, as defined*  
25       *in rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate,*

1     *identified in a prior law, report, or joint explanatory*  
2     *statement, which was authorized to be appropriated*  
3     *or appropriated more than 10 fiscal years prior to*  
4     *the current fiscal year, and administered by the Fed-*  
5     *eral Highway Administration; or*

6             (2) *a congressional earmark, as defined in rule*  
7     *XXI of the Rules of the House of Representatives iden-*  
8     *tified in a prior law, report, or joint explanatory*  
9     *statement, which was authorized to be appropriated*  
10    *or appropriated more than 10 fiscal years prior to*  
11    *the current fiscal year, and administered by the Fed-*  
12    *eral Highway Administration.*

13            (c) *The authority under subsection (a) may be exer-*  
14    *cised only for those projects or activities that have obligated*  
15    *less than 10 percent of the amount made available for obli-*  
16    *gation as of October 1 of the current fiscal year, and shall*  
17    *be applied to projects within the same general geographic*  
18    *area within 50 miles for which the funding was designated,*  
19    *except that a State or territory may apply such authority*  
20    *to unexpended balances of funds from projects or activities*  
21    *the State or territory certifies have been closed and for*  
22    *which payments have been made under a final voucher.*

23            (d) *The Secretary shall submit consolidated reports of*  
24    *the information provided by the States and territories each*

1 *quarter to the House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
2 *tions.*

3 *FEDERAL MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY ADMINISTRATION*  
4 *MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY OPERATIONS AND PROGRAMS*  
5 *(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)*

6 *(LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)*

7 *(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

8 *For payment of obligations incurred in the implemen-*  
9 *tation, execution and administration of motor carrier safe-*  
10 *ty operations and programs pursuant to section 31110 of*  
11 *title 49, United States Code, as amended by the Fixing*  
12 *America's Surface Transportation Act, \$284,000,000, to be*  
13 *derived from the Highway Trust Fund (other than the Mass*  
14 *Transit Account), together with advances and reimburse-*  
15 *ments received by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Admin-*  
16 *istration, the sum of which shall remain available until ex-*  
17 *pende: Provided, That funds available for implementation,*  
18 *execution or administration of motor carrier safety oper-*  
19 *ations and programs authorized under title 49, United*  
20 *States Code, shall not exceed total obligations of*  
21 *\$284,000,000 for "Motor Carrier Safety Operations and*  
22 *Programs" for fiscal year 2019, of which \$9,073,000, to re-*  
23 *main available for obligation until September 30, 2021, is*  
24 *for the research and technology program, and of which*

1 \$34,824,000, to remain available for obligation until Sep-  
2 tember 30, 2021, is for information management.

3 *MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY GRANTS*

4 *(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)*

5 *(LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)*

6 *(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

7 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

8 *For payment of obligations incurred in carrying out*  
9 *sections 31102, 31103, 31104, and 31313 of title 49, United*  
10 *States Code, as amended by the Fixing America's Surface*  
11 *Transportation Act, \$382,800,000, to be derived from the*  
12 *Highway Trust Fund (other than the Mass Transit Ac-*  
13 *count) and to remain available until expended: Provided,*  
14 *That funds available for the implementation or execution*  
15 *of motor carrier safety programs shall not exceed total obli-*  
16 *gations of \$382,800,000 in fiscal year 2019 for "Motor Car-*  
17 *rier Safety Grants"; of which \$304,300,000 shall be avail-*  
18 *able for the motor carrier safety assistance program,*  
19 *\$32,500,000 shall be available for the commercial driver's*  
20 *license program implementation program, \$44,000,000*  
21 *shall be available for the high priority activities program,*  
22 *and \$2,000,000 shall be made available for commercial*  
23 *motor vehicle operators grants, of which \$1,000,000 is to*  
24 *be made available from prior year unobligated contract au-*  
25 *thority provided for Motor Carrier Safety grants in the*

1 *Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (Public*  
2 *Law 105–178), SAFETEA–LU (Public Law 109–59), or*  
3 *other appropriations or authorization acts.*

4 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FEDERAL MOTOR CARRIER*  
5 *SAFETY ADMINISTRATION*

6 *SEC. 130. Funds appropriated or limited in this Act*  
7 *shall be subject to the terms and conditions stipulated in*  
8 *section 350 of Public Law 107–87 and section 6901 of Pub-*  
9 *lic Law 110–28.*

10 *SEC. 131. The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Adminis-*  
11 *tration shall send notice of 49 CFR section 385.308 viola-*  
12 *tions by certified mail, registered mail, or another manner*  
13 *of delivery, which records the receipt of the notice by the*  
14 *persons responsible for the violations.*

15 *SEC. 132. To the maximum extent practicable, the*  
16 *Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration shall ensure*  
17 *the safe and timely completion of the flexible sleeper berth*  
18 *pilot program of the Administration.*

19 *NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION*  
20 *OPERATIONS AND RESEARCH*

21 *For expenses necessary to discharge the functions of the*  
22 *Secretary, with respect to traffic and highway safety au-*  
23 *thorized under chapter 301 and part C of subtitle VI of*  
24 *title 49, United States Code, \$190,000,000, of which*

1 \$40,000,000 shall remain available through September 30,  
2 2020.

3 OPERATIONS AND RESEARCH  
4 (LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)  
5 (LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)  
6 (HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)

7 For payment of obligations incurred in carrying out  
8 the provisions of 23 U.S.C. 403, section 4011 of the FAST  
9 Act (Public Law 114–94), and chapter 303 of title 49,  
10 United States Code, \$152,100,000, to be derived from the  
11 Highway Trust Fund (other than the Mass Transit Ac-  
12 count) and to remain available until expended: Provided,  
13 That none of the funds in this Act shall be available for  
14 the planning or execution of programs the total obligations  
15 for which, in fiscal year 2019, are in excess of \$152,100,000,  
16 of which \$146,700,000 shall be for programs authorized  
17 under 23 U.S.C. 403 and \$5,400,000 shall be for the Na-  
18 tional Driver Register authorized under chapter 303 of title  
19 49, United States Code: Provided further, That within the  
20 \$152,100,000 obligation limitation for operations and re-  
21 search, \$20,000,000 shall remain available until September  
22 30, 2020, and shall be in addition to the amount of any  
23 limitation imposed on obligations for future years.



1                    *HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANTS*  
2                    *(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)*  
3                    *(LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)*  
4                    *(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

5            *For payment of obligations incurred in carrying out*  
6 *provisions of 23 U.S.C. 402, 404, and 405, and section*  
7 *4001(a)(6) of the Fixing America’s Surface Transportation*  
8 *Act, to remain available until expended, \$610,208,000, to*  
9 *be derived from the Highway Trust Fund (other than the*  
10 *Mass Transit Account): Provided, That none of the funds*  
11 *in this Act shall be available for the planning or execution*  
12 *of programs the total obligations for which, in fiscal year*  
13 *2019, are in excess of \$610,208,000 for programs authorized*  
14 *under 23 U.S.C. 402, 404, and 405, and section 4001(a)(6)*  
15 *of the Fixing America’s Surface Transportation Act, of*  
16 *which \$270,400,000 shall be for “Highway Safety Pro-*  
17 *grams” under 23 U.S.C. 402; \$283,000,000 shall be for*  
18 *“National Priority Safety Programs” under 23 U.S.C. 405;*  
19 *\$30,200,000 shall be for “High Visibility Enforcement Pro-*  
20 *gram” under 23 U.S.C. 404; and \$26,608,000 shall be for*  
21 *“Administrative Expenses” under section 4001(a)(6) of the*  
22 *Fixing America’s Surface Transportation Act: Provided*  
23 *further, That none of these funds shall be used for construc-*  
24 *tion, rehabilitation, or remodeling costs, or for office fur-*  
25 *nishings and fixtures for State, local or private buildings*

1 *or structures: Provided further, That not to exceed \$500,000*  
2 *of the funds made available for “National Priority Safety*  
3 *Programs” under 23 U.S.C. 405 for “Impaired Driving*  
4 *Countermeasures” (as described in subsection (d) of that*  
5 *section) shall be available for technical assistance to the*  
6 *States: Provided further, That with respect to the “Trans-*  
7 *fers” provision under 23 U.S.C. 405(a)(8), any amounts*  
8 *transferred to increase the amounts made available under*  
9 *section 402 shall include the obligation authority for such*  
10 *amounts: Provided further, That the Administrator shall*  
11 *notify the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations*  
12 *of any exercise of the authority granted under the previous*  
13 *proviso or under 23 U.S.C. 405(a)(8) within 5 days.*

14 *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—NATIONAL HIGHWAY*

15 *TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION*

16 *SEC. 140. An additional \$130,000 shall be made avail-*  
17 *able to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administra-*  
18 *tion, out of the amount limited for section 402 of title 23,*  
19 *United States Code, to pay for travel and related expenses*  
20 *for State management reviews and to pay for core com-*  
21 *petency development training and related expenses for high-*  
22 *way safety staff.*

23 *SEC. 141. The limitations on obligations for the pro-*  
24 *grams of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administra-*  
25 *tion set in this Act shall not apply to obligations for which*

1 *obligation authority was made available in previous public*  
2 *laws but only to the extent that the obligation authority*  
3 *has not lapsed or been used.*

4       *SEC. 142. In addition to the amounts made available*  
5 *under the heading, “Operations and Research (Liquidation*  
6 *of Contract Authorization) (Limitation on Obligations)*  
7 *(Highway Trust Fund)” for carrying out the provisions of*  
8 *section 403 of title 23, United States Code, \$4,000,000 shall*  
9 *be available to continue a high visibility enforcement paid-*  
10 *media campaign regarding highway-rail grade crossing*  
11 *safety in collaboration with the Federal Railroad Adminis-*  
12 *tration.*

13                   *FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION*

14                               *SAFETY AND OPERATIONS*

15       *For necessary expenses of the Federal Railroad Admin-*  
16 *istration, not otherwise provided for, \$221,698,000, of which*  
17 *\$15,900,000 shall remain available until expended.*

18                   *RAILROAD RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT*

19       *For necessary expenses for railroad research and devel-*  
20 *opment, \$40,600,000, to remain available until expended.*

21                   *RAILROAD REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT FINANCING*

22                               *PROGRAM*

23       *The Secretary of Transportation is authorized to issue*  
24 *direct loans and loan guarantees pursuant to sections 501*  
25 *through 504 of the Railroad Revitalization and Regulatory*

1 *Reform Act of 1976 (Public Law 94–210), as amended, such*  
2 *authority shall exist as long as any such direct loan or loan*  
3 *guarantee is outstanding.*

4 *FEDERAL-STATE PARTNERSHIP FOR STATE OF GOOD*  
5 *REPAIR*

6 *For necessary expenses related to Federal-State Part-*  
7 *nership for State of Good Repair Grants as authorized by*  
8 *section 24911 of title 49, United States Code, \$300,000,000,*  
9 *to remain available until expended: Provided, That the Sec-*  
10 *retary may withhold up to one percent of the amount pro-*  
11 *vided under this heading for the costs of award and project*  
12 *management oversight of grants carried out under section*  
13 *24911 of title 49, United States Code: Provided further,*  
14 *That the Secretary shall issue the Notice of Funding Oppor-*  
15 *tunity that encompasses funds provided under this heading*  
16 *in this Act and previously unawarded funds provided under*  
17 *this heading in fiscal year 2017 by Public Law 115–31 and*  
18 *fiscal year 2018 by Public Law 115–141, no later than 30*  
19 *days after enactment of this Act: Provided further, That the*  
20 *Secretary shall announce the selection of projects to receive*  
21 *awards for the funds in the previous proviso no later than*  
22 *180 days after enactment of this Act.*



1 *out under section 24407 of title 49, United States Code:*  
2 *Provided further, That the Secretary shall issue the Notice*  
3 *of Funding Opportunity that encompasses previously*  
4 *unawarded funds provided under this heading in fiscal year*  
5 *2018 by Public Law 115–141 and funds provided under*  
6 *this heading in this Act no later than 30 days after enact-*  
7 *ment of this Act: Provided further, That the Secretary shall*  
8 *announce the selection of projects to receive awards for the*  
9 *funds in the previous proviso no later than 120 days after*  
10 *enactment of this Act.*

11 *RESTORATION AND ENHANCEMENT*

12 *For necessary expenses related to Restoration and En-*  
13 *hancement Grants, as authorized by section 24408 of title*  
14 *49, United States Code, \$10,000,000, to remain available*  
15 *until expended: Provided, That the Secretary may withhold*  
16 *up to one percent of the funds provided under this heading*  
17 *to fund the costs of award and project management and*  
18 *oversight: Provided further, That the Secretary shall issue*  
19 *the Notice of Funding Opportunity for funds provided*  
20 *under this heading no later than 30 days after enactment*  
21 *of this Act: Provided further, That the Secretary shall an-*  
22 *nounce the selection of projects to receive awards for the*  
23 *funds in the previous proviso no later than 120 days after*  
24 *enactment of this Act.*

1        *NORTHEAST CORRIDOR GRANTS TO THE NATIONAL*

2                    *RAILROAD PASSENGER CORPORATION*

3        *To enable the Secretary of Transportation to make*  
4 *grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation for*  
5 *activities associated with the Northeast Corridor as author-*  
6 *ized by section 11101(a) of the Fixing America's Surface*  
7 *Transportation Act (division A of Public Law 114-94),*  
8 *\$650,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
9 *vided, That the Secretary may retain up to one-half of 1*  
10 *percent of the funds provided under both this heading and*  
11 *the "National Network Grants to the National Railroad*  
12 *Passenger Corporation" heading to fund the costs of project*  
13 *management and oversight of activities authorized by sec-*  
14 *tion 11101(c) of division A of Public Law 114-94: Provided*  
15 *further, That in addition to the project management over-*  
16 *sight funds authorized under section 11101(c) of division*  
17 *A of Public Law 114-94, the Secretary may retain up to*  
18 *an additional \$5,000,000 of the funds provided under this*  
19 *heading to fund expenses associated with the Northeast Cor-*  
20 *ridor Commission established under section 24905 of title*  
21 *49, United States Code: Provided further, That of the*  
22 *amounts made available under this heading and the "Na-*  
23 *tional Network Grants to the National Railroad Passenger*  
24 *Corporation" heading, not less than \$50,000,000 shall be*  
25 *made available to bring Amtrak-served facilities and sta-*

1 *tions into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities*  
2 *Act: Provided further, That of the amounts made available*  
3 *under this heading and the heading “National Network*  
4 *Grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation”,*  
5 *not more than \$500,000 may be made available to provide*  
6 *a discount of not less than 15 percent on passenger fares*  
7 *to veterans (as defined in section 101 of title 38, United*  
8 *States Code).*

9 *NATIONAL NETWORK GRANTS TO THE NATIONAL RAILROAD*  
10 *PASSENGER CORPORATION*

11 *To enable the Secretary of Transportation to make*  
12 *grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation for*  
13 *activities associated with the National Network as author-*  
14 *ized by section 11101(b) of the Fixing America’s Surface*  
15 *Transportation Act (division A of Public Law 114–94),*  
16 *\$1,291,600,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-*  
17 *vided, That the Secretary may retain up to an additional*  
18 *\$2,000,000 of the funds provided under this heading to fund*  
19 *expenses associated with the State-Supported Route Com-*  
20 *mittee established under section 24712 of title 49, United*  
21 *States Code: Provided further, That at least \$50,000,000 of*  
22 *the amount provided under this heading shall be available*  
23 *for the development, installation and operation of railroad*  
24 *safety technology, including the implementation of a posi-*  
25 *tive train control system, on State-supported routes as de-*



1 *fined under section 24102(13) of title 49, United States*  
2 *Code, on which positive train control systems are not re-*  
3 *quired by law or regulation: Provided further, That not less*  
4 *than \$50,000,000 of the amount provided under this head-*  
5 *ing shall be for capital expenses related to safety improve-*  
6 *ments, maintenance, and the non-Federal match for discre-*  
7 *tionary Federal grant programs to enable continued pas-*  
8 *senger rail operations on long-distance routes (as defined*  
9 *in section 24102 of title 49, United States Code) on which*  
10 *Amtrak is the sole tenant of the host railroad and positive*  
11 *train control systems are not required by law (including*  
12 *regulations): Provided further, That none of the funds pro-*  
13 *vided under this heading shall be used by Amtrak to give*  
14 *notice under subsection (a) or (b) of section 24706 of title*  
15 *49, United States Code, with respect to long-distance routes*  
16 *(as defined in section 24102 of title 49, United States Code)*  
17 *on which Amtrak is the sole tenant of the host railroad and*  
18 *positive train control systems are not required by law (in-*  
19 *cluding regulations), or otherwise initiate discontinuance*  
20 *of, reduce the frequency of, suspend, or substantially alter*  
21 *the schedule or route of rail service on any portion of such*  
22 *route operated in fiscal year 2018, including implementa-*  
23 *tion of service permitted by section 24305(a)(3)(A) of title*  
24 *49, United States Code, in lieu of rail service.*



1       *throughout the National Network (as defined in sec-*  
2       *tion 24102 of title 49, United States Code).*

3                   *FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION*

4                           *ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES*

5       *For necessary administrative expenses of the Federal*  
6       *Transit Administration's programs authorized by chapter*  
7       *53 of title 49, United States Code, \$113,165,000: Provided,*  
8       *That none of the funds provided or limited in this Act may*  
9       *be used to create a permanent office of transit security*  
10       *under this heading: Provided further, That upon submission*  
11       *to the Congress of the fiscal year 2020 President's budget,*  
12       *the Secretary of Transportation shall transmit to Congress*  
13       *the annual report on New Starts, including proposed allo-*  
14       *cations for fiscal year 2020.*

15                           *TRANSIT FORMULA GRANTS*

16                           *(LIQUIDATION OF CONTRACT AUTHORIZATION)*

17                           *(LIMITATION ON OBLIGATIONS)*

18                           *(HIGHWAY TRUST FUND)*

19       *For payment of obligations incurred in the Federal*  
20       *Public Transportation Assistance Program in this account,*  
21       *and for payment of obligations incurred in carrying out*  
22       *the provisions of 49 U.S.C. 5305, 5307, 5310, 5311, 5312,*  
23       *5314, 5318, 5329(e)(6), 5335, 5337, 5339, and 5340, as*  
24       *amended by the Fixing America's Surface Transportation*  
25       *Act, section 20005(b) of Public Law 112–141, and section*

1 3006(b) of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation  
2 Act, \$9,900,000,000, to be derived from the Mass Transit  
3 Account of the Highway Trust Fund and to remain avail-  
4 able until expended: Provided, That funds available for the  
5 implementation or execution of programs authorized under  
6 49 U.S.C. 5305, 5307, 5310, 5311, 5312, 5314, 5318,  
7 5329(e)(6), 5335, 5337, 5339, and 5340, as amended by the  
8 Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act, section  
9 20005(b) of Public Law 112-141, and section 3006(b) of  
10 the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act, shall not  
11 exceed total obligations of \$9,939,380,030 in fiscal year  
12 2019: Provided further, That the Federal share of the cost  
13 of activities carried out under 49 U.S.C. section 5312 shall  
14 not exceed 80 percent, except that if there is substantial  
15 public interest or benefit, the Secretary may approve a  
16 greater Federal share.

17 *TRANSIT INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS*

18 *For an additional amount for buses and bus facilities*  
19 *grants under section 5339 of title 49, United States Code,*  
20 *state of good repair grants under section 5337 of such title,*  
21 *high density state apportionments under section 5340(d) of*  
22 *such title, and the bus testing facilities under sections 5312*  
23 *and 5318 of such title, \$800,000,000 to remain available*  
24 *until expended: Provided, That \$400,000,000 shall be avail-*  
25 *able for grants as authorized under section 5339 of such*

1 *title, of which \$209,104,000 shall be available for the buses*  
2 *and bus facilities formula grants as authorized under sec-*  
3 *tion 5339(a) of such title, \$161,446,000 shall be available*  
4 *for the buses and bus facilities competitive grants as author-*  
5 *ized under section 5339(b) of such title, and \$29,450,000*  
6 *shall be available for the low or no emission grants as au-*  
7 *thorized under section 5339(c) of such title: Provided fur-*  
8 *ther, That \$362,000,000 shall be available for the state of*  
9 *good repair grants as authorized under section 5337 of such*  
10 *title: Provided further, That \$30,000,000 shall be available*  
11 *for the high density state apportionments as authorized*  
12 *under section 5340(d) of such title: Provided further, That*  
13 *\$2,000,000 shall be available for the bus testing facility as*  
14 *authorized under section 5318 of such title: Provided fur-*  
15 *ther, That notwithstanding section 5318(a) of such title,*  
16 *\$6,000,000 shall be available for the operation and mainte-*  
17 *nance of bus testing facilities by institutions of higher edu-*  
18 *cation selected pursuant to section 5312(h) of such title:*  
19 *Provided further, That the Secretary shall enter into a con-*  
20 *tract or cooperative agreement with, or make a grant to,*  
21 *each institution of higher education selected pursuant to*  
22 *section 5312(h) of such title, to operate and maintain a fa-*  
23 *cility to conduct the testing of low or no emission vehicle*  
24 *new bus models using the standards established pursuant*  
25 *to section 5318(e)(2) of such title: Provided further, That*

1 *the term “low or no emission vehicle” has the meaning*  
2 *given the term in section 5312(e)(6) of such title: Provided*  
3 *further, That the Secretary shall pay 80 percent of the cost*  
4 *of testing a low or no emission vehicle new bus model at*  
5 *each selected institution of higher education: Provided fur-*  
6 *ther, That the entity having the vehicle tested shall pay 20*  
7 *percent of the cost of testing: Provided further, That a low*  
8 *or no emission vehicle new bus model tested that receives*  
9 *a passing aggregate test score in accordance with the stand-*  
10 *ards established under section 5318(e)(2) of such title, shall*  
11 *be deemed to be in compliance with the requirements of sec-*  
12 *tion 5318(e) of such title: Provided further, That amounts*  
13 *made available by this heading shall be derived from the*  
14 *general fund: Provided further, That the amounts made*  
15 *available under this heading shall not be subject to any lim-*  
16 *itation on obligations for transit programs set forth in any*  
17 *Act.*

18 *TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING*

19 *For necessary expenses to carry out 49 U.S.C. 5314,*  
20 *\$5,000,000, of which up to \$1,500,000 shall be for a cooper-*  
21 *ative agreement through which the Federal Transit Admin-*  
22 *istration assists small-urban, rural and tribal public tran-*  
23 *sit recipients and planning organizations with applied in-*  
24 *novation and capacity-building: Provided, That the assist-*

1 *ance provided under this heading not duplicate the activi-*  
2 *ties of 49 U.S.C. 5311(b) or 49 U.S.C. 5312.*

3 *CAPITAL INVESTMENT GRANTS*

4 *For necessary expenses to carry out fixed guideway*  
5 *capital investment grants under section 5309 of title 49,*  
6 *United States Code, and section 3005(b) of the Fixing*  
7 *America’s Surface Transportation Act, \$2,552,687,000, to*  
8 *remain available until September 30, 2022: Provided, That*  
9 *of the amounts made available under this heading,*  
10 *\$1,315,670,000 shall be available for projects authorized*  
11 *under section 5309(d) of title 49, United States Code,*  
12 *\$543,500,000 shall be available for projects authorized*  
13 *under section 5309(e) of title 49, United States Code,*  
14 *\$568,000,000 shall be available for projects authorized*  
15 *under section 5309(h) of title 49, United States Code, and*  
16 *\$100,000,000 shall be available for projects authorized*  
17 *under section 3005(b) of the Fixing America’s Surface*  
18 *Transportation Act: Provided further, That the Secretary*  
19 *shall continue to administer the capital investment grants*  
20 *program in accordance with the procedural and substantive*  
21 *requirements of section 5309 of title 49, United States Code,*  
22 *and of section 3005(b) of the Fixing America’s Surface*  
23 *Transportation Act.*

1        *GRANTS TO THE WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA*2                                *TRANSIT AUTHORITY*

3        *For grants to the Washington Metropolitan Area Tran-*  
4 *sit Authority as authorized under section 601 of division*  
5 *B of Public Law 110–432, \$150,000,000, to remain avail-*  
6 *able until expended: Provided, That the Secretary of Trans-*  
7 *portation shall approve grants for capital and preventive*  
8 *maintenance expenditures for the Washington Metropolitan*  
9 *Area Transit Authority only after receiving and reviewing*  
10 *a request for each specific project: Provided further, That*  
11 *prior to approving such grants, the Secretary shall certify*  
12 *that the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority*  
13 *is making progress to improve its safety management sys-*  
14 *tem in response to the Federal Transit Administration’s*  
15 *2015 safety management inspection: Provided further, That*  
16 *the Secretary shall determine that the Washington Metro-*  
17 *politan Area Transit Authority has placed the highest pri-*  
18 *ority on those investments that will improve the safety of*  
19 *the system before approving such grants: Provided further,*  
20 *That the Secretary, in order to ensure safety throughout the*  
21 *rail system, may waive the requirements of section*  
22 *601(e)(1) of division B of Public Law 110–432.*



1        *ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS—FEDERAL TRANSIT*

2                                *ADMINISTRATION*

3                                *(INCLUDING RESCISSION)*

4        *SEC. 160. The limitations on obligations for the pro-*  
5 *grams of the Federal Transit Administration shall not*  
6 *apply to any authority under 49 U.S.C. 5338, previously*  
7 *made available for obligation, or to any other authority pre-*  
8 *viously made available for obligation.*

9        *SEC. 161. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
10 *any funds appropriated before October 1, 2018, under any*  
11 *section of chapter 53 of title 49, United States Code, that*  
12 *remain available for expenditure, may be transferred to and*  
13 *administered under the most recent appropriation heading*  
14 *for any such section.*

15        *SEC. 162. Of the unobligated amounts made available*  
16 *for fiscal years 2005 or prior fiscal years to “Transit For-*  
17 *mula Grants”, a total of \$46,560,000 is hereby permanently*  
18 *rescinded.*

19        *SEC. 163. None of the funds made available under this*  
20 *Act may be used for the implementation or furtherance of*  
21 *new policies detailed in the “Dear Colleague” letter distrib-*  
22 *uted by the Federal Transit Administration to capital in-*  
23 *vestment grant program project sponsors on June 29, 2018.*

1 *SAINT LAWRENCE SEAWAY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION*

2       *The Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corpora-*  
3 *tion is hereby authorized to make such expenditures, within*  
4 *the limits of funds and borrowing authority available to*  
5 *the Corporation, and in accord with law, and to make such*  
6 *contracts and commitments without regard to fiscal year*  
7 *limitations, as provided by section 104 of the Government*  
8 *Corporation Control Act, as amended, as may be necessary*  
9 *in carrying out the programs set forth in the Corporation's*  
10 *budget for the current fiscal year.*

11                   *OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE*12                   *(HARBOR MAINTENANCE TRUST FUND)*

13       *For necessary expenses to conduct the operations,*  
14 *maintenance, and capital asset renewal activities on those*  
15 *portions of the Saint Lawrence Seaway owned, operated,*  
16 *and maintained by the Saint Lawrence Seaway Develop-*  
17 *ment Corporation, \$36,000,000, to be derived from the Har-*  
18 *bor Maintenance Trust Fund, pursuant to Public Law 99-*  
19 *662: Provided, That of the amounts made available under*  
20 *this heading, not less than \$16,000,000 shall be used on cap-*  
21 *ital asset renewal activities.*

22                   *MARITIME ADMINISTRATION*23                   *MARITIME SECURITY PROGRAM*

24       *For necessary expenses to maintain and preserve a*  
25 *U.S.-flag merchant fleet to serve the national security needs*

1 *of the United States, \$300,000,000, to remain available*  
2 *until expended.*

3 *OPERATIONS AND TRAINING*  
4 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

5 *For necessary expenses of operations and training ac-*  
6 *tivities authorized by law, \$149,442,000, to remain avail-*  
7 *able until September 30, 2020, of which \$71,000,000 shall*  
8 *be for the operations of the United States Merchant Marine*  
9 *Academy, and of which \$18,000,000 shall remain available*  
10 *until expended for the maintenance and repair, equipment,*  
11 *and capital improvements at the United States Merchant*  
12 *Marine Academy: Provided, That not later than January*  
13 *12, 2020, the Administrator of the Maritime Administra-*  
14 *tion shall transmit to the House and Senate Committees*  
15 *on Appropriations the annual report on sexual assault and*  
16 *sexual harassment at the United States Merchant Marine*  
17 *Academy as required pursuant to section 3507 of Public*  
18 *Law 110–417: Provided further, That of the amounts made*  
19 *available under this heading, \$3,000,000 shall be for the*  
20 *Maritime Environment and Technology Assistance pro-*  
21 *gram authorized under section 50307 of title 46, United*  
22 *States Code: Provided further, That of the amounts made*  
23 *available under this heading, \$7,000,000, shall remain*  
24 *available until expended for the Short Sea Transportation*  
25 *Program (America’s Marine Highways) to make grants for*

1 *the purposes authorized under sections 55601(b)(1) and (3)*  
2 *of title 46, United States Code: Provided further, That*  
3 *available balances under this heading for the Short Sea*  
4 *Transportation Program (America’s Marine Highways)*  
5 *from prior year recoveries shall be available to carry out*  
6 *activities authorized under sections 55601(b)(1) and (3) of*  
7 *title 46, United States Code: Provided further, That from*  
8 *funds provided under the previous two provisos, the Sec-*  
9 *retary of Transportation shall make grants no later than*  
10 *180 days after enactment of this Act in such amounts as*  
11 *the Secretary determines: Provided further, That any unob-*  
12 *ligated balances available from previous appropriations for*  
13 *programs and activities supporting State Maritime Acad-*  
14 *emies shall be transferred to and merged with the appro-*  
15 *priations for “Maritime Administration, State Maritime*  
16 *Academy Operations” and shall be made available for the*  
17 *same purposes.*

18 *STATE MARITIME ACADEMY OPERATIONS*

19 *For necessary expenses of operations, support and*  
20 *training activities for State Maritime Academies,*  
21 *\$340,200,000, of which \$30,000,000, to remain available*  
22 *until expended, shall be for maintenance, repair, life exten-*  
23 *sion, and capacity improvement of National Defense Re-*  
24 *serve Fleet training ships in support of State Maritime*  
25 *Academies, as well as other expenses related to training*

1 *mariners, as determined by the Secretary, of which*  
2 *\$300,000,000, to remain available until expended shall be*  
3 *for the National Security Multi-Mission Vessel Program,*  
4 *including funds for construction, planning, administration,*  
5 *and design of school ships, of which \$2,400,000 shall remain*  
6 *available through September 30, 2020, for the Student In-*  
7 *centive Program, of which \$1,800,000 shall remain avail-*  
8 *able until expended for training ship fuel assistance, and*  
9 *of which \$6,000,000 shall remain available until September*  
10 *30, 2020, for direct payments for State Maritime Acad-*  
11 *emies.*

12 *ASSISTANCE TO SMALL SHIPYARDS*

13 *To make grants to qualified shipyards as authorized*  
14 *under section 54101 of title 46, United States Code, as*  
15 *amended by Public Law 113–281, \$20,000,000, to remain*  
16 *available until expended.*

17 *SHIP DISPOSAL*

18 *For necessary expenses related to the disposal of obso-*  
19 *lete vessels in the National Defense Reserve Fleet of the Mar-*  
20 *itime Administration, \$5,000,000, to remain available*  
21 *until expended.*



1 *Provided, That the Secretary of Transportation shall issue*  
2 *a final rule to expand the applicability of comprehensive*  
3 *oil spill response plans within 45 days of enactment of this*  
4 *Act: Provided further, That the amounts appropriated*  
5 *under this heading shall be reduced by \$100,000 per day*  
6 *for each day that such rule has not been issued following*  
7 *the expiration of the period set forth in the previous proviso.*

8 *HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SAFETY*

9 *For expenses necessary to discharge the hazardous ma-*  
10 *terials safety functions of the Pipeline and Hazardous Ma-*  
11 *terials Safety Administration, \$58,000,000, of which*  
12 *\$7,570,000 shall remain available until September 30,*  
13 *2021: Provided, That up to \$800,000 in fees collected under*  
14 *49 U.S.C. 5108(g) shall be deposited in the general fund*  
15 *of the Treasury as offsetting receipts: Provided further, That*  
16 *there may be credited to this appropriation, to remain*  
17 *available until expended, funds received from States, coun-*  
18 *ties, municipalities, other public authorities, and private*  
19 *sources for expenses incurred for training, for reports publi-*  
20 *cation and dissemination, and for travel expenses incurred*  
21 *in the performance of hazardous materials exemptions and*  
22 *approvals functions.*

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*PIPELINE SAFETY*

*(PIPELINE SAFETY FUND)*

*(OIL SPILL LIABILITY TRUST FUND)*

*For expenses necessary to conduct the functions of the pipeline safety program, for grants-in-aid to carry out a pipeline safety program, as authorized by 49 U.S.C. 60107, and to discharge the pipeline program responsibilities of the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, \$165,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2021, of which \$23,000,000 shall be derived from the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund; of which \$134,000,000 shall be derived from the Pipeline Safety Fund; and of which \$8,000,000 shall be derived from fees collected under 49 U.S.C. 60302 and deposited in the Underground Natural Gas Storage Facility Safety Account for the purpose of carrying out 49 U.S.C. 60141: Provided, That not less than \$1,058,000 of the funds provided under this heading shall be for the one-call state grant program.*

*EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS GRANTS*

*(EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FUND)*

*Notwithstanding the fiscal year limitation specified in 49 U.S.C. 5116, not more than \$28,318,000 shall remain available until September 30, 2021, from amounts made available by 49 U.S.C. 5116(h), 5128(b), and 5128(c): Provided, That notwithstanding 49 U.S.C. 5116(h)(4), not more than 4 percent of the amounts made available from*



1 *this account shall be available to pay administrative costs:*  
2 *Provided further, That none of the funds made available*  
3 *by 49 U.S.C. 5116(h), 5128(b), or 5128(c) shall be made*  
4 *available for obligation by individuals other than the Sec-*  
5 *retary of Transportation, or his or her designee.*

6 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

7 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

8 *For necessary expenses of the Office of the Inspector*  
9 *General to carry out the provisions of the Inspector General*  
10 *Act of 1978, as amended, \$92,600,000: Provided, That the*  
11 *Inspector General shall have all necessary authority, in car-*  
12 *rying out the duties specified in the Inspector General Act,*  
13 *as amended (5 U.S.C. App. 3), to investigate allegations*  
14 *of fraud, including false statements to the government (18*  
15 *U.S.C. 1001), by any person or entity that is subject to*  
16 *regulation by the Department of Transportation: Provided*  
17 *further, That the funds made available under this heading*  
18 *may be used to investigate, pursuant to section 41712 of*  
19 *title 49, United States Code: (1) unfair or deceptive prac-*  
20 *tices and unfair methods of competition by domestic and*  
21 *foreign air carriers and ticket agents; and (2) the compli-*  
22 *ance of domestic and foreign air carriers with respect to*  
23 *item (1) of this proviso.*



1        *SEC. 182. (a) No recipient of funds made available in*  
2 *this Act shall disseminate personal information (as defined*  
3 *in 18 U.S.C. 2725(3)) obtained by a State department of*  
4 *motor vehicles in connection with a motor vehicle record*  
5 *as defined in 18 U.S.C. 2725(1), except as provided in 18*  
6 *U.S.C. 2721 for a use permitted under 18 U.S.C. 2721.*

7        *(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the Secretary shall*  
8 *not withhold funds provided in this Act for any grantee*  
9 *if a State is in noncompliance with this provision.*

10        *SEC. 183. None of the funds in this Act shall be avail-*  
11 *able for salaries and expenses of more than 110 political*  
12 *and Presidential appointees in the Department of Trans-*  
13 *portation: Provided, That none of the personnel covered by*  
14 *this provision may be assigned on temporary detail outside*  
15 *the Department of Transportation.*

16        *SEC. 184. Funds received by the Federal Highway Ad-*  
17 *ministration and Federal Railroad Administration from*  
18 *States, counties, municipalities, other public authorities,*  
19 *and private sources for expenses incurred for training may*  
20 *be credited respectively to the Federal Highway Adminis-*  
21 *tration's "Federal-Aid Highways" account and to the Fed-*  
22 *eral Railroad Administration's "Safety and Operations"*  
23 *account, except for State rail safety inspectors participating*  
24 *in training pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 20105.*

1        *SEC. 185. (a) None of the funds provided in this Act*  
2 *to the Department of Transportation may be used to make*  
3 *a loan, loan guarantee, line of credit, or discretionary grant*  
4 *unless the Secretary of Transportation notifies the House*  
5 *and Senate Committees on Appropriations not less than 3*  
6 *full business days before any project competitively selected*  
7 *to receive any discretionary grant award, letter of intent,*  
8 *loan commitment, loan guarantee commitment, line of cred-*  
9 *it commitment, or full funding grant agreement is an-*  
10 *nounced by the Department or its modal administrations:*  
11 *Provided, That the Secretary gives concurrent notification*  
12 *to the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations for*  
13 *any “quick release” of funds from the emergency relief pro-*  
14 *gram: Provided further, That no notification shall involve*  
15 *funds that are not available for obligation.*

16        *(b) In addition to the notification required in sub-*  
17 *section (a), none of the funds made available in this Act*  
18 *to the Department of Transportation may be used to make*  
19 *a loan, loan guarantee, line of credit, cooperative agreement*  
20 *or discretionary grant unless the Secretary of Transpor-*  
21 *tation provides the House and Senate Committees on Ap-*  
22 *propriations a comprehensive list of all such loans, loan*  
23 *guarantees, lines of credit, cooperative agreement or discre-*  
24 *tionary grants that will be announced not less the 3 full*  
25 *business days before such announcement: Provided, That the*

1 *requirement to provide a list in this subsection does not*  
2 *apply to any “quick release” of funds from the emergency*  
3 *relief program: Provided further, That no list shall involve*  
4 *funds that are not available for obligation.*

5       *SEC. 186. Rebates, refunds, incentive payments, minor*  
6 *fees and other funds received by the Department of Trans-*  
7 *portation from travel management centers, charge card pro-*  
8 *grams, the subleasing of building space, and miscellaneous*  
9 *sources are to be credited to appropriations of the Depart-*  
10 *ment of Transportation and allocated to elements of the De-*  
11 *partment of Transportation using fair and equitable cri-*  
12 *teria and such funds shall be available until expended.*

13       *SEC. 187. Amounts made available in this or any*  
14 *prior Act that the Secretary determines represent improper*  
15 *payments by the Department of Transportation to a third-*  
16 *party contractor under a financial assistance award, which*  
17 *are recovered pursuant to law, shall be available—*

18             *(1) to reimburse the actual expenses incurred by*  
19 *the Department of Transportation in recovering im-*  
20 *proper payments: Provided, That amounts made*  
21 *available in this Act shall be available until ex-*  
22 *pended; and*

23             *(2) to pay contractors for services provided in re-*  
24 *covering improper payments or contractor support in*  
25 *the implementation of the Improper Payments Infor-*

1 *mation Act of 2002: Provided, That amounts in excess*  
2 *of that required for paragraphs (1) and (2)—*

3 *(A) shall be credited to and merged with the*  
4 *appropriation from which the improper pay-*  
5 *ments were made, and shall be available for the*  
6 *purposes and period for which such appropria-*  
7 *tions are available: Provided further, That where*  
8 *specific project or accounting information associ-*  
9 *ated with the improper payment or payments is*  
10 *not readily available, the Secretary may credit*  
11 *an appropriate account, which shall be available*  
12 *for the purposes and period associated with the*  
13 *account so credited; or*

14 *(B) if no such appropriation remains avail-*  
15 *able, shall be deposited in the Treasury as mis-*  
16 *cellaneous receipts: Provided further, That prior*  
17 *to the transfer of any such recovery to an appro-*  
18 *priations account, the Secretary shall notify the*  
19 *House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
20 *tions of the amount and reasons for such trans-*  
21 *fer: Provided further, That for purposes of this*  
22 *section, the term “improper payments” has the*  
23 *same meaning as that provided in section*  
24 *2(d)(2) of Public Law 107–300.*

1        *SEC. 188. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
2 *if any funds provided in or limited by this Act are subject*  
3 *to a reprogramming action that requires notice to be pro-*  
4 *vided to the House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
5 *tions, transmission of said reprogramming notice shall be*  
6 *provided solely to the House and Senate Committees on Ap-*  
7 *propriations, and said reprogramming action shall be ap-*  
8 *proved or denied solely by the House and Senate Commit-*  
9 *tees on Appropriations: Provided, That the Secretary of*  
10 *Transportation may provide notice to other congressional*  
11 *committees of the action of the House and Senate Commit-*  
12 *tees on Appropriations on such reprogramming but not*  
13 *sooner than 30 days following the date on which the re-*  
14 *programming action has been approved or denied by the*  
15 *House and Senate Committees on Appropriations.*

16        *SEC. 189. Funds appropriated in this Act to the modal*  
17 *administrations may be obligated for the Office of the Sec-*  
18 *retary for the costs related to assessments or reimbursable*  
19 *agreements only when such amounts are for the costs of*  
20 *goods and services that are purchased to provide a direct*  
21 *benefit to the applicable modal administration or adminis-*  
22 *trations.*

23        *SEC. 190. The Secretary of Transportation is author-*  
24 *ized to carry out a program that establishes uniform stand-*  
25 *ards for developing and supporting agency transit pass and*

1 *transit benefits authorized under section 7905 of title 5,*  
2 *United States Code, including distribution of transit bene-*  
3 *fits by various paper and electronic media.*

4       *SEC. 191. The Department of Transportation may use*  
5 *funds provided by this Act, or any other Act, to assist a*  
6 *contract under title 49 U.S.C. or title 23 U.S.C. utilizing*  
7 *geographic, economic, or any other hiring preference not*  
8 *otherwise authorized by law, or to amend a rule, regulation,*  
9 *policy or other measure that forbids a recipient of a Federal*  
10 *Highway Administration or Federal Transit Administra-*  
11 *tion grant from imposing such hiring preference on a con-*  
12 *tract or construction project with which the Department of*  
13 *Transportation is assisting, only if the grant recipient cer-*  
14 *tifies the following:*

15           *(1) that except with respect to apprentices or*  
16 *trainees, a pool of readily available but unemployed*  
17 *individuals possessing the knowledge, skill, and abil-*  
18 *ity to perform the work that the contract requires re-*  
19 *sides in the jurisdiction;*

20           *(2) that the grant recipient will include appro-*  
21 *priate provisions in its bid document ensuring that*  
22 *the contractor does not displace any of its existing*  
23 *employees in order to satisfy such hiring preference;*  
24 *and*



1           (3) that any increase in the cost of labor, train-  
2           ing, or delays resulting from the use of such hiring  
3           preference does not delay or displace any transpor-  
4           tation project in the applicable Statewide Transpor-  
5           tation Improvement Program or Transportation Im-  
6           provement Program.

7           SEC. 192. Not later than 90 days after the date of en-  
8           actment of this Act, the Secretary of Transportation shall  
9           submit to the Committees on Appropriations and Com-  
10          merce, Science, and Transportation of the Senate and the  
11          Committees on Appropriations and Transportation and In-  
12          frastructure of the House of Representatives a report on ef-  
13          forts by the Department of Transportation to engage with  
14          local communities, metropolitan planning organizations,  
15          and regional transportation commissions on advancing  
16          data and intelligent transportation systems technologies  
17          and other smart cities solutions.

18          SEC. 193. The Secretary of Transportation shall con-  
19          sult with the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil  
20          Works to identify any existing authorities and any addi-  
21          tional authorities that may be needed to leverage funds from  
22          Department of Transportation programs for purposes of in-  
23          land waterway project costs.

24          SEC. 194. (a) Subject to subsections (c) and (d), none  
25          of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available to

1 *the Department of Transportation by this or any other Act*  
2 *may be obligated or expended to enforce or require the en-*  
3 *forcement of section 127(a) of title 23, United States Code,*  
4 *with respect to a segment described in paragraph (1) or*  
5 *(2) of subsection (b) if the segment is designated as a route*  
6 *of the Interstate System.*

7 *(b) The segments referred to in subsection (a) are the*  
8 *following:*

9 *(1) The William H. Natcher Parkway (to be des-*  
10 *ignated as a spur of Interstate Route 65) from Inter-*  
11 *state Route 65 in Bowling Green, Kentucky, to*  
12 *United States Route 60 in Owensboro, Kentucky.*

13 *(2) The Julian M. Carroll (Purchase) Parkway*  
14 *(to be designated as Interstate Route 69) in the State*  
15 *of Kentucky from the Tennessee State line to the*  
16 *interchange with Interstate Route 24, near Calvert*  
17 *City, Kentucky.*

18 *(c) Only a vehicle that could operate legally on a seg-*  
19 *ment described in paragraph (1) or (2) of subsection (b)*  
20 *before the date of designation of the segment as a route of*  
21 *the Interstate System may continue to operate on that seg-*  
22 *ment, subject to the condition that, except as provided in*  
23 *subsection (d), the gross vehicle weight of such a vehicle shall*  
24 *not exceed 120,000 pounds.*

1       (d) *Nothing in this section prohibits a State from*  
2 *issuing a permit for a nondivisible load or vehicle with a*  
3 *gross vehicle weight that exceeds 120,000 pounds.*

4       *SEC. 195. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
5 *made available to the Department of Transportation may*  
6 *be obligated or expended to implement, administer, or en-*  
7 *force the requirements of section 31137 of title 49, United*  
8 *States Code, or any regulation issued by the Secretary pur-*  
9 *suant to such section, with respect to the use of electronic*  
10 *logging devices by operators of commercial motor vehicles,*  
11 *as defined in section 31132(1) of such title, transporting*  
12 *livestock, as defined in section 602 of the Emergency Live-*  
13 *stock Feed Assistance Act of 1988 (7 U.S.C. 1471) or insects.*

14       *SEC. 196. (a) None of the funds appropriated or other-*  
15 *wise made available to the Federal Transit Administration*  
16 *under this title to carry out sections 5307, 5311, 5337, and*  
17 *5339 of title 49, United States Code, may be used in award-*  
18 *ing a contract or subcontract to an entity on or after the*  
19 *date of enactment of this Act for the procurement of rolling*  
20 *stock for use in public transportation if the manufacturer*  
21 *of the rolling stock is incorporated in or has manufacturing*  
22 *facilities in the United States and receives support from*  
23 *the government of a country that—*

24               *(1) is identified as a nonmarket economy coun-*  
25               *try (as defined in section 771(18) of the Tariff Act of*

1       1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(18))) as of the date of enact-  
2       ment of this Act;

3               (2) was identified by the United States Trade  
4       Representative in the most recent report required by  
5       section 182 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2242)  
6       as a priority foreign country under subsection (a)(2)  
7       of that section; and

8               (3) is subject to monitoring by the Trade Rep-  
9       resentative under section 306 of the Trade Act of 1974  
10       (19 U.S.C. 2416).

11       (b) This section shall be applied in a manner con-  
12       sistent with the obligations of the United States under inter-  
13       national agreements.

14       (c)(1) This section shall not apply to the award of a  
15       contract or subcontract made by a public transportation  
16       agency with a rail rolling stock manufacturer described in  
17       subsection (a) if the manufacturer produces rail rolling  
18       stock for an eligible public transportation agency through  
19       a contract executed prior to the date of enactment of this  
20       Act.

21       (2) A rail rolling stock manufacturer described in sub-  
22       section (a) may not use funds provided under a contract  
23       or subcontract described in paragraph (1) to expand the  
24       manufacturer's production of rail rolling stock within the  
25       United States to an amount of rolling stock vehicles or rail-

1 cars that is greater than the amount required under con-  
2 tractual obligations of the manufacturer as of the date of  
3 enactment of this Act including all options for additional  
4 rolling stock.

5 (d) Nothing in this section shall be construed to apply  
6 to funds that are not appropriated or otherwise made avail-  
7 able to the Federal Transit Administration under this title.

8 This title may be cited as the “Department of Trans-  
9 portation Appropriations Act, 2019”.

## 10 TITLE II

### 11 DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN

#### 12 DEVELOPMENT

#### 13 MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

#### 14 EXECUTIVE OFFICES

15 For necessary salaries and expenses for Executive Of-  
16 fices, which shall be comprised of the offices of the Secretary,  
17 Deputy Secretary, Adjudicatory Services, Congressional  
18 and Intergovernmental Relations, Public Affairs, Small  
19 and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, and the Center for  
20 Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships, \$14,898,000:  
21 Provided, That not to exceed \$25,000 of the amount made  
22 available under this heading shall be available to the Sec-  
23 retary for official reception and representation expenses as  
24 the Secretary may determine.

1                    *ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OFFICES*

2            *For necessary salaries and expenses for Administrative*  
3 *Support Offices, \$556,000,000, of which \$76,600,000 shall*  
4 *be available for the Office of the Chief Financial Officer,*  
5 *(and of which \$25,000,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
6 *tember 30, 2021, shall be for the financial transformation*  
7 *initiative); \$98,000,000 shall be available for the Office of*  
8 *the General Counsel, of which not less than \$15,000,000*  
9 *shall be for the Departmental Enforcement Center;*  
10 *\$213,300,000 shall be available for the Office of Administra-*  
11 *tion; \$40,200,000 shall be available for the Office of the*  
12 *Chief Human Capital Officer; \$54,000,000 shall be avail-*  
13 *able for the Office of Field Policy and Management;*  
14 *\$20,000,000 shall be available for the Office of the Chief*  
15 *Procurement Officer; \$3,600,000 shall be available for the*  
16 *Office of Departmental Equal Employment Opportunity;*  
17 *\$4,300,000 shall be available for the Office of Business*  
18 *Transformation; and \$46,00,000 shall be available for the*  
19 *Office of the Chief Information Officer: Provided, That*  
20 *funds provided under this heading may be used for nec-*  
21 *essary administrative and non-administrative expenses of*  
22 *the Department of Housing and Urban Development, not*  
23 *otherwise provided for, including purchase of uniforms, or*  
24 *allowances therefor, as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902;*  
25 *hire of passenger motor vehicles; and services as authorized*

1 *by 5 U.S.C. 3109: Provided further, That notwithstanding*  
2 *any other provision of law, funds appropriated under this*  
3 *heading may be used for advertising and promotional ac-*  
4 *tivities that directly support program activities funded in*  
5 *this title: Provided further, That the Secretary shall provide*  
6 *the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations quar-*  
7 *terly written notification regarding the status of pending*  
8 *congressional reports: Provided further, That the Secretary*  
9 *shall provide in electronic form all signed reports required*  
10 *by Congress: Provided further, That not more than 10 per-*  
11 *cent of the funds made available under this heading for the*  
12 *Office of Chief Financial Officer for the financial trans-*  
13 *formation initiative may be obligated until the Secretary*  
14 *submits to the House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
15 *tions, for approval, a plan for expenditure that includes*  
16 *the financial and internal control capabilities to be deliv-*  
17 *ered and the mission benefits to be realized, key milestones*  
18 *to be met, and the relationship between the proposed use*  
19 *of funds made available under this heading and the pro-*  
20 *jected total cost and scope of the initiative.*

21 *PROGRAM OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

22 *PUBLIC AND INDIAN HOUSING*

23 *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
24 *Public and Indian Housing, \$222,000,000.*

1            *COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT*

2            *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
3 *Community Planning and Development, \$110,000,000.*

4            *HOUSING*

5            *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
6 *Housing, \$390,000,000, of which not less than \$12,500,000*  
7 *shall be for the Office of Recapitalization.*

8            *POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND RESEARCH*

9            *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
10 *Policy Development and Research, \$26,000,000.*

11           *FAIR HOUSING AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY*

12           *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
13 *Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, \$71,500,000.*

14           *OFFICE OF LEAD HAZARD CONTROL AND HEALTHY HOMES*

15           *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of*  
16 *Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes, \$7,800,000.*

17           *WORKING CAPITAL FUND*18           *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

19           *For the working capital fund for the Department of*  
20 *Housing and Urban Development (referred to in this para-*  
21 *graph as the “Fund”), pursuant, in part, to section 7(f)*  
22 *of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act*  
23 *(42 U.S.C. 3535(f)), amounts transferred, including reim-*  
24 *bursments pursuant to section 7(f), to the Fund under this*  
25 *heading shall be available for Federal shared services used*



1 *by offices and agencies of the Department, and for such por-*  
2 *tion of any office or agency's printing, records management,*  
3 *space renovation, furniture, or supply services as the Sec-*  
4 *retary determines shall be derived from centralized sources*  
5 *made available by the Department to all offices and agen-*  
6 *cies and funded through the Fund: Provided, That of the*  
7 *amounts made available in this title for salaries and ex-*  
8 *penses under the headings "Executive Offices", "Adminis-*  
9 *trative Support Offices", "Program Office Salaries and Ex-*  
10 *penses", and "Government National Mortgage Association",*  
11 *the Secretary shall transfer to the Fund such amounts, to*  
12 *remain available until expended, as are necessary to fund*  
13 *services, specified in the matter preceding the first proviso,*  
14 *for which the appropriation would otherwise have been*  
15 *available, and may transfer not to exceed an additional*  
16 *\$5,000,000, in aggregate, from all such appropriations, to*  
17 *be merged with the Fund and to remain available until ex-*  
18 *pended for any purpose under this heading: Provided fur-*  
19 *ther, That amounts in the Fund shall be the only amounts*  
20 *available to each office or agency of the Department for the*  
21 *services, or portion of services, specified in the matter pre-*  
22 *ceding the first proviso: Provided further, That with respect*  
23 *to the Fund, the authorities and conditions under this head-*  
24 *ing shall supplement the authorities and conditions pro-*  
25 *vided under section 7(f).*

*PUBLIC AND INDIAN HOUSING**TENANT-BASED RENTAL ASSISTANCE*

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3 *For activities and assistance for the provision of ten-*  
4 *ant-based rental assistance authorized under the United*  
5 *States Housing Act of 1937, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1437*  
6 *et seq.) (“the Act” herein), not otherwise provided for,*  
7 *\$18,780,987,000, to remain available until expended, shall*  
8 *be available on October 1, 2018 (in addition to the*  
9 *\$4,000,000,000 previously appropriated under this heading*  
10 *that shall be available on October 1, 2018), and*  
11 *\$4,000,000,000, to remain available until expended, shall*  
12 *be available on October 1, 2019: Provided, That the*  
13 *amounts made available under this heading are provided*  
14 *as follows:*

15 (1) *\$20,520,000,000 shall be available for renew-*  
16 *als of expiring section 8 tenant-based annual con-*  
17 *tributions contracts (including renewals of enhanced*  
18 *vouchers under any provision of law authorizing such*  
19 *assistance under section 8(t) of the Act) and includ-*  
20 *ing renewal of other special purpose incremental*  
21 *vouchers: Provided, That notwithstanding any other*  
22 *provision of law, from amounts provided under this*  
23 *paragraph and any carryover, the Secretary for the*  
24 *calendar year 2019 funding cycle shall provide re-*  
25 *newal funding for each public housing agency based*

1     *on validated voucher management system (VMS) leasing*  
2     *and cost data for the prior calendar year and by*  
3     *applying an inflation factor as established by the Sec-*  
4     *retary, by notice published in the Federal Register,*  
5     *and by making any necessary adjustments for the*  
6     *costs associated with the first-time renewal of vouch-*  
7     *ers under this paragraph including tenant protection*  
8     *and Choice Neighborhoods vouchers: Provided further,*  
9     *That none of the funds provided under this paragraph*  
10    *may be used to fund a total number of unit months*  
11    *under lease which exceeds a public housing agency's*  
12    *authorized level of units under contract, except for*  
13    *public housing agencies participating in the MTW*  
14    *demonstration, which are instead governed by the*  
15    *terms and conditions of their MTW agreements: Pro-*  
16    *vided further, That the Secretary shall, to the extent*  
17    *necessary to stay within the amount specified under*  
18    *this paragraph (except as otherwise modified under*  
19    *this paragraph), prorate each public housing agency's*  
20    *allocation otherwise established pursuant to this para-*  
21    *graph: Provided further, That except as provided in*  
22    *the following provisos, the entire amount specified*  
23    *under this paragraph (except as otherwise modified*  
24    *under this paragraph) shall be obligated to the public*  
25    *housing agencies based on the allocation and pro rata*

1 *method described above, and the Secretary shall notify*  
2 *public housing agencies of their annual budget by the*  
3 *latter of 60 days after enactment of this Act or March*  
4 *1, 2019: Provided further, That the Secretary may ex-*  
5 *tend the notification period with the prior written*  
6 *approval of the House and Senate Committees on Ap-*  
7 *propriations: Provided further, That public housing*  
8 *agencies participating in the MTW demonstration*  
9 *shall be funded pursuant to their MTW agreements*  
10 *and shall be subject to the same pro rata adjustments*  
11 *under the previous provisos: Provided further, That*  
12 *the Secretary may offset public housing agencies' cal-*  
13 *endar year 2019 allocations based on the excess*  
14 *amounts of public housing agencies' net restricted as-*  
15 *sets accounts, including HUD-held programmatic re-*  
16 *serves (in accordance with VMS data in calendar*  
17 *year 2018 that is verifiable and complete), as deter-*  
18 *mined by the Secretary: Provided further, That public*  
19 *housing agencies participating in the MTW dem-*  
20 *onstration shall also be subject to the offset, as deter-*  
21 *mined by the Secretary, excluding amounts subject to*  
22 *the single fund budget authority provisions of their*  
23 *MTW agreements, from the agencies' calendar year*  
24 *2019 MTW funding allocation: Provided further, That*  
25 *the Secretary shall use any offset referred to in the*

1     *previous two provisos throughout the calendar year to*  
2     *prevent the termination of rental assistance for fami-*  
3     *lies as the result of insufficient funding, as deter-*  
4     *mined by the Secretary, and to avoid or reduce the*  
5     *proration of renewal funding allocations: Provided*  
6     *further, That up to \$100,000,000 shall be available*  
7     *only: (1) for adjustments in the allocations for public*  
8     *housing agencies, after application for an adjustment*  
9     *by a public housing agency that experienced a signifi-*  
10    *cant increase, as determined by the Secretary, in re-*  
11    *newal costs of vouchers resulting from unforeseen cir-*  
12    *cumstances or from portability under section 8(r) of*  
13    *the Act; (2) for vouchers that were not in use during*  
14    *the previous 12-month period in order to be available*  
15    *to meet a commitment pursuant to section 8(o)(13) of*  
16    *the Act; (3) for adjustments for costs associated with*  
17    *HUD–Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD–*  
18    *VASH) vouchers; and (4) for public housing agencies*  
19    *that despite taking reasonable cost savings measures,*  
20    *as determined by the Secretary, would otherwise be*  
21    *required to terminate rental assistance for families as*  
22    *a result of insufficient funding: Provided further,*  
23    *That the Secretary shall allocate amounts under the*  
24    *previous proviso based on need, as determined by the*  
25    *Secretary;*

1           (2) \$85,000,000 shall be for section 8 rental as-  
2           sistance for relocation and replacement of housing  
3           units that are demolished or disposed of pursuant to  
4           section 18 of the Act, conversion of section 23 projects  
5           to assistance under section 8, the family unification  
6           program under section 8(x) of the Act, relocation of  
7           witnesses in connection with efforts to combat crime  
8           in public and assisted housing pursuant to a request  
9           from a law enforcement or prosecution agency, en-  
10          hanced vouchers under any provision of law author-  
11          izing such assistance under section 8(t) of the Act,  
12          Choice Neighborhood vouchers, mandatory and vol-  
13          untary conversions, and tenant protection assistance  
14          including replacement and relocation assistance or for  
15          project-based assistance to prevent the displacement of  
16          unassisted elderly tenants currently residing in sec-  
17          tion 202 properties financed between 1959 and 1974  
18          that are refinanced pursuant to Public Law 106–569,  
19          as amended, or under the authority as provided under  
20          this Act: Provided, That when a public housing devel-  
21          opment is submitted for demolition or disposition  
22          under section 18 of the Act, the Secretary may pro-  
23          vide section 8 rental assistance when the units pose  
24          an imminent health and safety risk to residents: Pro-  
25          vided further, That the Secretary may only provide

1 replacement vouchers for units that were occupied  
2 within the previous 24 months that cease to be avail-  
3 able as assisted housing, subject only to the avail-  
4 ability of funds: Provided further, That of the  
5 amounts made available under this paragraph,  
6 \$5,000,000 may be available to provide tenant protec-  
7 tion assistance, not otherwise provided under this  
8 paragraph, to residents residing in low vacancy areas  
9 and who may have to pay rents greater than 30 per-  
10 cent of household income, as the result of: (A) the ma-  
11 turity of a HUD-insured, HUD-held or section 202  
12 loan that requires the permission of the Secretary  
13 prior to loan prepayment; (B) the expiration of a  
14 rental assistance contract for which the tenants are  
15 not eligible for enhanced voucher or tenant protection  
16 assistance under existing law; or (C) the expiration of  
17 affordability restrictions accompanying a mortgage or  
18 preservation program administered by the Secretary:  
19 Provided further, That such tenant protection assist-  
20 ance made available under the previous proviso may  
21 be provided under the authority of section 8(t) or sec-  
22 tion 8(o)(13) of the United States Housing Act of  
23 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f(t)): Provided further, That the  
24 Secretary shall issue guidance to implement the pre-  
25 vious provisos, including, but not limited to, require-

1     *ments for defining eligible at-risk households within*  
2     *60 days of the enactment of this Act: Provided fur-*  
3     *ther, That any tenant protection voucher made avail-*  
4     *able from amounts under this paragraph shall not be*  
5     *reissued by any public housing agency, except the re-*  
6     *placement vouchers as defined by the Secretary by no-*  
7     *tice, when the initial family that received any such*  
8     *voucher no longer receives such voucher, and the au-*  
9     *thority for any public housing agency to issue any*  
10    *such voucher shall cease to exist: Provided further,*  
11    *That the Secretary may provide section 8 rental as-*  
12    *stance from amounts made available under this*  
13    *paragraph for units assisted under a project-based*  
14    *subsidy contract funded under the “Project-Based*  
15    *Rental Assistance” heading under this title where the*  
16    *owner has received a Notice of Default and the units*  
17    *pose an imminent health and safety risk to residents:*  
18    *Provided further, That to the extent that the Secretary*  
19    *determines that such units are not feasible for contin-*  
20    *ued rental assistance payments or transfer of the sub-*  
21    *sidy contract associated with such units to another*  
22    *project or projects and owner or owners, any remain-*  
23    *ing amounts associated with such units under such*  
24    *contract shall be recaptured and used to reimburse*



1     *amounts used under this paragraph for rental assist-*  
2     *ance under the preceding proviso;*

3             (3) *\$1,956,987,000 shall be for administrative*  
4     *and other expenses of public housing agencies in ad-*  
5     *ministering the section 8 tenant-based rental assist-*  
6     *ance program, of which up to \$30,000,000 shall be*  
7     *available to the Secretary to allocate to public hous-*  
8     *ing agencies that need additional funds to administer*  
9     *their section 8 programs, including fees associated*  
10    *with section 8 tenant protection rental assistance, the*  
11    *administration of disaster related vouchers, HUD-*  
12    *VASH vouchers, and other special purpose incre-*  
13    *mental vouchers: Provided, That no less than*  
14    *\$1,926,987,000 of the amount provided in this para-*  
15    *graph shall be allocated to public housing agencies for*  
16    *the calendar year 2019 funding cycle based on section*  
17    *8(q) of the Act (and related Appropriation Act provi-*  
18    *sions) as in effect immediately before the enactment*  
19    *of the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act*  
20    *of 1998 (Public Law 105–276): Provided further,*  
21    *That if the amounts made available under this para-*  
22    *graph are insufficient to pay the amounts determined*  
23    *under the previous proviso, the Secretary may de-*  
24    *crease the amounts allocated to agencies by a uniform*  
25    *percentage applicable to all agencies receiving fund-*

1 *ing under this paragraph or may, to the extent nec-*  
2 *essary to provide full payment of amounts determined*  
3 *under the previous proviso, utilize unobligated bal-*  
4 *ances, including recaptures and carryovers, remain-*  
5 *ing from funds appropriated to the Department of*  
6 *Housing and Urban Development under this heading*  
7 *from prior fiscal years, excluding special purpose*  
8 *vouchers, notwithstanding the purposes for which such*  
9 *amounts were appropriated: Provided further, That*  
10 *all public housing agencies participating in the MTW*  
11 *demonstration shall be funded pursuant to their MTW*  
12 *agreements, and shall be subject to the same uniform*  
13 *percentage decrease as under the previous proviso:*  
14 *Provided further, That amounts provided under this*  
15 *paragraph shall be only for activities related to the*  
16 *provision of tenant-based rental assistance authorized*  
17 *under section 8, including related development activi-*  
18 *ties;*

19 *(4) \$154,000,000 for the renewal of tenant-based*  
20 *assistance contracts under section 811 of the Cran-*  
21 *ston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act (42*  
22 *U.S.C. 8013), including necessary administrative ex-*  
23 *penditures: Provided, That administrative and other ex-*  
24 *penditures of public housing agencies in administering*  
25 *the special purpose vouchers in this paragraph shall*

1     *be funded under the same terms and be subject to the*  
2     *same pro rata reduction as the percent decrease for*  
3     *administrative and other expenses to public housing*  
4     *agencies under paragraph (3) of this heading: Pro-*  
5     *vided further, That any amounts provided under this*  
6     *paragraph in this Act or prior Acts, remaining avail-*  
7     *able after funding renewals and administrative ex-*  
8     *penditures under this paragraph, shall be available for in-*  
9     *cremental tenant-based assistance contracts under*  
10    *such section 811, including necessary administrative*  
11    *expenses;*

12           (5) *\$5,000,000 shall be for rental assistance and*  
13    *associated administrative fees for Tribal HUD–VASH*  
14    *to serve Native American veterans that are homeless*  
15    *or at-risk of homelessness living on or near a reserva-*  
16    *tion or other Indian areas: Provided, That such*  
17    *amount shall be made available for renewal grants to*  
18    *recipients that received assistance under prior Acts*  
19    *under the Tribal HUD–VASH program: Provided*  
20    *further, That the Secretary shall be authorized to*  
21    *specify criteria for renewal grants, including data on*  
22    *the utilization of assistance reported by grant recipi-*  
23    *ents: Provided further, That such assistance shall be*  
24    *administered in accordance with program require-*  
25    *ments under the Native American Housing Assistance*

1 *and Self-Determination Act of 1996 and modeled*  
2 *after the HUD–VASH program: Provided further,*  
3 *That the Secretary shall be authorized to waive, or*  
4 *specify alternative requirements for any provision of*  
5 *any statute or regulation that the Secretary admin-*  
6 *isters in connection with the use of funds made avail-*  
7 *able under this paragraph (except for requirements*  
8 *related to fair housing, nondiscrimination, labor*  
9 *standards, and the environment), upon a finding by*  
10 *the Secretary that any such waivers or alternative re-*  
11 *quirements are necessary for the effective delivery and*  
12 *administration of such assistance: Provided further,*  
13 *That grant recipients shall report to the Secretary on*  
14 *utilization of such rental assistance and other pro-*  
15 *gram data, as prescribed by the Secretary: Provided*  
16 *further, That the Secretary may reallocate, as deter-*  
17 *mined by the Secretary, amounts returned or recap-*  
18 *tured from awards under prior acts;*

19 *(6) \$40,000,000 for incremental rental voucher*  
20 *assistance for use through a supported housing pro-*  
21 *gram administered in conjunction with the Depart-*  
22 *ment of Veterans Affairs as authorized under section*  
23 *8(o)(19) of the United States Housing Act of 1937:*  
24 *Provided, That the Secretary of Housing and Urban*  
25 *Development shall make such funding available, not-*

1 *withstanding section 203 (competition provision) of*  
2 *this title, to public housing agencies that partner with*  
3 *eligible VA Medical Centers or other entities as des-*  
4 *ignated by the Secretary of the Department of Vet-*  
5 *erans Affairs, based on geographical need for such as-*  
6 *sistance as identified by the Secretary of the Depart-*  
7 *ment of Veterans Affairs, public housing agency ad-*  
8 *ministrative performance, and other factors as speci-*  
9 *fied by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Develop-*  
10 *ment in consultation with the Secretary of the De-*  
11 *partment of Veterans Affairs: Provided further, That*  
12 *the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development*  
13 *may waive, or specify alternative requirements for (in*  
14 *consultation with the Secretary of the Department of*  
15 *Veterans Affairs), any provision of any statute or reg-*  
16 *ulation that the Secretary of Housing and Urban De-*  
17 *velopment administers in connection with the use of*  
18 *funds made available under this paragraph (except*  
19 *for requirements related to fair housing, non-*  
20 *discrimination, labor standards, and the environ-*  
21 *ment), upon a finding by the Secretary that any such*  
22 *waivers or alternative requirements are necessary for*  
23 *the effective delivery and administration of such*  
24 *voucher assistance: Provided further, That assistance*  
25 *made available under this paragraph shall continue*

1 *to remain available for homeless veterans upon turn-*  
2 *over;*

3 *(7) \$20,000,000 shall be made available for new*  
4 *incremental voucher assistance through the family*  
5 *unification program as authorized by section 8(x) of*  
6 *the Act: Provided, That the assistance made available*  
7 *under this paragraph shall continue to remain avail-*  
8 *able for family unification upon turnover: Provided*  
9 *further, That for any public housing agency admin-*  
10 *istering voucher assistance appropriated in a prior*  
11 *Act under the family unification program that deter-*  
12 *mines that it no longer has an identified need for*  
13 *such assistance upon turnover, such agency shall no-*  
14 *tify the Secretary, and the Secretary shall recapture*  
15 *such assistance from the agency and reallocate it to*  
16 *any other public housing agency or agencies based on*  
17 *need for voucher assistance in connection with such*  
18 *program; and*

19 *(8) the Secretary shall separately track all spe-*  
20 *cial purpose vouchers funded under this heading.*

21 *HOUSING CERTIFICATE FUND*

22 *(INCLUDING RESCISSIONS)*

23 *Unobligated balances, including recaptures and carry-*  
24 *over, remaining from funds appropriated to the Depart-*  
25 *ment of Housing and Urban Development under this head-*

1 *ing, the heading “Annual Contributions for Assisted Hous-*  
2 *ing” and the heading “Project-Based Rental Assistance”,*  
3 *for fiscal year 2019 and prior years may be used for re-*  
4 *newal of or amendments to section 8 project-based contracts*  
5 *and for performance-based contract administrators, not-*  
6 *withstanding the purposes for which such funds were appro-*  
7 *priated: Provided, That any obligated balances of contract*  
8 *authority from fiscal year 1974 and prior that have been*  
9 *terminated shall be rescinded: Provided further, That*  
10 *amounts heretofore recaptured, or recaptured during the*  
11 *current fiscal year, from section 8 project-based contracts*  
12 *from source years fiscal year 1975 through fiscal year 1987*  
13 *are hereby rescinded, and an amount of additional new*  
14 *budget authority, equivalent to the amount rescinded is*  
15 *hereby appropriated, to remain available until expended,*  
16 *for the purposes set forth under this heading, in addition*  
17 *to amounts otherwise available.*

18 *PUBLIC HOUSING CAPITAL FUND*

19 *For the Public Housing Capital Fund Program to*  
20 *carry out capital and management activities for public*  
21 *housing agencies, as authorized under section 9 of the*  
22 *United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437g) (the*  
23 *“Act”) \$2,775,000,000, to remain available until September*  
24 *30, 2022: Provided, That notwithstanding any other provi-*  
25 *sion of law or regulation, during fiscal year 2019, the Sec-*

1 *retary of Housing and Urban Development may not dele-*  
2 *gate to any Department official other than the Deputy Sec-*  
3 *retary and the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian*  
4 *Housing any authority under paragraph (2) of section 9(j)*  
5 *regarding the extension of the time periods under such sec-*  
6 *tion: Provided further, That for purposes of such section*  
7 *9(j), the term “obligate” means, with respect to amounts,*  
8 *that the amounts are subject to a binding agreement that*  
9 *will result in outlays, immediately or in the future: Pro-*  
10 *vided further, That up to \$14,000,000 shall be to support*  
11 *ongoing public housing financial and physical assessment*  
12 *activities: Provided further, That up to \$1,000,000 shall be*  
13 *to support the costs of administrative and judicial receiver-*  
14 *ships: Provided further, That of the total amount provided*  
15 *under this heading, not to exceed \$25,000,000 shall be avail-*  
16 *able for the Secretary to make grants, notwithstanding sec-*  
17 *tion 203 of this Act, to public housing agencies for emer-*  
18 *gency capital needs including safety and security measures*  
19 *necessary to address crime and drug-related activity as well*  
20 *as needs resulting from unforeseen or unpreventable emer-*  
21 *gencies and natural disasters excluding Presidentially de-*  
22 *clared emergencies and natural disasters under the Robert*  
23 *T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Act (42 U.S.C.*  
24 *5121 et seq.) occurring in fiscal year 2019: Provided fur-*  
25 *ther, That of the amount made available under the previous*



1 *proviso, not less than \$5,000,000 shall be for safety and se-*  
2 *curity measures: Provided further, That in addition to the*  
3 *amount in the previous proviso for such safety and security*  
4 *measures, any amounts that remain available, after all ap-*  
5 *plications received on or before September 30, 2020, for*  
6 *emergency capital needs have been processed, shall be allo-*  
7 *cated to public housing agencies for such safety and security*  
8 *measures: Provided further, That of the total amount pro-*  
9 *vided under this heading, up to \$35,000,000 shall be for*  
10 *supportive services, service coordinators and congregate*  
11 *services as authorized by section 34 of the Act (42 U.S.C.*  
12 *1437z–6) and the Native American Housing Assistance and*  
13 *Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4101 et seq.):*  
14 *Provided further, That of the total amount made available*  
15 *under this heading, \$15,000,000 shall be for a Jobs-Plus*  
16 *initiative modeled after the Jobs-Plus demonstration: Pro-*  
17 *vided further, That funding provided under the previous*  
18 *proviso shall be available for competitive grants to partner-*  
19 *ships between public housing authorities, local workforce in-*  
20 *vestment boards established under section 107 of the Work-*  
21 *force Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (29 U.S.C.*  
22 *3122), and other agencies and organizations that provide*  
23 *support to help public housing residents obtain employment*  
24 *and increase earnings: Provided further, That applicants*  
25 *must demonstrate the ability to provide services to resi-*

1 dents, partner with workforce investment boards, and lever-  
2 age service dollars: Provided further, That the Secretary  
3 may allow public housing agencies to request exemptions  
4 from rent and income limitation requirements under sec-  
5 tions 3 and 6 of the United States Housing Act of 1937  
6 (42 U.S.C. 1437a and 1437d), as necessary to implement  
7 the Jobs-Plus program, on such terms and conditions as  
8 the Secretary may approve upon a finding by the Secretary  
9 that any such waivers or alternative requirements are nec-  
10 essary for the effective implementation of the Jobs-Plus ini-  
11 tiative as a voluntary program for residents: Provided fur-  
12 ther, That the Secretary shall publish by notice in the Fed-  
13 eral Register any waivers or alternative requirements pur-  
14 suant to the preceding proviso no later than 10 days before  
15 the effective date of such notice: Provided further, That for  
16 funds provided under this heading, the limitation in section  
17 9(g)(1) of the Act shall be 25 percent: Provided further, That  
18 the Secretary may waive the limitation in the previous pro-  
19 viso to allow public housing agencies to fund activities au-  
20 thorized under section 9(e)(1)(C) of the Act: Provided fur-  
21 ther, That the Secretary shall notify public housing agencies  
22 requesting waivers under the previous proviso if the request  
23 is approved or denied within 14 days of submitting the re-  
24 quest: Provided further, That from the funds made available  
25 under this heading, the Secretary shall provide bonus

1 awards in fiscal year 2019 to public housing agencies that  
2 are designated high performers: Provided further, That the  
3 Department shall notify public housing agencies of their  
4 formula allocation within 60 days of enactment of this Act:  
5 Provided further, That of the total amount provided under  
6 this heading, \$25,000,000 shall be available for competitive  
7 grants to public housing agencies to evaluate and reduce  
8 lead-based paint hazards in public housing by carrying out  
9 the activities of risk assessments, abatement, and interim  
10 controls (as those terms are defined in section 1004 of the  
11 Residential Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act of  
12 1992 (42 U.S.C. 4851b)): Provided further, That for pur-  
13 poses of environmental review, a grant under the previous  
14 proviso shall be considered funds for projects or activities  
15 under title I of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42  
16 U.S.C. 1437 et seq.) for purposes of section 26 of such Act  
17 (42 U.S.C. 1437x) and shall be subject to the regulations  
18 implementing such section.

19 *PUBLIC HOUSING OPERATING FUND*

20 *For 2019 payments to public housing agencies for the*  
21 *operation and management of public housing, as authorized*  
22 *by section 9(e) of the United States Housing Act of 1937*  
23 *(42 U.S.C. 1437g(e)), \$4,756,000,000, to remain available*  
24 *until September 30, 2020.*

1                    *CHOICE NEIGHBORHOODS INITIATIVE*

2            *For competitive grants under the Choice Neighborhoods*  
3 *Initiative (subject to section 24 of the United States Hous-*  
4 *ing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437v), unless otherwise speci-*  
5 *fied under this heading), for transformation, rehabilitation,*  
6 *and replacement housing needs of both public and HUD-*  
7 *assisted housing and to transform neighborhoods of poverty*  
8 *into functioning, sustainable mixed income neighborhoods*  
9 *with appropriate services, schools, public assets, transpor-*  
10 *tation and access to jobs, \$100,000,000, to remain available*  
11 *until September 30, 2021: Provided, That grant funds may*  
12 *be used for resident and community services, community*  
13 *development, and affordable housing needs in the commu-*  
14 *nity, and for conversion of vacant or foreclosed properties*  
15 *to affordable housing: Provided further, That the use of*  
16 *funds made available under this heading shall not be*  
17 *deemed to be public housing notwithstanding section 3(b)(1)*  
18 *of such Act: Provided further, That grantees shall commit*  
19 *to an additional period of affordability determined by the*  
20 *Secretary of not fewer than 20 years: Provided further, That*  
21 *grantees shall provide a match in State, local, other Federal*  
22 *or private funds: Provided further, That grantees may in-*  
23 *clude local governments, tribal entities, public housing au-*  
24 *thorities, and nonprofits: Provided further, That for-profit*  
25 *developers may apply jointly with a public entity: Provided*

1 *further, That for purposes of environmental review, a grant-*  
2 *ee shall be treated as a public housing agency under section*  
3 *26 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C.*  
4 *1437x), and grants under this heading shall be subject to*  
5 *the regulations issued by the Secretary to implement such*  
6 *section: Provided further, That of the amount provided, not*  
7 *less than \$50,000,000 shall be awarded to public housing*  
8 *agencies: Provided further, That such grantees shall create*  
9 *partnerships with other local organizations including as-*  
10 *sisted housing owners, service agencies, and resident organi-*  
11 *zations: Provided further, That the Secretary shall consult*  
12 *with the Secretaries of Education, Labor, Transportation,*  
13 *Health and Human Services, Agriculture, and Commerce,*  
14 *the Attorney General, and the Administrator of the Envi-*  
15 *ronmental Protection Agency to coordinate and leverage*  
16 *other appropriate Federal resources: Provided further, That*  
17 *no more than \$5,000,000 of funds made available under this*  
18 *heading may be provided as grants to undertake com-*  
19 *prehensive local planning with input from residents and*  
20 *the community: Provided further, That unobligated bal-*  
21 *ances, including recaptures, remaining from funds appro-*  
22 *priated under the heading “Revitalization of Severely Dis-*  
23 *tressed Public Housing (HOPE VI)” in fiscal year 2011*  
24 *and prior fiscal years may be used for purposes under this*  
25 *heading, notwithstanding the purposes for which such*

1 amounts were appropriated: Provided further, That the Sec-  
2 retary shall issue the Notice of Funding Availability for  
3 funds made available under this heading no later than 60  
4 days after enactment of this Act: Provided further, That the  
5 Secretary shall make grant awards no later than one year  
6 from the date of enactment of this Act in such amounts that  
7 the Secretary determines: Provided further, That notwith-  
8 standing section 24(o) of the United States Housing Act  
9 of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437v(o)), the Secretary may, until Sep-  
10 tember 30, 2019, obligate any available unobligated bal-  
11 ances made available under this heading in this, or any  
12 prior Act.

13 *FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY*

14 *For the Family Self-Sufficiency program to support*  
15 *family self-sufficiency coordinators under section 23 of the*  
16 *United States Housing Act of 1937, to promote the develop-*  
17 *ment of local strategies to coordinate the use of assistance*  
18 *under sections 8(o) and 9 of such Act with public and pri-*  
19 *vate resources, and enable eligible families to achieve eco-*  
20 *nomie independence and self-sufficiency, \$80,000,000, to re-*  
21 *main available until September 30, 2020: Provided, That*  
22 *the Secretary may, by Federal Register notice, waive or*  
23 *specify alternative requirements under subsections b(3),*  
24 *b(4), b(5), or c(1) of section 23 of such Act in order to facili-*  
25 *tate the operation of a unified self-sufficiency program for*

1 *individuals receiving assistance under different provisions*  
2 *of the Act, as determined by the Secretary: Provided further,*  
3 *That owners of a privately owned multifamily property*  
4 *with a section 8 contract may voluntarily make a Family*  
5 *Self-Sufficiency program available to the assisted tenants*  
6 *of such property in accordance with procedures established*  
7 *by the Secretary: Provided further, That such procedures*  
8 *established pursuant to the previous proviso shall permit*  
9 *participating tenants to accrue escrow funds in accordance*  
10 *with section 23(d)(2) and shall allow owners to use funding*  
11 *from residual receipt accounts to hire coordinators for their*  
12 *own Family Self-Sufficiency program.*

13 *NATIVE AMERICAN HOUSING BLOCK GRANTS*

14 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

15 *For the Native American Housing Block Grants pro-*  
16 *gram, as authorized under title I of the Native American*  
17 *Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996*  
18 *(NAHASDA) (25 U.S.C. 4111 et seq.), \$655,000,000, to re-*  
19 *main available until September 30, 2023: Provided, That,*  
20 *notwithstanding NAHASDA, to determine the amount of*  
21 *the allocation under title I of such Act for each Indian tribe,*  
22 *the Secretary shall apply the formula under section 302 of*  
23 *such Act with the need component based on single-race cen-*  
24 *sus data and with the need component based on multi-race*  
25 *census data, and the amount of the allocation for each In-*

1 *dian tribe shall be the greater of the two resulting allocation*  
2 *amounts: Provided further, That of the amounts made*  
3 *available under this heading, \$7,000,000 shall be for pro-*  
4 *viding training and technical assistance to Indian housing*  
5 *authorities and tribally designated housing entities, to sup-*  
6 *port the inspection of Indian housing units, contract exper-*  
7 *tise, and for training and technical assistance related to*  
8 *funding provided under this heading and other headings*  
9 *under this Act for the needs of Native American families*  
10 *and Indian country: Provided further, That amounts made*  
11 *available under the previous proviso may be used, con-*  
12 *tracted, or competed as determined by the Secretary: Pro-*  
13 *vided further, That of the amount provided under this head-*  
14 *ing, \$2,000,000 shall be made available for the cost of guar-*  
15 *anteed notes and other obligations, as authorized by title*  
16 *VI of NAHASDA: Provided further, That such costs, includ-*  
17 *ing the costs of modifying such notes and other obligations,*  
18 *shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional Budg-*  
19 *et Act of 1974, as amended: Provided further, That these*  
20 *funds are available to subsidize the total principal amount*  
21 *of any notes and other obligations, any part of which is*  
22 *to be guaranteed, not to exceed \$17,761,989: Provided fur-*  
23 *ther, That the Department will notify grantees of their for-*  
24 *mula allocation within 60 days of the date of enactment*  
25 *of this Act: Provided further, That for an additional*



1 *amount for the Native American Housing Block Grants*  
2 *program, as authorized under title I of NAHASDA,*  
3 *\$100,000,000 to remain available until September 30, 2023:*  
4 *Provided further, That the Secretary shall obligate this ad-*  
5 *ditional amount for competitive grants to eligible recipients*  
6 *authorized under NAHASDA that apply for funds: Pro-*  
7 *vided further, That in awarding this additional amount,*  
8 *the Secretary shall consider need and administrative capac-*  
9 *ity, and shall give priority to projects that will spur con-*  
10 *struction and rehabilitation: Provided further, That up to*  
11 *1 percent of this additional amount may be transferred, in*  
12 *aggregate, to “Program Office Salaries and Expenses—*  
13 *Public and Indian Housing” for necessary costs of admin-*  
14 *istering and overseeing the obligation and expenditure of*  
15 *this additional amount: Provided further, That any funds*  
16 *transferred pursuant to the previous proviso shall remain*  
17 *available until September 30, 2024.*

18 *INDIAN HOUSING LOAN GUARANTEE FUND PROGRAM*

19 *ACCOUNT*

20 *For the cost of guaranteed loans, as authorized by sec-*  
21 *tion 184 of the Housing and Community Development Act*  
22 *of 1992 (12 U.S.C. 1715z–13a), \$1,440,000, to remain*  
23 *available until expended: Provided, That such costs, includ-*  
24 *ing the costs of modifying such loans, shall be as defined*  
25 *in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: Pro-*

1 *vided further, That these funds are available to subsidize*  
2 *total loan principal, any part of which is to be guaranteed,*  
3 *up to \$553,846,154, to remain available until expended:*  
4 *Provided further, That up to \$750,000 of this amount may*  
5 *be for administrative contract expenses including manage-*  
6 *ment processes and systems to carry out the loan guarantee*  
7 *program.*

8 *NATIVE HAWAIIAN HOUSING BLOCK GRANT*

9 *For the Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grant pro-*  
10 *gram, as authorized under title VIII of the Native American*  
11 *Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25*  
12 *U.S.C. 4111 et seq.), \$2,000,000, to remain available until*  
13 *September 30, 2023: Provided, That notwithstanding sec-*  
14 *tion 812(b) of such Act, the Department of Hawaiian Home*  
15 *Lands may not invest grant amounts provided under this*  
16 *heading in investment securities and other obligations: Pro-*  
17 *vided further, That amounts made available under this*  
18 *heading in this and prior fiscal years may be used to pro-*  
19 *vide rental assistance to eligible Native Hawaiian families*  
20 *both on and off the Hawaiian Home Lands, notwith-*  
21 *standing any other provision of law.*

22 *COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT*

23 *HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONS WITH AIDS*

24 *For carrying out the Housing Opportunities for Per-*  
25 *sons with AIDS program, as authorized by the AIDS Hous-*

1 *ing Opportunity Act (42 U.S.C. 12901 et seq.),*  
2 *\$375,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
3 *2020, except that amounts allocated pursuant to section*  
4 *854(c)(5) of such Act shall remain available until Sep-*  
5 *tember 30, 2021: Provided, That the Secretary shall renew*  
6 *all expiring contracts for permanent supportive housing*  
7 *that initially were funded under section 854(c)(5) of such*  
8 *Act from funds made available under this heading in fiscal*  
9 *year 2010 and prior fiscal years that meet all program re-*  
10 *quirements before awarding funds for new contracts under*  
11 *such section: Provided further, That the Department shall*  
12 *notify grantees of their formula allocation within 60 days*  
13 *of enactment of this Act.*

14 *COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND*

15 *For assistance to units of State and local government,*  
16 *and to other entities, for economic and community develop-*  
17 *ment activities, and for other purposes, \$3,365,000,000, to*  
18 *remain available until September 30, 2021, unless otherwise*  
19 *specified: Provided, That of the total amount provided,*  
20 *\$3,300,000,000 is for carrying out the community develop-*  
21 *ment block grant program under title I of the Housing and*  
22 *Community Development Act of 1974, as amended (“the*  
23 *Act” herein) (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.): Provided further,*  
24 *That unless explicitly provided for under this heading, not*  
25 *to exceed 20 percent of any grant made with funds appro-*

1 *priated under this heading shall be expended for planning*  
2 *and management development and administration: Pro-*  
3 *vided further, That a metropolitan city, urban county, unit*  
4 *of general local government, Indian tribe, or insular area*  
5 *that directly or indirectly receives funds under this heading*  
6 *may not sell, trade, or otherwise transfer all or any portion*  
7 *of such funds to another such entity in exchange for any*  
8 *other funds, credits or non-Federal considerations, but must*  
9 *use such funds for activities eligible under title I of the Act:*  
10 *Provided further, That notwithstanding section 105(e)(1) of*  
11 *the Act, no funds provided under this heading may be pro-*  
12 *vided to a for-profit entity for an economic development*  
13 *project under section 105(a)(17) unless such project has*  
14 *been evaluated and selected in accordance with guidelines*  
15 *required under subsection (e)(2): Provided further, That the*  
16 *Department shall notify grantees of their formula allocation*  
17 *within 60 days of enactment of this Act: Provided further,*  
18 *That of the total amount provided under this heading,*  
19 *\$65,000,000 shall be for grants to Indian tribes notwith-*  
20 *standing section 106(a)(1) of such Act, of which, notwith-*  
21 *standing any other provision of law (including section 203*  
22 *of this Act), up to \$4,000,000 may be used for emergencies*  
23 *that constitute imminent threats to health and safety.*



1 *ment shall notify grantees of their formula allocation with-*  
2 *in 60 days of enactment of this Act.*

3 *SELF-HELP AND ASSISTED HOMEOWNERSHIP OPPORTUNITY*  
4 *PROGRAM*

5 *For the Self-Help and Assisted Homeownership Op-*  
6 *portunity Program, as authorized under section 11 of the*  
7 *Housing Opportunity Program Extension Act of 1996, as*  
8 *amended, \$54,000,000, to remain available until September*  
9 *30, 2021: Provided, That of the total amount provided*  
10 *under this heading, \$10,000,000 shall be made available to*  
11 *the Self-Help Homeownership Opportunity Program as au-*  
12 *thorized under section 11 of the Housing Opportunity Pro-*  
13 *gram Extension Act of 1996, as amended: Provided further,*  
14 *That of the total amount provided under this heading,*  
15 *\$35,000,000 shall be made available for the second, third,*  
16 *and fourth capacity building activities authorized under*  
17 *section 4(a) of the HUD Demonstration Act of 1993 (42*  
18 *U.S.C. 9816 note), of which not less than \$5,000,000 shall*  
19 *be made available for rural capacity building activities:*  
20 *Provided further, That of the total amount provided under*  
21 *this heading, \$5,000,000 shall be made available for capac-*  
22 *ity building by national rural housing organizations with*  
23 *experience assessing national rural conditions and pro-*  
24 *viding financing, training, technical assistance, informa-*  
25 *tion, and research to local nonprofits, local governments,*

1 *and Indian Tribes serving high need rural communities:*  
2 *Provided further, That of the total amount provided under*  
3 *this heading, \$4,000,000, shall be made available for a pro-*  
4 *gram to rehabilitate and modify the homes of disabled or*  
5 *low-income veterans, as authorized under section 1079 of*  
6 *Public Law 113–291: Provided further, That funds pro-*  
7 *vided under the previous proviso shall be awarded within*  
8 *180 days of enactment of this Act: Provided further, That*  
9 *funds provided for such program in fiscal years 2016, 2017,*  
10 *and 2018 shall be awarded within 60 days of enactment*  
11 *of this Act.*

12 *HOMELESS ASSISTANCE GRANTS*

13 *For the Emergency Solutions Grants program as au-*  
14 *thorized under subtitle B of title IV of the McKinney-Vento*  
15 *Homeless Assistance Act, as amended; the Continuum of*  
16 *Care program as authorized under subtitle C of title IV of*  
17 *such Act; and the Rural Housing Stability Assistance pro-*  
18 *gram as authorized under subtitle D of title IV of such Act,*  
19 *\$2,612,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
20 *2021: Provided, That any rental assistance amounts that*  
21 *are recaptured under such Continuum of Care program*  
22 *shall remain available until expended: Provided further,*  
23 *That not less than \$270,000,000 of the funds appropriated*  
24 *under this heading shall be available for such Emergency*  
25 *Solutions Grants program: Provided further, That not less*

1 *than \$2,205,000,000 of the funds appropriated under this*  
2 *heading shall be available for such Continuum of Care and*  
3 *Rural Housing Stability Assistance programs: Provided*  
4 *further, That of the amounts made available under this*  
5 *heading, up to \$50,000,000 shall be made available for*  
6 *grants for rapid re-housing projects and supportive service*  
7 *projects providing coordinated entry, and for eligible activi-*  
8 *ties the Secretary determines to be critical in order to assist*  
9 *survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking:*  
10 *Provided further, That such projects shall be eligible for re-*  
11 *newal under the continuum of care program subject to the*  
12 *same terms and conditions as other renewal applicants:*  
13 *Provided further, That up to \$7,000,000 of the funds appro-*  
14 *priated under this heading shall be available for the na-*  
15 *tional homeless data analysis project: Provided further,*  
16 *That all funds awarded for supportive services under the*  
17 *Continuum of Care program and the Rural Housing Sta-*  
18 *bility Assistance program shall be matched by not less than*  
19 *25 percent in cash or in kind by each grantee: Provided*  
20 *further, That for all match requirements applicable to funds*  
21 *made available under this heading for this fiscal year and*  
22 *prior fiscal years, a grantee may use (or could have used)*  
23 *as a source of match funds other funds administered by the*  
24 *Secretary and other Federal agencies unless there is (or*  
25 *was) a specific statutory prohibition on any such use of*



1 *any such funds: Provided further, That the Secretary shall*  
2 *collect system performance measures for each continuum of*  
3 *care, and that relative to fiscal year 2015, under the Con-*  
4 *tinuum of Care competition with respect to funds made*  
5 *available under this heading, the Secretary shall base an*  
6 *increasing share of the score on performance criteria: Pro-*  
7 *vided further, That none of the funds provided under this*  
8 *heading shall be available to provide funding for new*  
9 *projects, except for projects created through reallocation, un-*  
10 *less the Secretary determines that the continuum of care*  
11 *has demonstrated that projects are evaluated and ranked*  
12 *based on the degree to which they improve the continuum*  
13 *of care's system performance: Provided further, That the*  
14 *Secretary shall prioritize funding under the Continuum of*  
15 *Care program to continuums of care that have dem-*  
16 *onstrated a capacity to reallocate funding from lower per-*  
17 *forming projects to higher performing projects: Provided*  
18 *further, That all awards of assistance under this heading*  
19 *shall be required to coordinate and integrate homeless pro-*  
20 *grams with other mainstream health, social services, and*  
21 *employment programs for which homeless populations may*  
22 *be eligible: Provided further, That any unobligated amounts*  
23 *remaining from funds appropriated under this heading in*  
24 *fiscal year 2012 and prior years for project-based rental*  
25 *assistance for rehabilitation projects with 10-year grant*

1 *terms may be used for purposes under this heading, not-*  
2 *withstanding the purposes for which such funds were appro-*  
3 *priated: Provided further, That all balances for Shelter Plus*  
4 *Care renewals previously funded from the Shelter Plus Care*  
5 *Renewal account and transferred to this account shall be*  
6 *available, if recaptured, for Continuum of Care renewals*  
7 *in fiscal year 2019: Provided further, That the Department*  
8 *shall notify grantees of their formula allocation from*  
9 *amounts allocated (which may represent initial or final*  
10 *amounts allocated) for the Emergency Solutions Grant pro-*  
11 *gram within 60 days of enactment of this Act: Provided*  
12 *further, That up to \$80,000,000 of the funds appropriated*  
13 *under this heading shall be to implement projects to dem-*  
14 *onstrate how a comprehensive approach to serving homeless*  
15 *youth, age 24 and under, in up to 25 communities, includ-*  
16 *ing at least five communities with substantial rural popu-*  
17 *lations, can dramatically reduce youth homelessness: Pro-*  
18 *vided further, That of the amount made available under the*  
19 *previous proviso, up to \$5,000,000 shall be available to pro-*  
20 *vide technical assistance on youth homelessness, and collec-*  
21 *tion, analysis, and reporting of data and performance*  
22 *measures under the comprehensive approaches to serve*  
23 *homeless youth, in addition to and in coordination with*  
24 *other technical assistance funds provided under this title:*  
25 *Provided further, That such projects shall be eligible for re-*

1 *newal under the continuum of care program subject to the*  
2 *same terms and conditions as other renewal applicants:*  
3 *Provided further, That youth aged 24 and under seeking*  
4 *assistance under this heading shall not be required to pro-*  
5 *vide third party documentation to establish their eligibility*  
6 *under 42 U.S.C. 11302(a) or (b) to receive services: Pro-*  
7 *vided further, That unaccompanied youth aged 24 and*  
8 *under or families headed by youth aged 24 and under who*  
9 *are living in unsafe situations may be served by youth-serv-*  
10 *ing providers funded under this heading.*

11 *HOUSING PROGRAMS*

12 *PROJECT-BASED RENTAL ASSISTANCE*

13 *For activities and assistance for the provision of*  
14 *project-based subsidy contracts under the United States*  
15 *Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437 et seq.) (“the Act”),*  
16 *not otherwise provided for, \$11,347,000,000, to remain*  
17 *available until expended, shall be available on October 1,*  
18 *2018 (in addition to the \$400,000,000 previously appro-*  
19 *priated under this heading that became available October*  
20 *1, 2018), and \$400,000,000, to remain available until ex-*  
21 *pended, shall be available on October 1, 2019: Provided,*  
22 *That the amounts made available under this heading shall*  
23 *be available for expiring or terminating section 8 project-*  
24 *based subsidy contracts (including section 8 moderate reha-*  
25 *bilitation contracts), for amendments to section 8 project-*

1 *based subsidy contracts (including section 8 moderate reha-*  
2 *ilitation contracts), for contracts entered into pursuant to*  
3 *section 441 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act*  
4 *(42 U.S.C. 11401), for renewal of section 8 contracts for*  
5 *units in projects that are subject to approved plans of action*  
6 *under the Emergency Low Income Housing Preservation*  
7 *Act of 1987 or the Low-Income Housing Preservation and*  
8 *Resident Homeownership Act of 1990, and for administra-*  
9 *tive and other expenses associated with project-based activi-*  
10 *ties and assistance funded under this paragraph: Provided*  
11 *further, That of the total amounts provided under this head-*  
12 *ing, not to exceed \$245,000,000 shall be available for per-*  
13 *formance-based contract administrators for section 8*  
14 *project-based assistance, for carrying out 42 U.S.C. 1437(f):*  
15 *Provided further, That the Secretary may also use such*  
16 *amounts in the previous proviso for performance-based con-*  
17 *tract administrators for the administration of: interest re-*  
18 *duction payments pursuant to section 236(a) of the Na-*  
19 *tional Housing Act (12 U.S.C. 1715z-1(a)); rent supple-*  
20 *ment payments pursuant to section 101 of the Housing and*  
21 *Urban Development Act of 1965 (12 U.S.C. 1701s); section*  
22 *236(f)(2) rental assistance payments (12 U.S.C. 1715z-*  
23 *1(f)(2)); project rental assistance contracts for the elderly*  
24 *under section 202(c)(2) of the Housing Act of 1959 (12*  
25 *U.S.C. 1701q); project rental assistance contracts for sup-*

1 *portive housing for persons with disabilities under section*  
2 *811(d)(2) of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable*  
3 *Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 8013(d)(2)); project assistance con-*  
4 *tracts pursuant to section 202(h) of the Housing Act of 1959*  
5 *(Public Law 86–372; 73 Stat. 667); and loans under section*  
6 *202 of the Housing Act of 1959 (Public Law 86–372; 73*  
7 *Stat. 667): Provided further, That amounts recaptured*  
8 *under this heading, the heading “Annual Contributions for*  
9 *Assisted Housing”, or the heading “Housing Certificate*  
10 *Fund”, may be used for renewals of or amendments to sec-*  
11 *tion 8 project-based contracts or for performance-based con-*  
12 *tract administrators, notwithstanding the purposes for*  
13 *which such amounts were appropriated: Provided further,*  
14 *That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, upon the*  
15 *request of the Secretary, project funds that are held in resid-*  
16 *ual receipts accounts for any project subject to a section*  
17 *8 project-based Housing Assistance Payments contract that*  
18 *authorizes HUD or a Housing Finance Agency to require*  
19 *that surplus project funds be deposited in an interest-bear-*  
20 *ing residual receipts account and that are in excess of an*  
21 *amount to be determined by the Secretary, shall be remitted*  
22 *to the Department and deposited in this account, to be*  
23 *available until expended: Provided further, That amounts*  
24 *deposited pursuant to the previous proviso shall be available*

1 *in addition to the amount otherwise provided by this head-*  
2 *ing for uses authorized under this heading.*

3 *HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY*

4 *For capital advances, including amendments to cap-*  
5 *ital advance contracts, for housing for the elderly, as au-*  
6 *thorized by section 202 of the Housing Act of 1959, as*  
7 *amended, for project rental assistance for the elderly under*  
8 *section 202(c)(2) of such Act, including amendments to con-*  
9 *tracts for such assistance and renewal of expiring contracts*  
10 *for such assistance for up to a 1-year term, for senior pres-*  
11 *ervation rental assistance contracts, including renewals, as*  
12 *authorized by section 811(e) of the American Housing and*  
13 *Economic Opportunity Act of 2000, as amended, and for*  
14 *supportive services associated with the housing,*  
15 *\$678,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
16 *2022: Provided, That of the amount provided under this*  
17 *heading, up to \$90,000,000 shall be for service coordinators*  
18 *and the continuation of existing congregate service grants*  
19 *for residents of assisted housing projects: Provided further,*  
20 *That amounts under this heading shall be available for Real*  
21 *Estate Assessment Center inspections and inspection-related*  
22 *activities associated with section 202 projects: Provided fur-*  
23 *ther, That the Secretary may waive the provisions of section*  
24 *202 governing the terms and conditions of project rental*  
25 *assistance, except that the initial contract term for such as-*

1 *sistance shall not exceed 5 years in duration: Provided fur-*  
2 *ther, That upon request of the Secretary, project funds*  
3 *which are held in residual receipts accounts for any project*  
4 *subject to a section 202 project rental assistance contract*  
5 *and, upon termination of such contract, are in excess of*  
6 *an amount to be determined by the Secretary shall be remit-*  
7 *ted to the Department and deposited in this account, to re-*  
8 *main available until September 30, 2022: Provided further,*  
9 *That amounts deposited in this account pursuant to the*  
10 *previous proviso shall be available, in addition to the*  
11 *amounts otherwise provided by this heading, for amend-*  
12 *ments and renewals: Provided further, That unobligated*  
13 *balances, including recaptures and carryover, remaining*  
14 *from funds transferred to or appropriated under this head-*  
15 *ing shall be available for amendments and renewals not-*  
16 *withstanding the purposes for which such funds originally*  
17 *were appropriated: Provided further, That of the total*  
18 *amount provided under this heading, \$10,000,000, shall be*  
19 *for a program to be established by the Secretary to make*  
20 *grants to experienced non-profit organizations, States, local*  
21 *governments, or public housing agencies for safety and func-*  
22 *tional home modification repairs to meet the needs of low-*  
23 *income elderly persons to enable them to remain in their*  
24 *primary residence: Provided further, That of the total*  
25 *amount made available under the previous proviso, no less*

1 *than \$5,000,000 shall be available to meet such needs in*  
2 *communities with substantial rural populations.*

3 *HOUSING FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES*

4 *For amendments to capital advance contracts, for sup-*  
5 *portive housing for persons with disabilities, as authorized*  
6 *by section 811 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable*  
7 *Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 8013), as amended, for project rent-*  
8 *al assistance for supportive housing for persons with dis-*  
9 *abilities under section 811(d)(2) of such Act, for project as-*  
10 *sistance contracts pursuant to section 202(h) of the Housing*  
11 *Act of 1959 (Public Law 86–372; 73 Stat. 667), including*  
12 *amendments to contracts for such assistance and renewal*  
13 *of expiring contracts for such assistance for up to a 1-year*  
14 *term, for project rental assistance to State housing finance*  
15 *agencies and other appropriate entities as authorized under*  
16 *section 811(b)(3) of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Hous-*  
17 *ing Act, and for supportive services associated with the*  
18 *housing for persons with disabilities as authorized by sec-*  
19 *tion 811(b)(1) of such Act, \$154,000,000, to remain avail-*  
20 *able until September 30, 2022: Provided, That amounts*  
21 *made available under this heading shall be available for*  
22 *Real Estate Assessment Center inspections and inspection-*  
23 *related activities associated with section 811 projects: Pro-*  
24 *vided further, That, upon the request of the Secretary,*  
25 *project funds which are held in residual receipts accounts*



1 *for any project subject to a section 811 project rental assist-*  
2 *ance contract and, upon termination of such contract, are*  
3 *in excess of an amount to be determined by the Secretary*  
4 *shall be remitted to the Department and deposited in this*  
5 *account, to remain available until September 30, 2022: Pro-*  
6 *vided further, That amounts deposited in this account pur-*  
7 *suant to the previous proviso shall be available in addition*  
8 *to the amounts otherwise provided by this heading for*  
9 *amendments and renewals: Provided further, That unobli-*  
10 *gated balances, including recaptures and carryover, re-*  
11 *maining from funds transferred to or appropriated under*  
12 *this heading shall be used for amendments and renewals*  
13 *notwithstanding the purposes for which such funds origi-*  
14 *nally were appropriated.*

15 *HOUSING COUNSELING ASSISTANCE*

16 *For contracts, grants, and other assistance excluding*  
17 *loans, as authorized under section 106 of the Housing and*  
18 *Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, \$45,000,000,*  
19 *to remain available until September 30, 2020, including*  
20 *up to \$4,500,000 for administrative contract services: Pro-*  
21 *vided, That grants made available from amounts provided*  
22 *under this heading shall be awarded within 180 days of*  
23 *enactment of this Act: Provided further, That funds shall*  
24 *be used for providing counseling and advice to tenants and*  
25 *homeowners, both current and prospective, with respect to*

1 *property maintenance, financial management or literacy,*  
2 *and such other matters as may be appropriate to assist*  
3 *them in improving their housing conditions, meeting their*  
4 *financial needs, and fulfilling the responsibilities of tenancy*  
5 *or homeownership; for program administration; and for*  
6 *housing counselor training: Provided further, That for pur-*  
7 *poses of providing such grants from amounts provided*  
8 *under this heading, the Secretary may enter into multiyear*  
9 *agreements, as appropriate, subject to the availability of*  
10 *annual appropriations.*

11 *RENTAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE*

12 *For amendments to contracts under section 101 of the*  
13 *Housing and Urban Development Act of 1965 (12 U.S.C.*  
14 *1701s) and section 236(f)(2) of the National Housing Act*  
15 *(12 U.S.C. 1715z-1) in State-aided, noninsured rental*  
16 *housing projects, \$5,000,000, to remain available until ex-*  
17 *pended: Provided, That such amount, together with unobli-*  
18 *gated balances from recaptured amounts appropriated*  
19 *prior to fiscal year 2006 from terminated contracts under*  
20 *such sections of law, and any unobligated balances, includ-*  
21 *ing recaptures and carryover, remaining from funds appro-*  
22 *priated under this heading after fiscal year 2005, shall also*  
23 *be available for extensions of up to one year for expiring*  
24 *contracts under such sections of law.*

1 *PAYMENT TO MANUFACTURED HOUSING FEES TRUST FUND*

2 *For necessary expenses as authorized by the National*  
3 *Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards*  
4 *Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5401 et seq.), up to \$12,000,000,*  
5 *to remain available until expended, of which \$12,000,000*  
6 *is to be derived from the Manufactured Housing Fees Trust*  
7 *Fund: Provided, That not to exceed the total amount appro-*  
8 *priated under this heading shall be available from the gen-*  
9 *eral fund of the Treasury to the extent necessary to incur*  
10 *obligations and make expenditures pending the receipt of*  
11 *collections to the Fund pursuant to section 620 of such Act:*  
12 *Provided further, That the amount made available under*  
13 *this heading from the general fund shall be reduced as such*  
14 *collections are received during fiscal year 2019 so as to re-*  
15 *sult in a final fiscal year 2019 appropriation from the gen-*  
16 *eral fund estimated at zero, and fees pursuant to section*  
17 *620 of such Act shall be modified as necessary to ensure*  
18 *such a final fiscal year 2019 appropriation: Provided fur-*  
19 *ther, That for the dispute resolution and installation pro-*  
20 *grams, the Secretary may assess and collect fees from any*  
21 *program participant: Provided further, That such collec-*  
22 *tions shall be deposited into the Fund, and the Secretary,*  
23 *as provided herein, may use such collections, as well as fees*  
24 *collected under section 620 of such Act, for necessary ex-*  
25 *penses of such Act: Provided further, That, notwithstanding*

1 *the requirements of section 620 of such Act, the Secretary*  
2 *may carry out responsibilities of the Secretary under such*  
3 *Act through the use of approved service providers that are*  
4 *paid directly by the recipients of their services.*

5 *FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION*

6 *MUTUAL MORTGAGE INSURANCE PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

7 *New commitments to guarantee single family loans in-*  
8 *ured under the Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund shall not*  
9 *exceed \$400,000,000, to remain available until Sep-*  
10 *tember 30, 2020: Provided, That during fiscal year 2019,*  
11 *obligations to make direct loans to carry out the purposes*  
12 *of section 204(g) of the National Housing Act, as amended,*  
13 *shall not exceed \$1,000,000: Provided further, That the fore-*  
14 *going amount in the previous proviso shall be for loans to*  
15 *nonprofit and governmental entities in connection with*  
16 *sales of single family real properties owned by the Secretary*  
17 *and formerly insured under the Mutual Mortgage Insurance*  
18 *Fund: Provided further, That for administrative contract*  
19 *expenses of the Federal Housing Administration,*  
20 *\$130,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
21 *2020: Provided further, That to the extent guaranteed loan*  
22 *commitments exceed \$200,000,000,000 on or before April 1,*  
23 *2019, an additional \$1,400 for administrative contract ex-*  
24 *penses shall be available for each \$1,000,000 in additional*  
25 *guaranteed loan commitments (including a pro rata*

1 amount for any amount below \$1,000,000), but in no case  
2 shall funds made available by this proviso exceed  
3 \$30,000,000: Provided further, That notwithstanding the  
4 limitation in the first sentence of section 255(g) of the Na-  
5 tional Housing Act (12 U.S.C. 1715z–20(g)), during fiscal  
6 year 2019 the Secretary may insure and enter into new  
7 commitments to insure mortgages under section 255 of the  
8 National Housing Act only to the extent that the net credit  
9 subsidy cost for such insurance does not exceed zero: Pro-  
10 vided further, That for fiscal year 2019, the Secretary shall  
11 not take any action against a lender solely on the basis  
12 of compare ratios that have been adversely affected by de-  
13 faults on mortgages secured by properties in areas where  
14 a major disaster was declared in 2017 or 2018 pursuant  
15 to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency  
16 Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.).

17       GENERAL AND SPECIAL RISK PROGRAM ACCOUNT

18       New commitments to guarantee loans insured under  
19 the General and Special Risk Insurance Funds, as author-  
20 ized by sections 238 and 519 of the National Housing Act  
21 (12 U.S.C. 1715z–3 and 1735c), shall not exceed  
22 \$30,000,000,000 in total loan principal, any part of which  
23 is to be guaranteed, to remain available until September  
24 30, 2020: Provided, That during fiscal year 2019, gross ob-  
25 ligations for the principal amount of direct loans, as au-

1 *thorized by sections 204(g), 207(l), 238, and 519(a) of the*  
2 *National Housing Act, shall not exceed \$1,000,000, which*  
3 *shall be for loans to nonprofit and governmental entities*  
4 *in connection with the sale of single family real properties*  
5 *owned by the Secretary and formerly insured under such*  
6 *Act.*

7       *GOVERNMENT NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION*  
8       *GUARANTEES OF MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES LOAN*  
9               *GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCOUNT*

10       *New commitments to issue guarantees to carry out the*  
11 *purposes of section 306 of the National Housing Act, as*  
12 *amended (12 U.S.C. 1721(g)), shall not exceed*  
13 *\$550,000,000,000, to remain available until September 30,*  
14 *2020: Provided, That \$27,000,000 shall be available for nec-*  
15 *essary salaries and expenses of the Office of Government*  
16 *National Mortgage Association: Provided further, That to*  
17 *the extent that guaranteed loan commitments exceed*  
18 *\$155,000,000,000 on or before April 1, 2019, an additional*  
19 *\$100 for necessary salaries and expenses shall be available*  
20 *until expended for each \$1,000,000 in additional guaran-*  
21 *teed loan commitments (including a pro rata amount for*  
22 *any amount below \$1,000,000), but in no case shall funds*  
23 *made available by this proviso exceed \$3,000,000: Provided*  
24 *further, That receipts from Commitment and Multiclass fees*  
25 *collected pursuant to title III of the National Housing Act,*

1 *as amended, shall be credited as offsetting collections to this*  
2 *account.*

3 *POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND RESEARCH*

4 *RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY*

5 *For contracts, grants, and necessary expenses of pro-*  
6 *grams of research and studies relating to housing and*  
7 *urban problems, not otherwise provided for, as authorized*  
8 *by title V of the Housing and Urban Development Act of*  
9 *1970 (12 U.S.C. 1701z-1 et seq.), including carrying out*  
10 *the functions of the Secretary of Housing and Urban Devel-*  
11 *opment under section 1(a)(1)(i) of Reorganization Plan No.*  
12 *2 of 1968, and for technical assistance, \$100,000,000, to re-*  
13 *main available until September 30, 2020: Provided, That*  
14 *with respect to amounts made available under this heading,*  
15 *notwithstanding section 203 of this title, the Secretary may*  
16 *enter into cooperative agreements with philanthropic enti-*  
17 *ties, other Federal agencies, State or local governments and*  
18 *their agencies, or colleges or universities for research*  
19 *projects: Provided further, That with respect to the previous*  
20 *proviso, such partners to the cooperative agreements must*  
21 *contribute at least a 50 percent match toward the cost of*  
22 *the project: Provided further, That for non-competitive*  
23 *agreements entered into in accordance with the previous two*  
24 *provisos, the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development*  
25 *shall comply with section 2(b) of the Federal Funding Ac-*

1 *countability and Transparency Act of 2006 (Public Law*  
2 *109–282, 31 U.S.C. note) in lieu of compliance with section*  
3 *102(a)(4)(C) with respect to documentation of award deci-*  
4 *sions: Provided further, That prior to obligation of technical*  
5 *assistance funding, the Secretary shall submit a plan, for*  
6 *approval, to the House and Senate Committees on Appro-*  
7 *priations on how it will allocate funding for this activity:*  
8 *Provided further, That none of the funds provided under*  
9 *this heading may be available for the doctoral dissertation*  
10 *research grant program.*

11 *FAIR HOUSING AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY*

12 *FAIR HOUSING ACTIVITIES*

13 *For contracts, grants, and other assistance, not other-*  
14 *wise provided for, as authorized by title VIII of the Civil*  
15 *Rights Act of 1968, as amended by the Fair Housing*  
16 *Amendments Act of 1988, and section 561 of the Housing*  
17 *and Community Development Act of 1987, as amended,*  
18 *\$65,300,000, to remain available until September 30, 2020:*  
19 *Provided, That notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302, the Sec-*  
20 *retary may assess and collect fees to cover the costs of the*  
21 *Fair Housing Training Academy, and may use such funds*  
22 *to provide such training: Provided further, That no funds*  
23 *made available under this heading shall be used to lobby*  
24 *the executive or legislative branches of the Federal Govern-*  
25 *ment in connection with a specific contract, grant, or loan:*



1 *Provided further, That of the funds made available under*  
2 *this heading, \$300,000 shall be available to the Secretary*  
3 *of Housing and Urban Development for the creation and*  
4 *promotion of translated materials and other programs that*  
5 *support the assistance of persons with limited English pro-*  
6 *ficiency in utilizing the services provided by the Depart-*  
7 *ment of Housing and Urban Development.*

8 *OFFICE OF LEAD HAZARD CONTROL AND HEALTHY*

9 *HOMES*

10 *LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION*

11 *For the Lead Hazard Reduction Program, as author-*  
12 *ized by section 1011 of the Residential Lead-Based Paint*  
13 *Hazard Reduction Act of 1992, \$260,000,000, to remain*  
14 *available until September 30, 2020, of which \$45,000,000*  
15 *shall be for the Healthy Homes Initiative, pursuant to sec-*  
16 *tions 501 and 502 of the Housing and Urban Development*  
17 *Act of 1970, which shall include research, studies, testing,*  
18 *and demonstration efforts, including education and out-*  
19 *reach concerning lead-based paint poisoning and other*  
20 *housing-related diseases and hazards: Provided, That for*  
21 *purposes of environmental review, pursuant to the National*  
22 *Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.)*  
23 *and other provisions of law that further the purposes of such*  
24 *Act, a grant under the Healthy Homes Initiative, or the*  
25 *Lead Technical Studies program under this heading or*

1 *under prior appropriations Acts for such purposes under*  
2 *this heading, shall be considered to be funds for a special*  
3 *project for purposes of section 305(c) of the Multifamily*  
4 *Housing Property Disposition Reform Act of 1994: Pro-*  
5 *vided further, That not less than \$95,000,000 of the*  
6 *amounts made available under this heading for the award*  
7 *of grants pursuant to section 1011 of the Residential Lead-*  
8 *Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act of 1992 shall be pro-*  
9 *vided to areas with the highest lead-based paint abatement*  
10 *needs: Provided further, That \$45,000,000 of the funds ap-*  
11 *propriated under this heading shall be for the implementa-*  
12 *tion of projects to demonstrate how intensive, extended*  
13 *multi-year interventions can dramatically reduce the pres-*  
14 *ence of lead-based paint hazards in communities containing*  
15 *high concentrations of both pre-1940 housing and low-in-*  
16 *come families by achieving economies of scale that substan-*  
17 *tially reduce the cost of lead-based paint remediation activi-*  
18 *ties and administrative costs for grantees: Provided further,*  
19 *That such projects in each of five communities shall be for*  
20 *five years and serve no more than four contiguous census*  
21 *tracts in which there are high concentrations of housing*  
22 *stock built before 1940, in which low-income families with*  
23 *children make up a significantly higher proportion of the*  
24 *population as compared to the State average, and that are*  
25 *located in jurisdictions in which instances of elevated blood*

1 lead levels reported to the State are significantly higher  
2 than the State average: Provided further, That funding  
3 awarded for such projects shall be made available for draw  
4 down contingent upon the grantee meeting cost-savings,  
5 productivity, and grant compliance benchmarks established  
6 by the Secretary: Provided further, That each recipient of  
7 funds for such projects shall contribute an amount not less  
8 than 10 percent of the total award, and that the Secretary  
9 shall give priority to applicants that secure commitments  
10 for additional contributions from public and private  
11 sources: Provided further, That grantees currently receiving  
12 grants made under this heading shall be eligible to apply  
13 for such projects, provided that they are deemed to be in  
14 compliance with program requirements established by the  
15 Secretary: Provided further, That each applicant shall cer-  
16 tify adequate capacity that is acceptable to the Secretary  
17 to carry out the proposed use of funds pursuant to a notice  
18 of funding availability: Provided further, That amounts  
19 made available under this heading in this or prior appro-  
20 priations Acts, still remaining available, may be used for  
21 any purpose under this heading notwithstanding the pur-  
22 pose for which such amounts were appropriated if a pro-  
23 gram competition is undersubscribed and there are other  
24 program competitions under this heading that are oversub-  
25 scribed.

1                    *INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FUND*

2            *For the development, modernization, and enhancement*  
3 *of, modifications to, and infrastructure for Department-*  
4 *wide and program-specific information technology systems,*  
5 *for the continuing operation and maintenance of both De-*  
6 *partment-wide and program-specific information systems,*  
7 *and for program-related maintenance activities,*  
8 *\$280,000,000, of which \$260,000,000 shall remain available*  
9 *until September 30, 2020, and of which \$20,000,000 shall*  
10 *remain available until September 30, 2021: Provided, That*  
11 *any amounts transferred to this Fund under this Act shall*  
12 *remain available until expended: Provided further, That*  
13 *any amounts transferred to this Fund from amounts appro-*  
14 *priated by previously enacted appropriations Acts may be*  
15 *used for the purposes specified under this Fund, in addition*  
16 *to any other information technology purposes for which*  
17 *such amounts were appropriated: Provided further, That*  
18 *not more than 10 percent of the funds made available under*  
19 *this heading for development, modernization and enhance-*  
20 *ment may be obligated until the Secretary submits to the*  
21 *House and Senate Committees on Appropriations, for ap-*  
22 *proval, a plan for expenditure that—(A) identifies for each*  
23 *modernization project: (i) the functional and performance*  
24 *capabilities to be delivered and the mission benefits to be*  
25 *realized, (ii) the estimated life-cycle cost, and (iii) key mile-*

1 stones to be met; and (B) demonstrates that each moderniza-  
2 tion project is: (i) compliant with the Department's enter-  
3 prise architecture, (ii) being managed in accordance with  
4 applicable life-cycle management policies and guidance,  
5 (iii) subject to the Department's capital planning and in-  
6 vestment control requirements, and (iv) supported by an  
7 adequately staffed project office.

8 *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

9 *For necessary salaries and expenses of the Office of In-*  
10 *pector General in carrying out the Inspector General Act*  
11 *of 1978, as amended, \$128,082,000: Provided, That the In-*  
12 *pector General shall have independent authority over all*  
13 *personnel issues within this office.*

14 *GENERAL PROVISIONS—DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND*  
15 *URBAN DEVELOPMENT*

16 *(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)*

17 *(INCLUDING RESCISSION)*

18 *SEC. 201. Fifty percent of the amounts of budget au-*  
19 *thority, or in lieu thereof 50 percent of the cash amounts*  
20 *associated with such budget authority, that are recaptured*  
21 *from projects described in section 1012(a) of the Stewart*  
22 *B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988*  
23 *(42 U.S.C. 1437f note) shall be rescinded or in the case of*  
24 *cash, shall be remitted to the Treasury, and such amounts*  
25 *of budget authority or cash recaptured and not rescinded*

1 or remitted to the Treasury shall be used by State housing  
2 finance agencies or local governments or local housing agen-  
3 cies with projects approved by the Secretary of Housing and  
4 Urban Development for which settlement occurred after  
5 January 1, 1992, in accordance with such section. Notwith-  
6 standing the previous sentence, the Secretary may award  
7 up to 15 percent of the budget authority or cash recaptured  
8 and not rescinded or remitted to the Treasury to provide  
9 project owners with incentives to refinance their project at  
10 a lower interest rate.

11       *SEC. 202. None of the amounts made available under*  
12 *this Act may be used during fiscal year 2019 to investigate*  
13 *or prosecute under the Fair Housing Act any otherwise law-*  
14 *ful activity engaged in by one or more persons, including*  
15 *the filing or maintaining of a nonfrivolous legal action,*  
16 *that is engaged in solely for the purpose of achieving or*  
17 *preventing action by a Government official or entity, or a*  
18 *court of competent jurisdiction.*

19       *SEC. 203. Except as explicitly provided in law, any*  
20 *grant, cooperative agreement or other assistance made pur-*  
21 *suant to title II of this Act shall be made on a competitive*  
22 *basis and in accordance with section 102 of the Department*  
23 *of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989*  
24 *(42 U.S.C. 3545).*

1        *SEC. 204. Funds of the Department of Housing and*  
2 *Urban Development subject to the Government Corporation*  
3 *Control Act or section 402 of the Housing Act of 1950 shall*  
4 *be available, without regard to the limitations on adminis-*  
5 *trative expenses, for legal services on a contract or fee basis,*  
6 *and for utilizing and making payment for services and fa-*  
7 *cilities of the Federal National Mortgage Association, Gov-*  
8 *ernment National Mortgage Association, Federal Home*  
9 *Loan Mortgage Corporation, Federal Financing Bank, Fed-*  
10 *eral Reserve banks or any member thereof, Federal Home*  
11 *Loan banks, and any insured bank within the meaning of*  
12 *the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Act, as amended*  
13 *(12 U.S.C. 1811-1).*

14        *SEC. 205. Unless otherwise provided for in this Act*  
15 *or through a reprogramming of funds, no part of any ap-*  
16 *propriation for the Department of Housing and Urban De-*  
17 *velopment shall be available for any program, project or*  
18 *activity in excess of amounts set forth in the budget esti-*  
19 *mates submitted to Congress.*

20        *SEC. 206. Corporations and agencies of the Depart-*  
21 *ment of Housing and Urban Development which are subject*  
22 *to the Government Corporation Control Act are hereby au-*  
23 *thorized to make such expenditures, within the limits of*  
24 *funds and borrowing authority available to each such cor-*  
25 *poration or agency and in accordance with law, and to*

1 *make such contracts and commitments without regard to*  
2 *fiscal year limitations as provided by section 104 of such*  
3 *Act as may be necessary in carrying out the programs set*  
4 *forth in the budget for 2019 for such corporation or agency*  
5 *except as hereinafter provided: Provided, That collections*  
6 *of these corporations and agencies may be used for new loan*  
7 *or mortgage purchase commitments only to the extent ex-*  
8 *pressly provided for in this Act (unless such loans are in*  
9 *support of other forms of assistance provided for in this or*  
10 *prior appropriations Acts), except that this proviso shall*  
11 *not apply to the mortgage insurance or guaranty operations*  
12 *of these corporations, or where loans or mortgage purchases*  
13 *are necessary to protect the financial interest of the United*  
14 *States Government.*

15       *SEC. 207. The Secretary of Housing and Urban Devel-*  
16 *opment shall provide quarterly reports to the House and*  
17 *Senate Committees on Appropriations regarding all uncom-*  
18 *mited, unobligated, recaptured and excess funds in each*  
19 *program and activity within the jurisdiction of the Depart-*  
20 *ment and shall submit additional, updated budget informa-*  
21 *tion to these Committees upon request.*

22       *SEC. 208. The President's formal budget request for fis-*  
23 *cal year 2020, as well as the Department of Housing and*  
24 *Urban Development's congressional budget justifications to*  
25 *be submitted to the Committees on Appropriations of the*



1 *House of Representatives and the Senate, shall use the iden-*  
2 *tical account and sub-account structure provided under this*  
3 *Act.*

4 *SEC. 209. No funds provided under this title may be*  
5 *used for an audit of the Government National Mortgage As-*  
6 *sociation that makes applicable requirements under the*  
7 *Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990 (2 U.S.C. 661 et seq.).*

8 *SEC. 210. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of*  
9 *law, subject to the conditions listed under this section, for*  
10 *fiscal years 2019 and 2020, the Secretary of Housing and*  
11 *Urban Development may authorize the transfer of some or*  
12 *all project-based assistance, debt held or insured by the Sec-*  
13 *retary and statutorily required low-income and very low-*  
14 *income use restrictions if any, associated with one or more*  
15 *multifamily housing project or projects to another multi-*  
16 *family housing project or projects.*

17 *(b) PHASED TRANSFERS.—Transfers of project-based*  
18 *assistance under this section may be done in phases to ac-*  
19 *commodate the financing and other requirements related to*  
20 *rehabilitating or constructing the project or projects to*  
21 *which the assistance is transferred, to ensure that such*  
22 *project or projects meet the standards under subsection (c).*

23 *(c) The transfer authorized in subsection (a) is subject*  
24 *to the following conditions:*

25 *(1) NUMBER AND BEDROOM SIZE OF UNITS.—*

1           (A) *For occupied units in the transferring*  
2           *project: The number of low-income and very low-*  
3           *income units and the configuration (i.e., bed-*  
4           *room size) provided by the transferring project*  
5           *shall be no less than when transferred to the re-*  
6           *ceiving project or projects and the net dollar*  
7           *amount of Federal assistance provided to the*  
8           *transferring project shall remain the same in the*  
9           *receiving project or projects.*

10           (B) *For unoccupied units in the transfer-*  
11           *ring project: The Secretary may authorize a re-*  
12           *duction in the number of dwelling units in the*  
13           *receiving project or projects to allow for a recon-*  
14           *figuration of bedroom sizes to meet current mar-*  
15           *ket demands, as determined by the Secretary and*  
16           *provided there is no increase in the project-based*  
17           *assistance budget authority.*

18           (2) *The transferring project shall, as determined*  
19           *by the Secretary, be either physically obsolete or eco-*  
20           *nomically nonviable.*

21           (3) *The receiving project or projects shall meet or*  
22           *exceed applicable physical standards established by*  
23           *the Secretary.*

24           (4) *The owner or mortgagor of the transferring*  
25           *project shall notify and consult with the tenants re-*

1        *siding in the transferring project and provide a cer-*  
2        *tification of approval by all appropriate local govern-*  
3        *mental officials.*

4            (5) *The tenants of the transferring project who*  
5        *remain eligible for assistance to be provided by the re-*  
6        *ceiving project or projects shall not be required to va-*  
7        *cate their units in the transferring project or projects*  
8        *until new units in the receiving project are available*  
9        *for occupancy.*

10           (6) *The Secretary determines that this transfer is*  
11        *in the best interest of the tenants.*

12           (7) *If either the transferring project or the re-*  
13        *ceiving project or projects meets the condition speci-*  
14        *fied in subsection (d)(2)(A), any lien on the receiving*  
15        *project resulting from additional financing obtained*  
16        *by the owner shall be subordinate to any FHA-in-*  
17        *sured mortgage lien transferred to, or placed on, such*  
18        *project by the Secretary, except that the Secretary*  
19        *may waive this requirement upon determination that*  
20        *such a waiver is necessary to facilitate the financing*  
21        *of acquisition, construction, and/or rehabilitation of*  
22        *the receiving project or projects.*

23           (8) *If the transferring project meets the require-*  
24        *ments of subsection (d)(2), the owner or mortgagor of*  
25        *the receiving project or projects shall execute and*

1     *record either a continuation of the existing use agree-*  
2     *ment or a new use agreement for the project where,*  
3     *in either case, any use restrictions in such agreement*  
4     *are of no lesser duration than the existing use restric-*  
5     *tions.*

6             *(9) The transfer does not increase the cost (as de-*  
7     *finied in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act*  
8     *of 1974, as amended) of any FHA-insured mortgage,*  
9     *except to the extent that appropriations are provided*  
10    *in advance for the amount of any such increased cost.*

11    *(d) For purposes of this section—*

12             *(1) the terms “low-income” and “very low-in-*  
13    *come” shall have the meanings provided by the statute*  
14    *and/or regulations governing the program under*  
15    *which the project is insured or assisted;*

16             *(2) the term “multifamily housing project”*  
17    *means housing that meets one of the following condi-*  
18    *tions—*

19                *(A) housing that is subject to a mortgage*  
20    *insured under the National Housing Act;*

21                *(B) housing that has project-based assist-*  
22    *ance attached to the structure including projects*  
23    *undergoing mark to market debt restructuring*  
24    *under the Multifamily Assisted Housing Reform*  
25    *and Affordability Housing Act;*

1           (C) housing that is assisted under section  
2           202 of the Housing Act of 1959, as amended by  
3           section 801 of the Cranston-Gonzales National  
4           Affordable Housing Act;

5           (D) housing that is assisted under section  
6           202 of the Housing Act of 1959, as such section  
7           existed before the enactment of the Cranston-  
8           Gonzales National Affordable Housing Act;

9           (E) housing that is assisted under section  
10          811 of the Cranston-Gonzales National Afford-  
11          able Housing Act; or

12          (F) housing or vacant land that is subject  
13          to a use agreement;

14          (3) the term “project-based assistance” means—

15               (A) assistance provided under section 8(b)  
16               of the United States Housing Act of 1937;

17               (B) assistance for housing constructed or  
18               substantially rehabilitated pursuant to assistance  
19               provided under section 8(b)(2) of such Act (as  
20               such section existed immediately before October  
21               1, 1983);

22               (C) rent supplement payments under sec-  
23               tion 101 of the Housing and Urban Development  
24               Act of 1965;

1           (D) interest reduction payments under sec-  
2           tion 236 and/or additional assistance payments  
3           under section 236(f)(2) of the National Housing  
4           Act;

5           (E) assistance payments made under sec-  
6           tion 202(c)(2) of the Housing Act of 1959; and

7           (F) assistance payments made under section  
8           811(d)(2) of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Af-  
9           fordable Housing Act;

10          (4) the term “receiving project or projects”  
11          means the multifamily housing project or projects to  
12          which some or all of the project-based assistance, debt,  
13          and statutorily required low-income and very low-in-  
14          come use restrictions are to be transferred;

15          (5) the term “transferring project” means the  
16          multifamily housing project which is transferring  
17          some or all of the project-based assistance, debt, and  
18          the statutorily required low-income and very low-in-  
19          come use restrictions to the receiving project or  
20          projects; and

21          (6) the term “Secretary” means the Secretary of  
22          Housing and Urban Development.

23          (e) RESEARCH REPORT.—The Secretary shall conduct  
24          an evaluation of the transfer authority under this section,  
25          including the effect of such transfers on the operational effi-

1 *ciency, contract rents, physical and financial conditions,*  
2 *and long-term preservation of the affected properties.*

3 *SEC. 211. (a) No assistance shall be provided under*  
4 *section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42*  
5 *U.S.C. 1437f) to any individual who—*

6 *(1) is enrolled as a student at an institution of*  
7 *higher education (as defined under section 102 of the*  
8 *Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1002));*

9 *(2) is under 24 years of age;*

10 *(3) is not a veteran;*

11 *(4) is unmarried;*

12 *(5) does not have a dependent child;*

13 *(6) is not a person with disabilities, as such*  
14 *term is defined in section 3(b)(3)(E) of the United*  
15 *States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C.*  
16 *1437a(b)(3)(E)) and was not receiving assistance*  
17 *under such section 8 as of November 30, 2005;*

18 *(7) is not a youth who left foster care at age 14*  
19 *or older and is at risk of becoming homeless; and*

20 *(8) is not otherwise individually eligible, or has*  
21 *parents who, individually or jointly, are not eligible,*  
22 *to receive assistance under section 8 of the United*  
23 *States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f).*

24 *(b) For purposes of determining the eligibility of a per-*  
25 *son to receive assistance under section 8 of the United States*

1 *Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f), any financial as-*  
2 *sistance (in excess of amounts received for tuition and any*  
3 *other required fees and charges) that an individual receives*  
4 *under the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1001*  
5 *et seq.), from private sources, or an institution of higher*  
6 *education (as defined under the Higher Education Act of*  
7 *1965 (20 U.S.C. 1002)), shall be considered income to that*  
8 *individual, except for a person over the age of 23 with de-*  
9 *pendent children.*

10       *SEC. 212. The funds made available for Native Alas-*  
11 *kans under the heading “Native American Housing Block*  
12 *Grants” in title II of this Act shall be allocated to the same*  
13 *Native Alaskan housing block grant recipients that received*  
14 *funds in fiscal year 2005.*

15       *SEC. 213. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,*  
16 *in fiscal year 2019, in managing and disposing of any mul-*  
17 *tifamily property that is owned or has a mortgage held by*  
18 *the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and dur-*  
19 *ing the process of foreclosure on any property with a con-*  
20 *tract for rental assistance payments under section 8 of the*  
21 *United States Housing Act of 1937 or other Federal pro-*  
22 *grams, the Secretary shall maintain any rental assistance*  
23 *payments under section 8 of the United States Housing Act*  
24 *of 1937 and other programs that are attached to any dwell-*  
25 *ing units in the property. To the extent the Secretary deter-*



1 *mines, in consultation with the tenants and the local gov-*  
2 *ernment, that such a multifamily property owned or held*  
3 *by the Secretary is not feasible for continued rental assist-*  
4 *ance payments under such section 8 or other programs,*  
5 *based on consideration of (1) the costs of rehabilitating and*  
6 *operating the property and all available Federal, State, and*  
7 *local resources, including rent adjustments under section*  
8 *524 of the Multifamily Assisted Housing Reform and Af-*  
9 *fordability Act of 1997 (“MAHRAA”) and (2) environ-*  
10 *mental conditions that cannot be remedied in a cost-effec-*  
11 *tive fashion, the Secretary may, in consultation with the*  
12 *tenants of that property, contract for project-based rental*  
13 *assistance payments with an owner or owners of other exist-*  
14 *ing housing properties, or provide other rental assistance.*  
15 *The Secretary shall also take appropriate steps to ensure*  
16 *that project-based contracts remain in effect prior to fore-*  
17 *closure, subject to the exercise of contractual abatement rem-*  
18 *edies to assist relocation of tenants for imminent major*  
19 *threats to health and safety after written notice to and in-*  
20 *formed consent of the affected tenants and use of other avail-*  
21 *able remedies, such as partial abatements or receivership.*  
22 *After disposition of any multifamily property described*  
23 *under this section, the contract and allowable rent levels*  
24 *on such properties shall be subject to the requirements under*  
25 *section 524 of MAHRAA.*

1        *SEC. 214. The commitment authority funded by fees*  
2 *as provided under the heading “Community Development*  
3 *Loan Guarantees Program Account” may be used to guar-*  
4 *antee, or make commitments to guarantee, notes, or other*  
5 *obligations issued by any State on behalf of non-entitlement*  
6 *communities in the State in accordance with the require-*  
7 *ments of section 108 of the Housing and Community Devel-*  
8 *opment Act of 1974: Provided, That any State receiving*  
9 *such a guarantee or commitment shall distribute all funds*  
10 *subject to such guarantee to the units of general local gov-*  
11 *ernment in non-entitlement areas that received the commit-*  
12 *ment.*

13        *SEC. 215. Public housing agencies that own and oper-*  
14 *ate 400 or fewer public housing units may elect to be exempt*  
15 *from any asset management requirement imposed by the*  
16 *Secretary of Housing and Urban Development in connec-*  
17 *tion with the operating fund rule: Provided, That an agency*  
18 *seeking a discontinuance of a reduction of subsidy under*  
19 *the operating fund formula shall not be exempt from asset*  
20 *management requirements.*

21        *SEC. 216. With respect to the use of amounts provided*  
22 *in this Act and in future Acts for the operation, capital*  
23 *improvement and management of public housing as author-*  
24 *ized by sections 9(d) and 9(e) of the United States Housing*  
25 *Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437g(d) and (e)), the Secretary*

1 *shall not impose any requirement or guideline relating to*  
2 *asset management that restricts or limits in any way the*  
3 *use of capital funds for central office costs pursuant to sec-*  
4 *tion 9(g)(1) or 9(g)(2) of the United States Housing Act*  
5 *of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437g(g)(1), (2)): Provided, That a pub-*  
6 *lic housing agency may not use capital funds authorized*  
7 *under section 9(d) for activities that are eligible under sec-*  
8 *tion 9(e) for assistance with amounts from the operating*  
9 *fund in excess of the amounts permitted under section*  
10 *9(g)(1) or 9(g)(2).*

11 *SEC. 217. No official or employee of the Department*  
12 *of Housing and Urban Development shall be designated as*  
13 *an allotment holder unless the Office of the Chief Financial*  
14 *Officer has determined that such allotment holder has im-*  
15 *plemented an adequate system of funds control and has re-*  
16 *ceived training in funds control procedures and directives.*  
17 *The Chief Financial Officer shall ensure that there is a*  
18 *trained allotment holder for each HUD appropriation*  
19 *under the accounts “Executive Offices” and “Administra-*  
20 *tive Support Offices,” as well as each account receiving ap-*  
21 *propriations under the general heading “Program Office*  
22 *Salaries and Expenses”, “Government National Mortgage*  
23 *Association—Guarantees of Mortgage-Backed Securities*  
24 *Loan Guarantee Program Account”, and “Office of Inspec-*

1 *tor General” within the Department of Housing and Urban*  
2 *Development.*

3       *SEC. 218. The Secretary of the Department of Housing*  
4 *and Urban Development shall, for fiscal year 2019, notify*  
5 *the public through the Federal Register and other means,*  
6 *as determined appropriate, of the issuance of a notice of*  
7 *the availability of assistance or notice of funding avail-*  
8 *ability (NOFA) for any program or discretionary fund ad-*  
9 *ministered by the Secretary that is to be competitively*  
10 *awarded. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for*  
11 *fiscal year 2019, the Secretary may make the NOFA avail-*  
12 *able only on the Internet at the appropriate Government*  
13 *web site or through other electronic media, as determined*  
14 *by the Secretary.*

15       *SEC. 219. Payment of attorney fees in program-related*  
16 *litigation shall be paid from the individual program office*  
17 *and Office of General Counsel salaries and expenses appro-*  
18 *priations. The annual budget submission for the program*  
19 *offices and the Office of General Counsel shall include any*  
20 *such projected litigation costs for attorney fees as a separate*  
21 *line item request. No funds provided in this title may be*  
22 *used to pay any such litigation costs for attorney fees until*  
23 *the Department submits for review a spending plan for such*  
24 *costs to the House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
25 *tions.*

1        *SEC. 220. The Secretary is authorized to transfer up*  
2 *to 10 percent or \$5,000,000, whichever is less, of funds ap-*  
3 *propriated for any office under the heading “Administra-*  
4 *tive Support Offices” or for any account under the general*  
5 *heading “Program Office Salaries and Expenses” to any*  
6 *other such office or account: Provided, That no appropria-*  
7 *tion for any such office or account shall be increased or*  
8 *decreased by more than 10 percent or \$5,000,000, whichever*  
9 *is less, without prior written approval of the House and*  
10 *Senate Committees on Appropriations: Provided further,*  
11 *That the Secretary shall provide notification to such Com-*  
12 *mittees three business days in advance of any such transfers*  
13 *under this section up to 10 percent or \$5,000,000, whichever*  
14 *is less.*

15        *SEC. 221. (a) Any entity receiving housing assistance*  
16 *payments shall maintain decent, safe, and sanitary condi-*  
17 *tions, as determined by the Secretary of Housing and*  
18 *Urban Development (in this section referred to as the “Sec-*  
19 *retary”), and comply with any standards under applicable*  
20 *State or local laws, rules, ordinances, or regulations relat-*  
21 *ing to the physical condition of any property covered under*  
22 *a housing assistance payment contract.*

23        *(b) The Secretary shall take action under subsection*  
24 *(c) when a multifamily housing project with a section 8*  
25 *contract or contract for similar project-based assistance—*

1           (1) *receives a Uniform Physical Condition*  
2           *Standards (UPCS) score of 60 or less; or*

3           (2) *fails to certify in writing to the Secretary*  
4           *within 3 days that all Exigent Health and Safety de-*  
5           *ficiencies identified by the inspector at the project*  
6           *have been corrected.*

7 *Such requirements shall apply to insured and noninsured*  
8 *projects with assistance attached to the units under section*  
9 *8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C.*  
10 *1437f), but do not apply to such units assisted under section*  
11 *8(o)(13) (42 U.S.C. 1437f(o)(13)) or to public housing units*  
12 *assisted with capital or operating funds under section 9 of*  
13 *the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437g).*

14           (c)(1) *Within 15 days of the issuance of the REAC in-*  
15 *spection, the Secretary must provide the owner with a No-*  
16 *tice of Default with a specified timetable, determined by the*  
17 *Secretary, for correcting all deficiencies. The Secretary*  
18 *must also provide a copy of the Notice of Default to the*  
19 *tenants, the local government, any mortgagees, and any*  
20 *contract administrator. If the owner's appeal results in a*  
21 *UPCS score of 60 or above, the Secretary may withdraw*  
22 *the Notice of Default.*

23           (2) *At the end of the time period for correcting all defi-*  
24 *ciencies specified in the Notice of Default, if the owner fails*  
25 *to fully correct such deficiencies, the Secretary may—*

1           (A) require immediate replacement of project  
2 management with a management agent approved by  
3 the Secretary;

4           (B) impose civil money penalties, which shall be  
5 used solely for the purpose of supporting safe and  
6 sanitary conditions at applicable properties, as des-  
7 ignated by the Secretary, with priority given to the  
8 tenants of the property affected by the penalty;

9           (C) abate the section 8 contract, including par-  
10 tial abatement, as determined by the Secretary, until  
11 all deficiencies have been corrected;

12           (D) pursue transfer of the project to an owner,  
13 approved by the Secretary under established proce-  
14 dures, which will be obligated to promptly make all  
15 required repairs and to accept renewal of the assist-  
16 ance contract as long as such renewal is offered;

17           (E) transfer the existing section 8 contract to an-  
18 other project or projects and owner or owners;

19           (F) pursue exclusionary sanctions, including  
20 suspensions or debarments from Federal programs;

21           (G) seek judicial appointment of a receiver to  
22 manage the property and cure all project deficiencies  
23 or seek a judicial order of specific performance requir-  
24 ing the owner to cure all project deficiencies;

1           (H) work with the owner, lender, or other related  
2           party to stabilize the property in an attempt to pre-  
3           serve the property through compliance, transfer of  
4           ownership, or an infusion of capital provided by a  
5           third-party that requires time to effectuate; or

6           (I) take any other regulatory or contractual rem-  
7           edies available as deemed necessary and appropriate  
8           by the Secretary.

9           (d) The Secretary shall also take appropriate steps to  
10          ensure that project-based contracts remain in effect, subject  
11          to the exercise of contractual abatement remedies to assist  
12          relocation of tenants for major threats to health and safety  
13          after written notice to the affected tenants. To the extent  
14          the Secretary determines, in consultation with the tenants  
15          and the local government, that the property is not feasible  
16          for continued rental assistance payments under such section  
17          8 or other programs, based on consideration of—

18               (1) the costs of rehabilitating and operating the  
19               property and all available Federal, State, and local  
20               resources, including rent adjustments under section  
21               524 of the Multifamily Assisted Housing Reform and  
22               Affordability Act of 1997 (“MAHRAA”); and

23               (2) environmental conditions that cannot be  
24               remedied in a cost-effective fashion, the Secretary  
25               may contract for project-based rental assistance pay-



1        *ments with an owner or owners of other existing hous-*  
2        *ing properties, or provide other rental assistance.*

3        *(e) The Secretary shall report quarterly on all prop-*  
4        *erties covered by this section that are assessed through the*  
5        *Real Estate Assessment Center and have UPCS physical in-*  
6        *spection scores of less than 60 or have received an unsatis-*  
7        *factory management and occupancy review within the past*  
8        *36 months. The report shall include—*

9            *(1) the enforcement actions being taken to ad-*  
10        *dress such conditions, including imposition of civil*  
11        *money penalties and termination of subsidies, and*  
12        *identify properties that have such conditions multiple*  
13        *times;*

14            *(2) actions that the Department of Housing and*  
15        *Urban Development is taking to protect tenants of*  
16        *such identified properties; and*

17            *(3) any administrative or legislative rec-*  
18        *ommendations to further improve the living condi-*  
19        *tions at properties covered under a housing assistance*  
20        *payment contract.*

21        *This report shall be due to the Senate and House Commit-*  
22        *tees on Appropriations no later than 30 days after the en-*  
23        *actment of this Act, and on the first business day of each*  
24        *Federal fiscal year quarter thereafter while this section re-*  
25        *mains in effect.*

1        *SEC. 222. None of the funds made available by this*  
2 *Act, or any other Act, for purposes authorized under section*  
3 *8 (only with respect to the tenant-based rental assistance*  
4 *program) and section 9 of the United States Housing Act*  
5 *of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437 et seq.), may be used by any public*  
6 *housing agency for any amount of salary, including bo-*  
7 *nuses, for the chief executive officer of which, or any other*  
8 *official or employee of which, that exceeds the annual rate*  
9 *of basic pay payable for a position at level IV of the Execu-*  
10 *tive Schedule at any time during any public housing agen-*  
11 *cy fiscal year 2019.*

12        *SEC. 223. None of the funds in this Act provided to*  
13 *the Department of Housing and Urban Development may*  
14 *be used to make a grant award unless the Secretary notifies*  
15 *the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations not*  
16 *less than 3 full business days before any project, State, lo-*  
17 *cality, housing authority, tribe, nonprofit organization, or*  
18 *other entity selected to receive a grant award is announced*  
19 *by the Department or its offices.*

20        *SEC. 224. None of the funds made available by this*  
21 *Act may be used to require or enforce the Physical Needs*  
22 *Assessment (PNA).*

23        *SEC. 225. None of the funds made available in this*  
24 *Act shall be used by the Federal Housing Administration,*  
25 *the Government National Mortgage Administration, or the*

1 *Department of Housing and Urban Development to insure,*  
2 *securitize, or establish a Federal guarantee of any mortgage*  
3 *or mortgage backed security that refinances or otherwise re-*  
4 *places a mortgage that has been subject to eminent domain*  
5 *condemnation or seizure, by a State, municipality, or any*  
6 *other political subdivision of a State.*

7       *SEC. 226. None of the funds made available by this*  
8 *Act may be used to terminate the status of a unit of general*  
9 *local government as a metropolitan city (as defined in sec-*  
10 *tion 102 of the Housing and Community Development Act*  
11 *of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5302)) with respect to grants under sec-*  
12 *tion 106 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 5306).*

13       *SEC. 227. Amounts made available under this Act*  
14 *which are either appropriated, allocated, advanced on a re-*  
15 *imbursable basis, or transferred to the Office of Policy De-*  
16 *velopment and Research in the Department of Housing and*  
17 *Urban Development and functions thereof, for research,*  
18 *evaluation, or statistical purposes, and which are unex-*  
19 *pendent at the time of completion of a contract, grant, or*  
20 *cooperative agreement, may be deobligated and shall imme-*  
21 *diately become available and may be reobligated in that fis-*  
22 *cal year or the subsequent fiscal year for the research, eval-*  
23 *uation, or statistical purposes for which the amounts are*  
24 *made available to that Office subject to reprogramming re-*  
25 *quirements in section 405 of this Act.*

1        *SEC. 228. None of the funds provided in this Act or*  
2 *any other act may be used for awards, including perform-*  
3 *ance, special act, or spot, for any employee of the Depart-*  
4 *ment of Housing and Urban Development who has been*  
5 *subject to administrative discipline in fiscal years 2018 or*  
6 *2019, including suspension from work.*

7        *SEC. 229. Funds made available in this title under*  
8 *the heading “Homeless Assistance Grants” may be used by*  
9 *the Secretary to participate in Performance Partnership*  
10 *Pilots authorized under section 526 of division H of Public*  
11 *Law 113–76, section 524 of division G of Public Law 113–*  
12 *235, section 525 of division H of Public Law 114–113, and*  
13 *such authorities as are enacted for Performance Partnership*  
14 *Pilots in an appropriations Act for fiscal year 2019: Pro-*  
15 *vided, That such participation shall be limited to no more*  
16 *than 10 continuums of care and housing activities to im-*  
17 *prove outcomes for disconnected youth.*

18        *SEC. 230. With respect to grant amounts awarded*  
19 *under the heading “Homeless Assistance Grants” for fiscal*  
20 *years 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 for the continuum*  
21 *of care (CoC) program as authorized under subtitle C of*  
22 *title IV of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act,*  
23 *costs paid by program income of grant recipients may*  
24 *count toward meeting the recipient’s matching require-*

1 *ments, provided the costs are eligible CoC costs that supple-*  
2 *ment the recipient’s CoC program.*

3 *SEC. 231. (a) From amounts made available under*  
4 *this title under the heading “Homeless Assistance Grants”,*  
5 *the Secretary may award 1-year transition grants to recipi-*  
6 *ents of funds for activities under subtitle C of the McKin-*  
7 *ney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11381 et*  
8 *seq.) to transition from one Continuum of Care program*  
9 *component to another.*

10 *(b) No more than 50 percent of each transition grant*  
11 *may be used for costs of eligible activities of the program*  
12 *component originally funded.*

13 *(c) Transition grants made under this section are eli-*  
14 *gible for renewal in subsequent fiscal years for the eligible*  
15 *activities of the new program component.*

16 *(d) In order to be eligible to receive a transition grant,*  
17 *the funding recipient must have the consent of the Con-*  
18 *tinuum of Care and meet standards determined by the Sec-*  
19 *retary.*

20 *SEC. 232. None of the funds made available by this*  
21 *Act may be used by the Department of Housing and Urban*  
22 *Development to direct a grantee to undertake specific*  
23 *changes to existing zoning laws as part of carrying out the*  
24 *final rule entitled “Affirmatively Furthering Fair Hous-*  
25 *ing” (80 Fed. Reg. 42272 (July 16, 2015)) or the notice*

1 *entitled “Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing Assess-*  
2 *ment Tool” (79 Fed. Reg. 57949 (September 26, 2014)).*

3       *SEC. 233. Section 218(g) of the Cranston-Gonzalez Na-*  
4 *tional Affordable Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 12748(g)) shall*  
5 *not apply with respect to the right of a jurisdiction to draw*  
6 *funds from its HOME Investment Trust Fund that other-*  
7 *wise expired or would expire in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019,*  
8 *2020 or 2021 under that section.*

9       *SEC. 234. The Promise Zone designations and Promise*  
10 *Zone Designation Agreements entered into pursuant to such*  
11 *designations, made by the Secretary of Housing and Urban*  
12 *Development in prior fiscal years, shall remain in effect*  
13 *in accordance with the terms and conditions of such agree-*  
14 *ments.*

15       *SEC. 235. The Secretary shall initiate a comprehensive*  
16 *review of existing public housing and tenant-based rental*  
17 *assistance regulations and related notices and other guid-*  
18 *ance documents to identify opportunities to streamline the*  
19 *administration of such programs while also ensuring com-*  
20 *pliance with Federal financial and internal control require-*  
21 *ments. The Secretary shall establish a regulatory advisory*  
22 *committee, composed of program and research experts from*  
23 *the Department, a fair representation of public housing*  
24 *agencies, and independent subject matter experts in housing*  
25 *policy, property management, and Federal grant manage-*

1 *ment, which shall advise the Secretary with respect to spe-*  
2 *cific policy proposals to reduce administrative burden. The*  
3 *Secretary, in consultation with the advisory committee,*  
4 *shall submit a report on the results of such regulatory re-*  
5 *view to the House and Senate Committees on Appropria-*  
6 *tions no later than one year after the date of enactment*  
7 *of this Act.*

8       *SEC. 236. None of the funds made available by this*  
9 *Act may be used to establish and apply a ranking factor*  
10 *in the selection and award of any funds made available*  
11 *and requiring competitive selection under this Act, includ-*  
12 *ing preference or bonus points or other incentives for par-*  
13 *ticipation in or coordination with EnVision Centers.*

14       *SEC. 237. (a) The Secretary of Housing and Urban*  
15 *Development shall continue to engage in efforts authorized*  
16 *by the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of*  
17 *2013 (Public Law 113–4; 127 Stat. 54) to ensure that sur-*  
18 *vivors of domestic violence and sexual assault are not un-*  
19 *lawfully evicted or denied housing by certain landlords*  
20 *based on their experience as survivors.*

21       *(b) Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment*  
22 *of this Act, the Secretary of Housing and Urban Develop-*  
23 *ment shall submit to Congress a report on the efforts de-*  
24 *scribed in subsection (a).*

1        *SEC. 238. None of the funds made available under this*  
2 *Act may be used to provide housing assistance benefits for*  
3 *an individual who is convicted of—*

4            (1) *aggravated sexual abuse under section 2241*  
5 *of title 18, United States Code;*

6            (2) *murder under section 1111 of title 18, United*  
7 *States Code; or*

8            (3) *any other Federal or State offense involv-*  
9 *ing—*

10            (A) *severe forms of trafficking in persons or*  
11 *sex trafficking, as those terms are defined in*  
12 *paragraphs (9) and (10), respectively, of section*  
13 *103 of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of*  
14 *2000 (22 U.S.C. 7102); or*

15            (B) *child pornography, as defined in section*  
16 *2256 of title 18, United States Code.*

17        *This title may be cited as the “Department of Housing*  
18 *and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2019”.*



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*TITLE III*

*RELATED AGENCIES*

*ACCESS BOARD*

*SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

*For expenses necessary for the Access Board, as authorized by section 502 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, \$8,400,000: Provided, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, there may be credited to this appropriation funds received for publications and training expenses.*

*FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION*

*SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

*For necessary expenses of the Federal Maritime Commission as authorized by section 201(d) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended (46 U.S.C. 307), including services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109; hire of passenger motor vehicles as authorized by 31 U.S.C. 1343(b); and uniforms or allowances therefore, as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 5901–5902, \$27,490,000: Provided, That not to exceed \$2,000 shall be available for official reception and representation expenses.*

1        *NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER CORPORATION*

2                    *OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL*

3                            *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

4        *For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector Gen-*  
5 *eral for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation to*  
6 *carry out the provisions of the Inspector General Act of*  
7 *1978, as amended, \$23,274,000: Provided, That the Inspec-*  
8 *tor General shall have all necessary authority, in carrying*  
9 *out the duties specified in the Inspector General Act, as*  
10 *amended (5 U.S.C. App. 3), to investigate allegations of*  
11 *fraud, including false statements to the government (18*  
12 *U.S.C. 1001), by any person or entity that is subject to*  
13 *regulation by the National Railroad Passenger Corpora-*  
14 *tion: Provided further, That the Inspector General may*  
15 *enter into contracts and other arrangements for audits,*  
16 *studies, analyses, and other services with public agencies*  
17 *and with private persons, subject to the applicable laws and*  
18 *regulations that govern the obtaining of such services within*  
19 *the National Railroad Passenger Corporation: Provided*  
20 *further, That the Inspector General may select, appoint,*  
21 *and employ such officers and employees as may be nec-*  
22 *essary for carrying out the functions, powers, and duties*  
23 *of the Office of Inspector General, subject to the applicable*  
24 *laws and regulations that govern such selections, appoint-*  
25 *ments, and employment within the Corporation: Provided*

1 *further, That concurrent with the President’s budget request*  
2 *for fiscal year 2020, the Inspector General shall submit to*  
3 *the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations a*  
4 *budget request for fiscal year 2020 in similar format and*  
5 *substance to those submitted by executive agencies of the*  
6 *Federal Government: Provided further, That not later than*  
7 *240 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Inspec-*  
8 *tor General shall update the report entitled “Effects of Am-*  
9 *trak’s Poor On-Time Performance”, numbered CR–2008–*  
10 *047, and dated March 28, 2008, and make the updated re-*  
11 *port publicly available.*

12 *NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD*

13 *SALARIES AND EXPENSES*

14 *For necessary expenses of the National Transportation*  
15 *Safety Board, including hire of passenger motor vehicles*  
16 *and aircraft; services as authorized by 5 U.S.C. 3109, but*  
17 *at rates for individuals not to exceed the per diem rate*  
18 *equivalent to the rate for a GS–15; uniforms, or allowances*  
19 *therefor, as authorized by law (5 U.S.C. 5901–5902),*  
20 *\$110,400,000, of which not to exceed \$2,000 may be used*  
21 *for official reception and representation expenses. The*  
22 *amounts made available to the National Transportation*  
23 *Safety Board in this Act include amounts necessary to*  
24 *make lease payments on an obligation incurred in fiscal*  
25 *year 2001 for a capital lease.*



1 *priation from the general fund estimated at no more than*  
2 *\$35,850,000.*

3 *UNITED STATES INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON*  
4 *HOMELESSNESS*  
5 *OPERATING EXPENSES*

6 *For necessary expenses (including payment of salaries,*  
7 *authorized travel, hire of passenger motor vehicles, the rent-*  
8 *al of conference rooms, and the employment of experts and*  
9 *consultants under section 3109 of title 5, United States*  
10 *Code) of the United States Interagency Council on Home-*  
11 *lessness in carrying out the functions pursuant to title II*  
12 *of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act, as amend-*  
13 *ed, \$3,600,000: Provided, That the first proviso in Public*  
14 *Law 115–141 under the heading “United States Inter-*  
15 *agency Council on Homelessness—Operating Expenses” is*  
16 *amended by striking “2020” and inserting “2021”.*

## TITLE IV

## GENERAL PROVISIONS—THIS ACT

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3       *SEC. 401. None of the funds in this Act shall be used*  
4 *for the planning or execution of any program to pay the*  
5 *expenses of, or otherwise compensate, non-Federal parties*  
6 *intervening in regulatory or adjudicatory proceedings fund-*  
7 *ed in this Act.*

8       *SEC. 402. None of the funds appropriated in this Act*  
9 *shall remain available for obligation beyond the current fis-*  
10 *cal year, nor may any be transferred to other appropria-*  
11 *tions, unless expressly so provided herein.*

12       *SEC. 403. The expenditure of any appropriation under*  
13 *this Act for any consulting service through a procurement*  
14 *contract pursuant to section 3109 of title 5, United States*  
15 *Code, shall be limited to those contracts where such expendi-*  
16 *tures are a matter of public record and available for public*  
17 *inspection, except where otherwise provided under existing*  
18 *law, or under existing Executive order issued pursuant to*  
19 *existing law.*

20       *SEC. 404. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
21 *Act may be obligated or expended for any employee training*  
22 *that—*

23               *(1) does not meet identified needs for knowledge,*  
24               *skills, and abilities bearing directly upon the perform-*  
25               *ance of official duties;*

1           (2) contains elements likely to induce high levels  
2 of emotional response or psychological stress in some  
3 participants;

4           (3) does not require prior employee notification  
5 of the content and methods to be used in the training  
6 and written end of course evaluation;

7           (4) contains any methods or content associated  
8 with religious or quasi-religious belief systems or  
9 “new age” belief systems as defined in Equal Employ-  
10 ment Opportunity Commission Notice N-915.022,  
11 dated September 2, 1988; or

12           (5) is offensive to, or designed to change, partici-  
13 pants’ personal values or lifestyle outside the work-  
14 place.

15           (b) Nothing in this section shall prohibit, restrict, or  
16 otherwise preclude an agency from conducting training  
17 bearing directly upon the performance of official duties.

18           SEC. 405. Except as otherwise provided in this Act,  
19 none of the funds provided in this Act, provided by previous  
20 appropriations Acts to the agencies or entities funded in  
21 this Act that remain available for obligation or expenditure  
22 in fiscal year 2019, or provided from any accounts in the  
23 Treasury derived by the collection of fees and available to  
24 the agencies funded by this Act, shall be available for obliga-

1 *tion or expenditure through a reprogramming of funds*  
2 *that—*

3 *(1) creates a new program;*

4 *(2) eliminates a program, project, or activity;*

5 *(3) increases funds or personnel for any pro-*  
6 *gram, project, or activity for which funds have been*  
7 *denied or restricted by the Congress;*

8 *(4) proposes to use funds directed for a specific*  
9 *activity by either the House or Senate Committees on*  
10 *Appropriations for a different purpose;*

11 *(5) augments existing programs, projects, or ac-*  
12 *tivities in excess of \$5,000,000 or 10 percent, which-*  
13 *ever is less;*

14 *(6) reduces existing programs, projects, or activi-*  
15 *ties by \$5,000,000 or 10 percent, whichever is less; or*

16 *(7) creates, reorganizes, or restructures a branch,*  
17 *division, office, bureau, board, commission, agency,*  
18 *administration, or department different from the*  
19 *budget justifications submitted to the Committees on*  
20 *Appropriations or the table accompanying the report*  
21 *accompanying this Act, whichever is more detailed,*  
22 *unless prior approval is received from the House and*  
23 *Senate Committees on Appropriations: Provided,*  
24 *That not later than 60 days after the date of enact-*  
25 *ment of this Act, each agency funded by this Act shall*



1     *submit a report to the Committees on Appropriations*  
2     *of the Senate and of the House of Representatives to*  
3     *establish the baseline for application of reprogram-*  
4     *ming and transfer authorities for the current fiscal*  
5     *year: Provided further, That the report shall in-*  
6     *clude—*

7             (A) *a table for each appropriation with a*  
8             *separate column to display the prior year en-*  
9             *acted level, the President’s budget request, adjust-*  
10            *ments made by Congress, adjustments due to en-*  
11            *acted rescissions, if appropriate, and the fiscal*  
12            *year enacted level;*

13            (B) *a delineation in the table for each ap-*  
14            *propriation and its respective prior year enacted*  
15            *level by object class and program, project, and*  
16            *activity as detailed in the budget appendix for*  
17            *the respective appropriation; and*

18            (C) *an identification of items of special con-*  
19            *gressional interest.*

20     *SEC. 406. Except as otherwise specifically provided by*  
21     *law, not to exceed 50 percent of unobligated balances re-*  
22     *maining available at the end of fiscal year 2019 from ap-*  
23     *propriations made available for salaries and expenses for*  
24     *fiscal year 2019 in this Act, shall remain available through*  
25     *September 30, 2020, for each such account for the purposes*

1 *authorized: Provided, That a request shall be submitted to*  
2 *the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations for*  
3 *approval prior to the expenditure of such funds: Provided*  
4 *further, That these requests shall be made in compliance*  
5 *with reprogramming guidelines under section 405 of this*  
6 *Act.*

7       *SEC. 407. No funds in this Act may be used to support*  
8 *any Federal, State, or local projects that seek to use the*  
9 *power of eminent domain, unless eminent domain is em-*  
10 *ployed only for a public use: Provided, That for purposes*  
11 *of this section, public use shall not be construed to include*  
12 *economic development that primarily benefits private enti-*  
13 *ties: Provided further, That any use of funds for mass tran-*  
14 *sit, railroad, airport, seaport or highway projects, as well*  
15 *as utility projects which benefit or serve the general public*  
16 *(including energy-related, communication-related, water-re-*  
17 *lated and wastewater-related infrastructure), other struc-*  
18 *tures designated for use by the general public or which have*  
19 *other common-carrier or public-utility functions that serve*  
20 *the general public and are subject to regulation and over-*  
21 *sight by the government, and projects for the removal of an*  
22 *immediate threat to public health and safety or brownfields*  
23 *as defined in the Small Business Liability Relief and*  
24 *Brownfields Revitalization Act (Public Law 107–118) shall*  
25 *be considered a public use for purposes of eminent domain.*

1       *SEC. 408. None of the funds made available in this*  
2 *Act may be transferred to any department, agency, or in-*  
3 *strumentality of the United States Government, except pur-*  
4 *suant to a transfer made by, or transfer authority provided*  
5 *in, this Act or any other appropriations Act.*

6       *SEC. 409. No part of any appropriation contained in*  
7 *this Act shall be available to pay the salary for any person*  
8 *filling a position, other than a temporary position, formerly*  
9 *held by an employee who has left to enter the Armed Forces*  
10 *of the United States and has satisfactorily completed his*  
11 *or her period of active military or naval service, and has*  
12 *within 90 days after his or her release from such service*  
13 *or from hospitalization continuing after discharge for a pe-*  
14 *riod of not more than 1 year, made application for restora-*  
15 *tion to his or her former position and has been certified*  
16 *by the Office of Personnel Management as still qualified to*  
17 *perform the duties of his or her former position and has*  
18 *not been restored thereto.*

19       *SEC. 410. No funds appropriated pursuant to this Act*  
20 *may be expended by an entity unless the entity agrees that*  
21 *in expending the assistance the entity will comply with sec-*  
22 *tions 2 through 4 of the Act of March 3, 1933 (41 U.S.C.*  
23 *8301–8305, popularly known as the “Buy American Act”).*

24       *SEC. 411. No funds appropriated or otherwise made*  
25 *available under this Act shall be made available to any per-*

1 son or entity that has been convicted of violating the Buy  
2 American Act (41 U.S.C. 8301–8305).

3       *SEC. 412. None of the funds made available in this*  
4 *Act may be used for first-class airline accommodations in*  
5 *contravention of sections 301–10.122 and 301–10.123 of*  
6 *title 41, Code of Federal Regulations.*

7       *SEC. 413. (a) None of the funds made available by this*  
8 *Act may be used to approve a new foreign air carrier per-*  
9 *mit under sections 41301 through 41305 of title 49, United*  
10 *States Code, or exemption application under section 40109*  
11 *of that title of an air carrier already holding an air opera-*  
12 *tors certificate issued by a country that is party to the U.S.-*  
13 *E.U.-Iceland-Norway Air Transport Agreement where such*  
14 *approval would contravene United States law or Article 17*  
15 *bis of the U.S.-E.U.-Iceland-Norway Air Transport Agree-*  
16 *ment.*

17       *(b) Nothing in this section shall prohibit, restrict or*  
18 *otherwise preclude the Secretary of Transportation from*  
19 *granting a foreign air carrier permit or an exemption to*  
20 *such an air carrier where such authorization is consistent*  
21 *with the U.S.-E.U.-Iceland-Norway Air Transport Agree-*  
22 *ment and United States law.*

23       *SEC. 414. None of the funds made available in this*  
24 *Act may be used to send or otherwise pay for the attendance*  
25 *of more than 50 employees of a single agency or department*

1 *of the United States Government, who are stationed in the*  
2 *United States, at any single international conference unless*  
3 *the relevant Secretary reports to the House and Senate*  
4 *Committees on Appropriations at least 5 days in advance*  
5 *that such attendance is important to the national interest:*  
6 *Provided, That for purposes of this section the term “inter-*  
7 *national conference” shall mean a conference occurring out-*  
8 *side of the United States attended by representatives of the*  
9 *United States Government and of foreign governments,*  
10 *international organizations, or nongovernmental organiza-*  
11 *tions.*

12       *SEC. 415. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
13 *made available under this Act may be used by the Surface*  
14 *Transportation Board to charge or collect any filing fee for*  
15 *rate or practice complaints filed with the Board in an*  
16 *amount in excess of the amount authorized for district court*  
17 *civil suit filing fees under section 1914 of title 28, United*  
18 *States Code.*

19       *SEC. 416. None of the funds made available by this*  
20 *Act may be used by the Department of Transportation, the*  
21 *Department of Housing and Urban Development, or any*  
22 *other Federal agency to lease or purchase new light duty*  
23 *vehicles for any executive fleet, or for an agency’s fleet in-*  
24 *ventory, except in accordance with Presidential Memo-*  
25 *randum—Federal Fleet Performance, dated May 24, 2011.*

1        *SEC. 417. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
2 *Act may be used to maintain or establish a computer net-*  
3 *work unless such network blocks the viewing, downloading,*  
4 *and exchanging of pornography.*

5        *(b) Nothing in subsection (a) shall limit the use of*  
6 *funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law*  
7 *enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out crimi-*  
8 *nal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities.*

9        *SEC. 418. (a) None of the funds made available in this*  
10 *Act may be used to deny an Inspector General funded under*  
11 *this Act timely access to any records, documents, or other*  
12 *materials available to the department or agency over which*  
13 *that Inspector General has responsibilities under the In-*  
14 *spector General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.), or to prevent*  
15 *or impede that Inspector General's access to such records,*  
16 *documents, or other materials, under any provision of law,*  
17 *except a provision of law that expressly refers to the Inspec-*  
18 *tor General and expressly limits the Inspector General's*  
19 *right of access.*

20        *(b) A department or agency covered by this section*  
21 *shall provide its Inspector General with access to all such*  
22 *records, documents, and other materials in a timely man-*  
23 *ner.*

24        *(c) Each Inspector General shall ensure compliance*  
25 *with statutory limitations on disclosure relevant to the in-*

1 *formation provided by the establishment over which that In-*  
2 *pector General has responsibilities under the Inspector*  
3 *General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.).*

4 *(d) Each Inspector General covered by this section*  
5 *shall report to the Committees on Appropriations of the*  
6 *House of Representatives and the Senate within 5 calendar*  
7 *days any failures to comply with this requirement.*

8 *SEC. 419. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise*  
9 *made available by this Act may be used to pay award or*  
10 *incentive fees for contractors whose performance has been*  
11 *judged to be below satisfactory, behind schedule, over budget,*  
12 *or has failed to meet the basic requirements of a contract,*  
13 *unless the Agency determines that any such deviations are*  
14 *due to unforeseeable events, government-driven scope*  
15 *changes, or are not significant within the overall scope of*  
16 *the project and/or program unless such awards or incentive*  
17 *fees are consistent with 16.401(e)(2) of the FAR.*

18 *SEC. 420. (a) Section 420 (a) None of the funds appro-*  
19 *riated or otherwise made available under this Act may*  
20 *be used to acquire telecommunications equipment produced*  
21 *by Huawei Technologies Company, ZTE Corporation or a*  
22 *high-impact or moderate-impact information system, as de-*  
23 *finied for security categorization in the National Institute*  
24 *of Standards and Technology's (NIST) Federal Information*  
25 *Processing Standard Publication 199, "Standards for Secu-*

1 *Category Categorization of Federal Information and Informa-*  
2 *tion Systems” unless the agency has—*

3           (1) *reviewed the supply chain risk for the infor-*  
4 *mation systems against criteria developed by NIST to*  
5 *inform acquisition decisions for high-impact and*  
6 *moderate-impact information systems within the Fed-*  
7 *eral Government;*

8           (2) *reviewed the supply chain risk from the pre-*  
9 *sumptive awardee against available and relevant*  
10 *threat information provided by the Federal Bureau of*  
11 *Investigation and other appropriate agencies; and*

12           (3) *in consultation with the Federal Bureau of*  
13 *Investigation or other appropriate Federal entity,*  
14 *conducted an assessment of any risk of cyber-espio-*  
15 *nage or sabotage associated with the acquisition of*  
16 *such system, including any risk associated with such*  
17 *system being produced, manufactured, or assembled*  
18 *by one or more entities identified by the United*  
19 *States Government as posing a cyber threat, includ-*  
20 *ing but not limited to, those that may be owned, di-*  
21 *rected, or subsidized by the People’s Republic of*  
22 *China, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic*  
23 *People’s Republic of Korea, or the Russian Federa-*  
24 *tion.*



1       **(b)** *None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made*  
2 *available under this Act may be used to acquire a high-*  
3 *impact or moderate impact information system reviewed*  
4 *and assessed under subsection (a) unless the head of the as-*  
5 *sessing entity described in subsection (a) has—*

6           **(1)** *developed, in consultation with NIST and*  
7 *supply chain risk management experts, a mitigation*  
8 *strategy for any identified risks;*

9           **(2)** *determined, in consultation with NIST and*  
10 *the Federal Bureau of Investigation, that the acquisi-*  
11 *tion of such system is in the vital national security*  
12 *interest of the United States; and*

13           **(3)** *reported that determination to the Commit-*  
14 *tees on Appropriations of the House of Representa-*  
15 *tives and the Senate in a manner that identifies the*  
16 *system intended for acquisition and a detailed de-*  
17 *scription of the mitigation strategies identified in (1),*  
18 *provided that such report may include a classified*  
19 *annex as necessary.*

1        *This division may be cited as the “Transportation,*  
2 *Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies*  
3 *Appropriations Act, 2019”.*

Attest:

*Secretary.*



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